

## Transport in the Highlands

**Traveline Scotland** provides information on all types of public transport in Scotland, and can help you plan your route.

### Trains

**First ScotRail** provides most of the train services within Scotland and its useful website is an effective resource for travellers.

**GNER** operates the East Coast Main Line from Inverness and Aberdeen to Glasgow, Edinburgh and on to London.

**National Rail Enquiries** provides information on fares, routes and timetables for the whole of the UK railway system.

**Trainline** has train times, ticket booking, and seat reservations for mainland UK trains.

On inter-city journeys, it is often possible to get reductions on fares if you book in advance.

### Coaches and buses

Travel by coach is usually cheaper than by train. Coach companies operating the Highlands include:

**Citylink**

**Stagecoach**

**Rapsons**

**Westcoastmotors**

### Ferries

**CalMac Scottish Island Ferries** -Timetable and booking information for CalMac ferries to the Western Isles.

**Northlink Ferries\_** for ferry services to Orkney and Shetland

### Air travel

**Inverness Airport** provides relevant information on all flights from and to Inverness airport.

**Highlands and Islands Airports** has details of all the airports in the Highlands and Islands.

The following airlines provide service to many Scottish islands:

**Loganair**

**Highland Airways**

**British Airways**

### **Useful URLs**

**Traveline Scotland** <http://www.travelinescotland.com/>

**First ScotRail** <http://www.firstgroup.com/scotrail/index.php>

**GNER** <http://www.gner.co.uk/GNER>

**National Rail Enquiries** <http://ojp1.nationalrail.co.uk/en/pj/jp>

**Trainline** <http://www.thetrainline.com>

**Citylink** <http://www.citylink.co.uk/>

**Stagecoach** <http://www.stagecoachbus.com/>

**Rapsons** <http://www.rapsons.co.uk/>

**Westcoastmotors** <http://www.westcoastmotors.co.uk/>

**CalMac Scottish Island Ferries** <http://www.calmac.co.uk/>

**Northlink Ferries** <http://www.northlinkferries.co.uk/>

**Inverness Airport** <http://www.invernessairport.com/>

**Highlands and Islands Airports** <http://www.hial.co.uk/>

**Loganair** <http://www.loganair.co.uk/>

**Highland Airways** <http://www.highlandairways.co.uk/>

**British Airways** [http://www.britishairways.com/travel/home/public/en\\_gb](http://www.britishairways.com/travel/home/public/en_gb)