

Greyhound Bus Option

Airport -----Portland Max Light Rail-----Greyhound Bus Station-----Greyhound-----Corvallis

Overview:

An affordable option to travel between Portland and Corvallis is by Greyhound Bus. To get from the airport to the Greyhound Bus station, take the Portland Max light rail service which leaves directly from the airport, with only one line change, and drops you off 0.1 miles from the Greyhound station.

How much does it cost? (as of 10/17/2013)

Current Portland Max ticket prices from the airport to the bus station are \$2.50 one way.
Current Greyhound ticket prices from Portland to Corvallis are \$25.00 round trip (online prices).
Total estimated cost as of 10/17/2013 = **\$30.00**

How long does it take?

Although the total length of travel both on the Portland Max and Greyhound depends on the departure time and route that you choose; here is an average estimated time line for this transportation option.

- Portland Airport to Greyhound Bus Station – Via the **Portland Max**: 50 m
- Portland to Corvallis – Via the **Greyhound Bus** line: 2 hr
- Estimated Travel Time: **2hr, 50m** (this doesn't include any wait time that might occur)

How do I schedule a trip?

Portland Max Light Rail

1. Go to <http://trimet.org/max/>
2. Click on “trip planner”
3. Put in the ID code for the airport in the top box – 10579
4. Put in the ID code for the bus station in the bottom box – 7601
5. Select your desired depart time
6. Select on “Show map” and then on “Get Directions”
7. Print directions and bring them with you
 - a. You can buy the ticket when you get to Max station
 - b. Remember you will have one line change between the airport and bus station

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1. Go to www.greyhound.com
2. Put Portland, OR in the “leaving from” box and Corvallis, OR in the “going to” box
3. Select round trip

4. Select your “departing date” and “returning date” (keep the time slot to “any”)
5. Click on “search schedules”
6. Select the time that best fits your travel schedule
 - a. Important Note: Remember to give yourself plenty of time to get from the airport to the bust station and vice versa. There are only usually three departure times a day.

What happens when I get to Corvallis?

If you have a host:

- Call them in advance and give them your travel itinerary. Have them pick you up at the Greyhound Bus Station in Corvallis.

Grey Hound Bus
153 NW 4th St, Corvallis OR
(541) 757-1797

If you don't have a host:

- No worries, Corvallis has free bus fare (Not a 24/7 bus system)
 - Before you start your trip go to <http://www.corvallisoregon.gov/index.aspx?page=173>
 - Look at the route maps and times (**NOT** a 24/7 bus system), figure out what bus you want to get on and when it will be at the DTC.
 - To get on a city bus from the Corvallis Greyhound Station
 - Walk South on 4th street one block
 - Turn right on Monroe Ave and walk West one block
 - The Down Town Transit Center (DTC) will be on your left
 - Go into the DTC and look at a route map
 - Select the bus (route) that takes you to your desired location (hotel or Oregon State)

Located Behind: 501 SW Madison Ave, Corvallis, OR

Important Note: the Corvallis bus system does not run at all times of the day.

Other Options: