

## TRAVELLING FROM SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO WOLLONGONG

This step-by-step guide will help you navigate from Sydney International Airport to Wollongong.



Fig1: Guide map for exit from the Sydney International Airport

### Train/Metro:

Typically, international travellers find the following options most convenient for reaching Wollongong from the airport:

- 1) Taking the train/metro (cost-effective)
- 2) Opting for a taxi service

After completing all necessary screenings and immigration checks, you'll have the option to exit through either Exit A or Exit B in Halls A and B of the Airport Arrivals area. Follow the designated red line on the map leading to the metro station at the Airport.

### Step 1:

Head to platform 2 at the International Airport metro station to catch a train bound for Wollie Creek. This leg of the journey typically takes around 2 minutes. (Alternatively, from platform 1, you can board a train to Central and transfer to another train heading to Wollongong. However, please note that the train service to Wollongong is currently suspended at Wollie Creek.)

Refer to the map below: Wollie Creek is the immediate next station after departing from the International Airport.



### Step 2:

Disembark at Wollie Creek station from platform 2, then proceed via the stairs to platform 4 to catch a train bound for Wollongong. At Wollie Creek station, board any train heading towards Kiama, Port Kembla, Dapto, or Bomaderry. Remain on this train until you arrive at North Wollongong station. The total journey from Wollie Creek to North Wollongong typically takes around 1 hour.

### Step 3:

Upon arriving at North Wollongong station on platform 2, exit the station from platform 1 and wait for the complimentary shuttle bus to the University of Wollongong. Look for bus service 9N or 9 to reach the university. Upon reaching the university stop, a short walk is necessary to reach your final destination.

For those heading directly to Wollongong, alight at Wollongong station and take a brief 5-minute walk to the shuttle bus stop, which offers free transportation.

### Hiring a Cab:

You can book your travel to Wollongong prior to your arrival by Airport Transfer Service provided by Leisure Coast Limousine Service.

- For more details, please refer to <https://leisurecoastlimousine.com.au/airport-transfers/>
- Request a booking at <https://leisurecoastlimousine.com.au/request-a-booking/>

Furthermore, University of Wollongong offers its university visitors a paid airport pick-up service.

- For more details, please refer to <https://www.uow.edu.au/study/accommodation/airport-pickup-service/>

There is no direct bus connection between the airport and Wollongong. It is possible to take a bus from the airport to the Wollongong train station from there you can board a train to Wollongong (see step 2 above). Blue line on the map will take you to the city bus stop.

### Note:

- The **Transport for NSW Trip Planner** provides scheduled train times. Search for a journey from the “International Airport” or “Domestic Airport” to “North Wollongong Station”. Alternately, using google maps is convenient and precise while commuting in public transport.
- It is recommended that you download the map of Wollongong on your mobile before you come here. This will make your travel very convenient.