Train directions from Newark Airport to Princeton University

**New Jersey Transit (NJ Transit) train** is the most convenient way to get to Princeton from EWR. From the terminals at Newark there is a free “Airtrain” monorail that goes to the Rail-link station. There, you buy a ticket on **NJ Transit to Princeton** (not Princeton Junction), and proceed to track 5. You need the **NJ Transit train** on the **Northeast Corridor (NEC) to Trenton** (not Long Branch). They go every 30-40 minutes during peak times.

You can see the schedule at [njtransit.com](http://njtransit.com) and your ticket is valid for any train on this route. *(DO NOT BUY A TICKET FOR AMTRAK OR TAKE AN AMTRAK TRAIN.)*

The ride takes 40-45 minutes, and you exit at Princeton Junction, and go towards the back of the train on the platform. There, on your left is the one-car train, called the Dinky, which takes you to Princeton in about 5 minutes. The Dinky is usually synchronized with incoming trains from NY in the afternoon. Your NJ Transit ticket that you bought at the airport will work for the Dinky as well.

After disembarking on campus, you have to walk about 10-15 minutes to the Nassau Inn, [http://tinyurl.com/yc8g3rf](http://tinyurl.com/yc8g3rf) or the Palmer House [http://www.princeton.edu/palmerhouse/images/map.jpg](http://www.princeton.edu/palmerhouse/images/map.jpg)

Train directions from NYC Penn Station to Princeton

From NYC Penn Station, take a **NJ Transit train** on the **Northeast Corridor Line** to Princeton Junction and transfer to the Dinky to Princeton.

**You must buy your ticket to Princeton (not Princeton Junction) but get off at Princeton Junction,** and go towards the back of the train on the platform. There, on your left is the one-car train, called the Dinky, which takes you to Princeton in about 5 minutes. The Dinky is usually synchronized with incoming trains from NY in the afternoon.

Look here for details and schedules: [https://www.njtransit.com/](https://www.njtransit.com/)

*Please NOTE: DO NOT use Amtrak from the airport or Penn Station. Amtrak trains should be used for travel from places like Boston, and Washington DC. To get to Princeton University, please use NJ Transit.*