



15 Years of Honours | TRAVEL GUIDE

Introduction

This document elaborates on the means and ways to get to and get around in Enschede, as well as possible staying options and activities.

From your airport to Twente

When travelling from one of the Dutch airports, you can reach Enschede through the public transport systems. For all public transport in the Netherlands, you can stay up-to-date with departure and arrival times through the [NS travel planner](#) or [9292](#) webpages (both also available as apps). Through these applications, you can purchase tickets (we recommend using NS travel planner for purchasing your train tickets). In all Dutch bus systems, you can check in and out using your debit card, credit card or smartphone ("[OVpay](#)"). Simply present your card in the bus to the check-in card reader when you board and present it again when you get off. **Please note you cannot pay with cash for your bus or train tickets.**

For both [SCHIPHOL](#) AIRPORT and [EINDHOVEN](#) AIRPORT (the two main airports for public travel in the Netherlands), signs and information points are available to guide you to the train station (for both, located right next to the airport).

For travelling from abroad, you can find a description video on traveling from Schipol Airport to Enschede [here](#).

Travelling to Saxion

To reach the Saxion Enschede campus by public transport, take the train directly to **Enschede train station**. The distance from Enschede train station to the Saxion campus is about 5-8 minutes walking.

When coming by car, you can follow the designated [route](#). Please note that there are [limited parking spaces](#) available around the Saxion campus.

Travelling to the University of Twente

To reach the University of Twente, either take the train to **Hengelo train station** and take bus line 9 to Enschede (passing two stops on the University of Twente campus: **UT/Kennispark** and **UT/Westerbegraafplaats**); or, taking slightly longer, continue on to **Enschede train station** and take bus line 9 in the opposite direction to Hengelo (again exiting for **UT/Kennispark** or **UT/Westerbegraafplaats**). From Enschede train station, you can also take bus line 1, travelling through the campus (passing various stops located on the campus, always indicated as "**UT/...**"). This bus line takes longer than bus line 9 and will only bring

you slightly closer to the central **O&O square** on the University of Twente campus.

You can also travel to the University campus by car, following the route [here](#). At the University campus, there are various (free) parking spots available (see [here](#)). You can find the parking spaces indicated on the campus map (below).

Campus map

You can find the different buildings and rooms at Saxion Enschede here: <https://www.saxion.edu/studying-in-the-netherlands/welcome-to-saxion/rooms-and-buildings>

You can find the map of the University of Twente campus on the last page of the document or through the following link:

<https://www.utwente.nl/download/campusmap.pdf>

Travel within Enschede

Within the area of Enschede and the University of Twente, you will be able to travel around by bus. For this, you can check in and out using your debit card, credit card and smartphone (“[OVpay](#)”). As mentioned above, **please note you cannot pay with cash for your bus or train tickets**. You can find the time schedule of the busses on the [9292](#) webpage/application.

Bike renting

If you wish, you can travel as the Dutch do by renting a bike. Possible options for this are through [Actief Twente](#), the [Intercity Hotel](#) in the city centre or any of these [options](#). When cycling, please make sure to keep the [Dutch rules on cycling](#) in mind. Most notably: helmets are not mandatory but can be highly encouraged for novice cyclists; cycling paths are indicated with red street colouring and are often separated from the car lanes; lights are mandatory (and important!) at night and are usually installed on a rental bike but can otherwise be bought at any supermarket (do make sure to take clip-on lights off when stalling your bike to avoid theft); it is forbidden to hold a cell phone in your hand when cycling, so use a (fitting) cell phone holder placed on your handlebars or stop on the side of the cycle path to use it. Please also note that, as the Netherlands is a true cycling country, you are not supposed to walk on cycling paths or cross them without looking (in fact, looking over your shoulder before crossing is a must to avoid stepping into a cyclist’s path). If needed, walk strictly on the (right) side of cycling lanes.

