

Hello and welcome to Temple University or welcome back!

Temple University's Office of Parking Services provides affordable, convenient, and secure parking to the Temple community, and we look forward to having you as a customer!

Parking is available to all students, including Freshmen! We offer a variety of parking options at our Main and Ambler campuses. Below are all the parking options available to you:

Main Campus Parking Options

Semester Commuter Parking

Commuter permits are available for students looking for 5- or 7-day parking from 7:00 AM to 10:45 PM. These permits are \$180 per semester for a 5-day permit and \$210 per semester for a 7-day permit. Please note that these prices have been adjusted to reflect the shortened semester. Commuters are assigned to the Diamond Street Lot, the Liacouras Garage, the Montgomery Garage, the Bell Garage or the Temple Towers Lot on Main Campus. Commuter permit holders can park from 7:00 AM to 10:45 PM. Your permit will be mailed directly to your house. *Please review and update your primary mailing address in TUportal immediately. Failure to make necessary updates to your address will result in you not receiving your permit.*

Semester Overnight Parking

Overnight permits give you 24/7 access to your specified parking facility. These permits are \$300 per semester, and this has been adjusted to reflect the shortened semester. Overnight parkers are assigned to the Temple Towers Lot, Tyler Lot, Bell Garage, Liacouras Garage, or Montgomery Garage on Main Campus. Your permit will be mailed directly to your house. *Please review and update your primary mailing address in TUportal immediately. Failure to make necessary updates to your address will result in you not receiving your permit.*

Flex Parking

Flex parking is available for students who park infrequently. These parkers are assigned to the Liacouras Garage, Montgomery Garage, 15th Street Lot, Diamond Street or Temple Towers Lot. Flex parking permits can only be used at your assigned parking facility. Flex parkers pay \$10 per entry, which is automatically deducted from their TU Parking Account when they swipe or tap their Temple OWLcard in the card reader. Funds must be added to the parking account prior to use. Attempting to park without sufficient funds on the parking account will result in the assessment of the daily or hourly rate. All Flex parkers must renew their parking semiannually in July and January. We will notify students prior to expiration. Flex permit holders can park from 7:00 AM to 10:45 PM. *Please review and update your primary mailing address in TUportal immediately. Failure to make necessary updates to your address will result in you not receiving your permit.*

Trying to decide between Flex and Commuter Permits?

If you park on campus more than once a week, Semester Commuter Parking is the more affordable permit option.

Ambler Campus Parking

Ambler students have the option to pay \$84 for the entire academic year (September through August) or \$55 per semester. There is no reciprocity between campuses, and Ambler students who need to park on Main Campus will need to register as Flex parkers or park in a visitor lot.

Each of these parking options requires a permit. Fall Semester parking permits go on sale July 1, 2020 at 8 AM. Log in to [TU Parking Account](#) by using your AccessNet username and password to purchase your permit online. *Please note fall permits must be purchased online. There will be no in-office permit purchases due to the social distancing guidelines for COVID-19.* Your permit will be mailed directly to your house. *Please review and update your primary mailing address in TUportal immediately. Failure to make necessary updates to your address will result in you not receiving your permit.*

[Watch How to Purchase Parking Online.](#)

Your parking permit and Temple OWLcard are the mechanisms that control access to your assigned parking area. Failure to display your permit in your car may result in a citation. In addition, availability of areas and parking assignments are subject to change during summer, holidays, and some special events.

New and Transfer students, please note that without your Temple OWLcard (TUID), you will not be able to access your parking facility. You should receive your ID around August 28th. To accommodate our new and transfer student parkers who don't have an ID yet, please follow the process below:

If you have an Apple device, please add your virtual ID to your Apple Wallet. This will allow you to access the Montgomery and Bell Garages by tapping your iPhone or Apple watch on the reader. You will be permitted to parking in either garage even if it is not you assigned facility until you receive a copy of your physical TUID.

For new and transfer students who do not have an Apple device, you'll need to park in the Liacouras Garage. Our parking attendants will let you access parking there even if it is not your assigned facility.

As soon as you receive a physical copy of your ID, you must begin parking in your assigned facility. You will lose access to all other facilities as soon as your physical ID is created.

Announcements

In the Spring Semester 2020, we rolled out an upgrade of "Tap & Go" for Bell & Montgomery Garages, and we are so excited to introduce additional technology for this Fall Semester - you can now enter and exit your garage by using your Apple iPhone and Watch. The Bell and Montgomery Garages now have "Tap & Go" for both devices, which allows you to enter and exit the facilities by simply tapping your ID, Apple iPhone or your Apple Watch if you have assigned parking in these facilities. No need to swipe any longer! This is a faster way of entering and exiting and you do not have to worry if you forgot your Temple OWLcard.

To continue adhering to social distancing guidelines, we will not be accepting walk-ins at our office in the fall. We are in the process of developing an appointment system where you can schedule an in-office appointment with us if your issue cannot be resolved remotely. Please look out for additional information on this scheduling system in the coming weeks.

Follow us on social media for updates, road closures, contests, and more.

For more information on these parking options, please visit our [brochure](#).