



Popular accessible* destinations from Hadley Wood

As well as circulating via Potters Bar into central London, there are many other accessible* journeys you can make more easily by boarding at Hadley Wood.

Hadley Wood Rail User Group have worked with **Age UK** to develop this guide to some popular destinations that are *accessible (without needing to use stairs).

However, if you need assistance to move between train and platform (by ramp), don't forget to book ahead with GTR's Assisted Travel scheme

TRAVEL HOME OR ABROAD BY AIR, TRAIN OR COACH

London Heathrow: Hadley Wood – Potters Bar – Finsbury Park and lifts from GTR platforms 1 and 2 southbound* to the Piccadilly Line and all LHR terminals

London Gatwick: Hadley Wood – Potters Bar – Finsbury Park and change on to direct Thameslink services to Gatwick without changing platform

London Luton: Hadley Wood – Potters Bar – Finsbury Park and change on to direct Thameslink services to London St Pancras then northbound to Luton Airport Parkway

Eurostar to Paris, Amsterdam etc: Hadley Wood – Potters Bar – Finsbury Park and change on to direct Thameslink services to London St Pancras for the Eurostar terminal

London Victoria Coach Station: Hadley Wood – Potters Bar – Finsbury Park and lifts from GTR platforms 1 and 2 southbound* to the Victoria Line to Victoria where <u>mobility assistance</u> is available

*NB Currently the lift facilities up from the Piccadilly Line at Finsbury Park only go to the central corridor and station exit. Until a second lift is installed, there are still some 40 steps to climb to the GTR northbound platforms 7 and 8.

TRAVEL IN THE UK

Cambridge: Hadley Wood – Potters Bar – Stevenage – Cambridge

The East Midlands, Yorkshire and the North East, and Scotland: Hadley Wood – Potters Bar – Stevenage and on to the East Coast Main Line and LNER services to destinations like Leeds, York, Durham, Newcastle, the Northumberland Coast, and Edinburgh. All LNER stations are accessible.

STEP-FREE SHOPPING CENTRES (outside of London Travelcard/Freedom pass zones)

The Howard Centre at Welwyn Garden City: Hadley Wood direct to Welwyn GC station which is located right next to the Howard Centre

The Galleria Outlet Shopping at Hatfield: Hadley Wood direct to Hatfield then bus (c 10 mins) or taxi (c £4) (onward travel information taken from the Galleria website)

NB To arrange your return to Hadley Wood avoiding the 30+ steps to the street from the southbound platform, book ahead with GTR's <u>Assisted Travel scheme</u>.

Assisted Travel Need assistance to travel by train to or from Hadley Wood?

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