

HOW TO GET TO LUBLIN

By plane

You can fly to: Lublin (LUZ), Warsaw (WAW), Cracow (KRK) or Rzeszow (RZE).

- ❖ The recently opened **Lublin Airport** offers connections with the following European cities: London (Luton & Stansted), Oslo, Dublin and Liverpool. The airport is located about 11 km to the east from the city centre. You can get from the airport to Lublin by
 - train (to see the timetable go to <http://rozklad-pkp.pl/bin/query.exe/en> and choose the direction from “Świdnik P. Lotniczy” to “Lublin”; the journey takes about 15 mins),
 - bus (more info: <http://www.nalotniskolublin.pl/en.html>)
- ❖ More connections are available to **Warsaw Chopin Airport**, (Warsaw is located around 170 km from Lublin), which is the main international airport in Poland. Next you may continue your journey to Lublin by
 - *Contbus* bus departing the bus terminal near the airport’s exit. The departures to Lublin are at: 9.15, 10.15, 11.00, 13.05, 15.15 (Mon-Sat) and 10.15, 11.00, 13.05, 15.15 (Sun).
 - train; you will need to get to Warsaw Central Train Station (“Dworzec Centralny”), which offers several connections to Lublin (for the schedule go to: <http://rozklad-pkp.pl/bin/query.exe/en>). There are two ways to get to Warsaw Central from the airport:
 - by train: <http://www.mazowieckie.com.pl/en/> (choose “Warszawa Okęcie” as your departure point and “Warszawa Centralna” as your destination).
 - by bus no. 175, or N32 (the latter is a night bus service)
- ❖ Another international airport relatively close to Lublin is **Rzeszów Airport** (about 170 km from Lublin) – the easiest way to get to Lublin from the airport is by *Galicja Express* bus. The terminal is situated close to the exit. Advance online reservation is required. To buy the ticket go to <http://www.galicjaexpress.pl>. The website is in Polish so here are a few tips: click “kup bilet online” (buy a ticket), choose “Data odjazdu” (the date of the departure; “listopad” - November), then go to “odjazd z” (departure from) and choose Jasionka (the town where the airport is located) and “przyjazd do” (arrival to) Lublin. “Liczba biletów normalnych” means the number of regular tickets you need and “liczba biletów ulgowych” is the number of discount tickets (for student card holders).
- ❖ There are also some airlines flying to Kraków (around 270 km from Lublin). From **Kraków Airport** you can travel to Lublin directly by train: <http://rozklad-pkp.pl/bin/query.exe/en>.

By coach

PolskiBus service offers several connections from Warsaw to the following cities: Berlin, Prague, Bratislava, Vienna. You can continue your journey from Warsaw to Lublin also by *PolskiBus*. For further details visit <http://www.polskibus.com/en>.

By train

The Polish State Railways offer direct rail connections between Lublin and most large cities in Poland as well as connections between Warsaw and many European cities. Check your connections here: <http://rozklad-pkp.pl/bin/query.exe/en>

TIPS

- The Polish currency is Polish Złoty (zł, PLN),
- Currency exchange points are called “kantor”
- Polish electrical sockets are of European standard with a voltage of 230V. If you are planning to use electronic devices that do not work with this standard make sure you bring an adapter,
- for information on fickle Polish weather go to: <http://www.yr.no/place/Poland/Lublin/Lublin>,
- For tourist information visit the city portal <http://www.lublin.eu/Tourism-100-11-36-2.html>.