In the city centre of Enschede there are many (guarded) [bicycle parking spots](#) you can use for free. Most remain open all day; please note that for some you need to press an intercom when picking up your bike late at night to open the automatic doors. On the University of Twente campus, make sure to store your bike in the designated spots.

Possible hotels around the University campus

For staying in Enschede, you can consider one of the following hotels (ordered from near to far from the University of Twente campus).

- On the University of Twente campus, you can stay at the [U Parkhotel](#)
- Opposite of the campus is [Fletcher hotel De Broeierd](#)
- Central in Enschede, close to the train station is [IntercityHotel](#)
- Slightly away from the centre is [Van der Valk Enschede](#)
- In Hengelo, there is [City Hotel Hengelo](#)

Connecting to WIFI

On the University of Twente, Eduroam (education roaming) enables students, researchers and other members of staff to use their education or research institute's wireless network. If you use Eduroam at your own institute, you can connect similarly on the [University of Twente network](#). In Enschede, you can also make use of the free public network called "[Enschede Stad van Nu](#)".

Things to do in Enschede

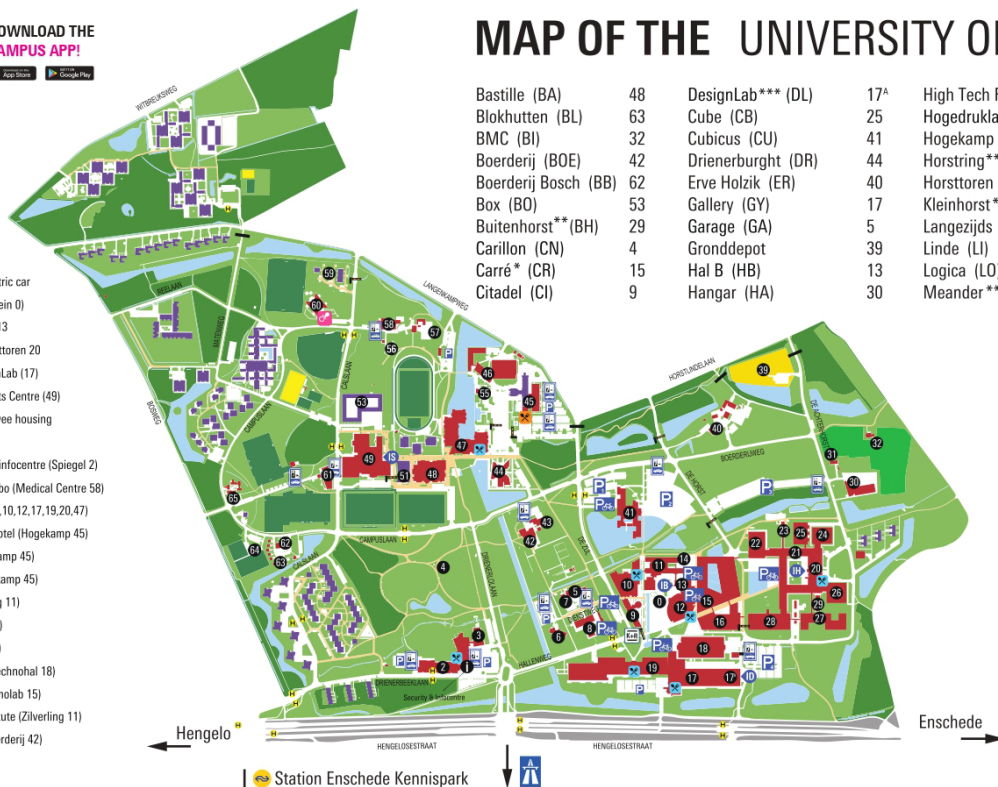
There are various activities to do and events held in Enschede all year round. You can find an overview [here](#) or [here](#).



