

## Directions to Midlands Consortium @ Fort Dunlop

### By Road

#### From the South: M6 North (e.g. from Coventry, Rugby, Northampton etc):

- Exit at **Junction 5**
- At the roundabout take the 3<sup>rd</sup> exit on **A452 (Chester Road)**
- Continue for 0.3 miles to the next roundabout and take the 1<sup>st</sup> exit on to **A47 (Fort Parkway)**
- Continue for 0.5 miles to the next roundabout and taking the 2<sup>nd</sup> exit, continue on **A47**
- Continue for a further 0.6 miles and at the next roundabout take the 4<sup>th</sup> exit onto **Fort Dunlop**

#### From the North: M6 South (e.g. from Stafford, Walsall etc):

- Exit at **Junction 6** and follow exit to **Birmingham (NE)**
- At the roundabout take the 3<sup>rd</sup> exit on to **A38 (Tyburn Road)**
- Continue for 1.0 mile and take the 2<sup>nd</sup> right onto **A4040 (Wheelwright Road)** (signposted Fort Shopping Centre and Star City)
- Continue for 0.3 miles and take the 1<sup>st</sup> exit off roundabout on to **A47 (Fort Parkway)**
- Continue for 0.5 miles to the next roundabout and taking the 3<sup>rd</sup> exit, continue on **A47**
- Continue for 0.5 miles to the next roundabout and take the 1<sup>st</sup> exit onto **Fort Dunlop**

#### From Central Birmingham:

- From the **A38M (Aston Expressway)** exit at **A5127 (towards Lichfield)**
- Continue for 0.2 miles and take the slip road to **A38 (Tyburn Road)**
- Continue as above (M6 North directions)

### By Public Transport

- There is a special shuttle bus that runs from Birmingham New Street train station to Fort Dunlop, from St Martin's Queensway. Exit the station by the main exit, bear left keeping the high wall on your left. Beyond the station car park there are traffic lights, keep going left, don't cross over, and the Fort Dunlop bus stops at one of the bus stops just around the corner. This service costs £1.50.
- Alternatively, if you arrive at Moor Street Station, you can catch the Fort Dunlop bus on the opposite side of Moor Street Queensway (at the back of Marks and Spencer) at the No 50 bus stop.
- Stechford and Erdington train stations are both just over a mile from Fort Dunlop and Birmingham New Street train station is a 20 minute taxi ride.
- For details of door-to-door public transport or road/motorway information, offering several travel options, log onto [www.transportdirect.info](http://www.transportdirect.info)

### Car Parking Charges

Visitors to Fort Dunlop are to park in the 'visitor parking bays'. Car parking charges apply at Fort Dunlop as follows:

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| • 0 – 1.5 hours         | - | free (no return for 2 hours) |
| • Next hour             | - | £2.50                        |
| • 5 hours               | - | £5.00                        |
| • 8 hours               | - | £10.00                       |
| • Overnight/Lost ticket | - | £15.00                       |

**NB:** You will need **coins only** for the ticket machines at Fort Dunlop but you can get change from the Urban Splash office, which is situated on the left hand side of the entrance to the Fort Dunlop building.