



Getting to Iceland

Most visitors to Iceland travel via Keflavik International Airport. Information about flights to Keflavik, along with other travel options with arrival points in the north and east of the country are outlined here.



Flights to Keflavik

There are an increasing number of flight options available for volunteers travelling to Iceland. A list of the airlines operating services to Iceland can be found on the [airport website](#). It is very important that you arrive at the meeting point at the agreed time at the start of the project. If you are delayed, please contact the team leader. It is advisable to organise your tickets early as prices often increase close to the departure date.

Keflavik Airport

Iceland's international airport is in Keflavik about 50 km from Reykjavik. Further information about the airport can be found on their [website](#) which includes a map of the [Terminal](#). Tax-free shopping is available for passengers arriving at Keflavik.

Changing currency

It is possible to buy Icelandic Krónur (ISK) at the airport when you arrive. Landsbanki Íslands (The National Bank) has a reception desk in the arrivals hall. Although there are plenty of cash machines in the city, few banks are open at weekends.



Getting to Reykjavik

There is a [Flybus](#) service to Reykjavik from Keflavik Airport. This service is available for all arriving and departing flights, day or night. It leaves from just outside the arrivals area and costs 1950kr (one way). The Flybus takes about 50 minutes to get to Reykjavik and makes stops at all the major hotels, the City Hostel (next to the campsite) and the [BSÍ Coach Terminal](#). Simply tell the driver where you are staying. You can buy a ticket in the arrivals area at the airport or on the bus. For the return journey, check the Flybus times from Reykjavik. Pick ups are often available from Reykjavik Hotels or you can catch the bus at the BSÍ Coach Terminal.

Other airports in Iceland

Although almost all international flights to Iceland arrive at Keflavik there are limited services during the summer months from Copenhagen to Akureyri in the north of the country (with [Iceland Express](#)).

Other travel options

The [Smyril Line](#) operates a ferry service from Denmark to the east of Iceland. Further information about travelling to Iceland by ferry can be found on the [seat61.com](#) website.