MAP OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE



- Parking
- Bike park
- Barrier
- Closed road
- Charging point electric car
- Kiss & Ride (O&O plein 0)
- * Entrance via Hal-B 13
- ** Entrance via Horsttoren 20
- *** Entrance DesignLab (17)
- **** Entrance Sports Centre (49)
- Student and Employee housing
- Bus stop
- Campus Security & infocentre (Spiegel 2)
- Dentist / Doctor / Arbo (Medical Centre 58)
- Canteen (Building 2, 10, 12, 17, 19, 20, 47)
- Restaurant U Parkhotel (Hogekamp 45)
- U Parkhotel (Hogekamp 45)
- Campus 053 (Hogekamp 45)
- Starbucks (Zilverling 11)
- Subway (Bastille 48)
- Daycare (Vlinder 60)
- Techmed Centre (Technohal 18)
- MESA+ Institute (Nanolab 15)
- Digital Society Institute (Zilverling 11)
- Contact Centre (Boerderij 42)



Bastille (BA)	48
Blokhutten (BL)	63
BMC (BI)	32
Boerderij (BOE)	42
Boerderij Bosch (BB)	62
Box (BO)	53
Buitenhorst** (BH)	29
Carillon (CN)	4
Carré* (CR)	15
Citadel (CI)	9

DesignLab*** (DL)	17*
Cube (CB)	25
Cubicus (CU)	41
Drienerburght (DR)	44
Erve Holzik (ER)	40
Gallery (GY)	17
Garage (GA)	5
Gronddepot	39
Hal B (HB)	13
Hangar (HA)	30

High Tech Factory (HTF)	46
Hogedrukfab (HD)	8
Hogekamp (HO)	45
Horstring** (HR)	21
Horsttoren (HT)	20
Kleinhorst** (KH)	23
Langezijds (LA)	19
Linde (LI)	61
Logica (LO)	65
Meander** (ME)	27

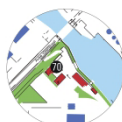
Medisch Centrum (MC)	58
Mondriaan (MO)	59
Nanolab* (NL)	16
Noordhorst** (NH)	24
O&O plein (OO)	0
Oosthorst** (OH)	26
Openluchttheater (OUT)	56
Paviljoen (PA)	6
Ravelijn (RA)	10
Seinhuis (SH)	43
Schuur (SR)	7
Sky (SK)	51
Spiegel (SP)	2
Sportcentrum**** (SC)	49
Stall (ST)	62
Technohal (TL)	18
Tehuis (TH)	14
Tennispark (TP)	64
Trial-terrein (TT)	39
Vleugel (VL)	3
Vlinder (VI)	60
Vrijhof (VR)	47
Waaijer (WA)	12
Waterlab (WL)	55
Westhorst** (WH)	22
Windpark (WP)	31
Zilverling (ZI)	11
Zuidhorst** (ZH)	28
Zwembad binnen (SC)	49
Zwembad buiten (ZW)	57

OFF-CAMPUS BUILDINGS



69 Therm (TM)

Capitool 40
72 Future Factory (FF)
Capitool 25



70 Watersportcomplex (WX)

Auke vleeftstraat 99



74 Fraunhofer (FR)

Hengelosestraat 701



78 Capitool 15 (CL)

Capitool 15



79 Wallstreet (WS)

Walstraat 47



76 ITC International hotel (IIH)

Boulevard 1945 4

Downloadable at www.utwente.nl/campusmap; for building details see www.utwente.nl/buildings

UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE.

Destination

FACULTIES

Faculty of Behavioural, Management & Social Sciences (BMS)	10, 41
Educational Science and Technology; Psychology; Communication Science; Philosophy of Science, Technology and Society; Teacher's training; Business Administration; Public Administration; European Studies; Industrial Engineering and Management	
Faculty of Engineering Technology (ET)	20, 21, 22, 45
Civil Engineering; Industrial Design Engineering; Sustainable Energy Technology; Mechanical Engineering; Construction Management & Engineering	
Faculty of Electrical Engineering, Mathematics and Computer Science (EEMCS)	9, 11, 15
Electrical Engineering; Applied Mathematics; Business Information Technology; Creative Technology; Computer Science; Embedded Systems; Mechatronics; Interaction Technology; Systems and Control	
University College Twente (ATLAS)	9
Faculty of Science and Technology (TNW)	15, 20, 21, 24, 26, 27, 28
Advanced Technology; Biomedical Technology; Chemical Engineering; Health Sciences; Nanotechnology; Applied Physics; Technical Medicine	
Faculty of Geo-Information Science and Earth Observation (ITC)	19

