The train planner gives two routes from Schiphol to Enschede: via Zwolle (northern route) or via Amersfoort (southern route). See map below:

The northern route has only 5 minutes changeover time in Zwolle – often too little time to make it to the right platform. Then you have 30 minutes before the next train. This is a regional train that makes many stops. I therefore recommend you to take the southern route via Amersfoort (and Apeldoorn), where a changeover is always on the same platform and you almost never miss the connection. These are more comfy so-called intercity trains.

The Cabins can be located on Google Maps by looking for Boerderij Bosch (link). This is the old farmhouse next to the cabins, where we will have the breakfasts/lunches/dinners. The cabins are a 15-minute walk from train station Enschede Kennispark. This is a regional station, so to arrive there, you can:

1. **(easy, cheap, 7 minute walk to cabin)** the bus from Hengelo to Enschede (Line 9 to Enschede CS from platform A1), which stops at De Broeiend Hotel. Buy a ticket in the bus, or pay with an OV-chip card (see below)
2. **(easy, cheap, 15 min. walk to cabin)** change to a regional train towards Enschede in Hengelo (the journey planner will indicate this) – Enschede Kennispark is the first stop. If you take the northern route via Zwolle, you are already on a regional train to Enschede, and don’t need to change trains in Hengelo.
3. **(easy, expensive, no walking)** Or, take a taxi from Hengelo

Below you’ll find a map of the area, and of how to walk there from the train station.
Here’s the link to the train planner. As you can see I indicated the planner to find a route via Amersfoort. You’ll find the system is quite easy, and if you happen to get lost, everybody in the Netherlands speaks English 😊. You can buy train tickets close to the train platforms at Schiphol airport (not on the platforms, which are under the main floor, but on the main floor) in a ticket machine or at a booth:

It’s a good idea to check the journey planner on the day of/before your departure, because there may be planned maintenance on your route. Check the boards on the platforms at Schiphol, because they regularly re-assign trains to platforms (mostly across the same platform).

A great free app for the smart phone which has all bus/metro/tram/train routes is called 9292:
It also has a journey planner online: https://9292.nl/en

If you plan to do more public transportation in the Netherlands, buying a so-called anonymous OV-chip card is recommended (OV means public transportation). This anonymous OV-chip card costs €7.50, and can be charged with any amount, and can be used to check in/out into any form of public transportation in the Netherlands. For more info see here, and this website. You can buy the anonymous OV-chip card at Schiphol airport (in train ticket machines, the “NS” railway desks, or at the AKO book/magazine stores).

Here’s a campus map with pointers to the location of the lectures, and the student cabins. Breakfasts and dinners will be at the student cabins (more info to follow in the program).