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INSTITUTES

Digital Society Institute	11
MESA+ Institute	15, 16
TechMed Centre	15

SERVICE DEPARTMENTS AND FACILITIES

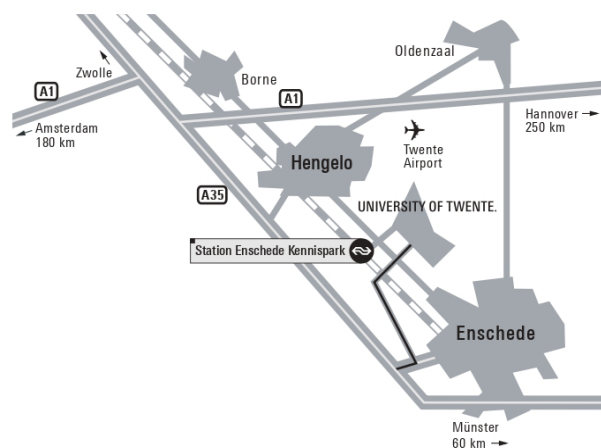
Admission Office	42, 47
Bicycle workshop 'De Versnellings'	53
Campus & Facility Management (CFM)	61
Centre for Educational Support (CES)	9, 42, 47
Children's day care centre 'Vlinder' (Catalpa)	60
Contact Centre	42
Culture centre, Vrijhof	47
De Veste (student housing)	58
Expedition	5
DesignLab (DL)	17
Exam Hall (Therm)	69
Executive Board (EB)	3
Finance (FIN)	2
General Affairs (GA)	2
Medical Centre	58
Hair Dresser (De Barreboks)	51
High Tech Factory	46
Human Resources (HR)	2
ICT-Servicedesk	9
Library, ICT Services & Archive (LISA)	2, 9, 47
Logica	65
Mail room	5
Main Entrance	2, 3
Marketing & Communication (MC)	2
Notebook Service Centre (NSC)	9

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Building number

Novel-T (parking Hengelosestraat)	17
O&O square	0
Physiotherapy (Topvorm Twente)	49
PRE-U	48
Professional Learning & Development (PLD)	10
Restaurants	12, 45, 47
Security & Info Centre	2
Shops (COOP Supermarket)	51
Sports centre	49
Strategy & Policy (SP)	2
Student Counsellors, Counselling Service & Student Psychologists	47
Student Restaurant (Mensa)	12
Student Services / Contact Centre	42
Student Union	48
Stadium Generale (SG)	47
Study Information Centre (SI)	42
Swimming Pool	49, 57
Theatercafé Vrijhof	47
Twente Graduate School (TGS)	10
Unionshop	48
UToday	47
UT Athletic Track	47
UT Language Centre (UTLC)	47
U Parkhotel & Restaurant	45
Vestingbar	48
Xerox Service Center	13

Building number



Visiting Address
University of Twente
Drienerloaan 5
7522 NB Enschede

Postal address
University of Twente
Postbus 217
7500 AE Enschede

Route to the campus / University of Twente?

BY CAR

From the A1 motorway, take the A35 motorway in the direction of Enschede
Take exit 26: Enschede - West / Universiteit
Follow the signs 'Universiteit'

BY TRAIN / BUS

From Enschede railway station:

line number 1 in the direction of 'Universiteit Twente'
line number 8 in the direction of Hengelo-Noord
line number 9 in the direction of Hengelo

From Enschede Kennispark railway station: line number 1 in the direction of 'Universiteit Twente'
From Hengelo railway station: line number 9 in the direction of Enschede
line number 15 in the direction of 'Universiteit Twente'

For more information, please visit www.9292.nl