



INFORMATION FOR VISITORS

Lithuania, a charming country in the Baltic region of Europe, is known for its rich history, diverse culture, and picturesque landscapes. As the southernmost of the Baltic states, Lithuania offers a unique blend of medieval architecture, beautiful nature, and modern amenities.

An open and knowledge-based society Lithuania has lots to offer! Lots to see and very small distances!

Kaunas, the second-largest city in Lithuania, is renowned for its rich history, vibrant culture, and picturesque landscapes. Located at the confluence of the Nemunas and Neris rivers, Kaunas offers a unique blend of historical landmarks, modern attractions, and green spaces.



Here are some recommendations on **how to reach Kaunas**, depending on your starting point and preferred mode of transportation:



By Air

Kaunas International Airport (KUN):

Official Kaunas airport webpage: <https://www.kaunas-airport.lt/en/>

Kaunas has its own international airport, located about 14 km from the city center. Several airlines operate direct flights to Kaunas from various European cities. From the airport, you can reach the city center by taxi, rideshare services, or public transportation (bus routes 29 and 29E).

Vilnius International Airport (VNO):

Official Vilnius airport webpage: <http://www.vilnius-airport.lt/en/>

Vilnius has a well-connected international airport, located about 6 km south of the city center. It offers flights from many European cities and beyond. From the airport, **you can reach the city center by:**

- **Taxi or Rideshare:** Available directly outside the arrivals terminal.
- **Bus:** Several bus routes (e.g., 1, 2, 88) connect the airport to various parts of the city.
- **Train:** A shuttle train service runs from the airport to the main train station in Vilnius.



How to get to Kaunas: If you are coming TO KAUNAS FROM VILNIUS AIRPORT

You can choose from three options:

- **The direct bus to Kaunas**

<http://www.ollex.lt/en/express/Vilnius-airport/buy-a-ticket>.

The fare is 15.00 EUR. Bus starts from 9:20 and the last one at 22:00 (depends from week days). You can purchase tickets online up to 2 hours before the actual departure time.

Please note, that bus stops only at the gas station, which is on the edge of the city.

- **The city bus** No.1 or No. 2 goes to the Vilnius train/bus station.

- **The train** which goes from airport to Vilnius railway station (It is recommended to go by train, the trip would take only 7 minutes and the train goes directly to Vilnius railway station without stop)



How to get to Kaunas: If you are coming TO KAUNAS FROM VILNIUS OR OTHER CITY

By train

From Vilnius: Regular trains run between Vilnius and Kaunas, with a journey time of about 1.5 hours. Trains are comfortable and a great way to see the Lithuanian countryside.

From Klaipėda: Trains also connect Kaunas with Klaipėda, with a travel time of around 3-3.5 hours. Trains starts from 4:40 and the last one at 21:00

Tickets can be purchased at the station or online through the Lithuanian Railways website: <https://ltglink.lt/en>

By bus

From Vilnius: Buses from Vilnius to Kaunas are frequent and take about 1.5 hours. Several companies operate this route, including Lux Express and Kautra. Tickets can be bought online or at the bus station.

From Klaipėda or Other Cities: Buses from Klaipėda to Kaunas take around 3-4 hours. Major cities and towns in Lithuania are well-connected to Kaunas by bus services

Tickets can be purchased at the station or online through the website: <https://www.autobusubilietai.lt/en>



By car

From Vilnius: Drive west on the A1 highway (Vilnius-Kaunas-Klaipėda), which is a direct and well-maintained route. The trip takes approximately 1.5 hours.

From Klaipėda: Drive east on the A1 highway. The journey takes about 2.5-3 hours.

From Poland: If you're driving from Poland, take the E67 route (also known as Via Baltica) which connects Poland and the Baltic states, passing through Kaunas.



Kaunas city

Local Transport in Kaunas

Public Transport: Kaunas has an efficient public transport system, including buses and trolleybuses. Tickets can be purchased at kiosks, through mobile apps, or directly from the driver (slightly more expensive). Local transport stops and a schedule TRAFI app (<https://www.trafi.com/>), for online payment Žiogas app.

Taxis and Ride-sharing: Taxis are readily available, and ride-sharing services like Bolt operate in Kaunas (BOLT app).

Car Rentals: Several car rental agencies operate in Kaunas, allowing you to explore the city and surrounding areas at your own pace (BOLT app or CityBee app).

More information: <https://visit.kaunas.lt/en/plan/transport/>

Accommodation

We recommend that you look here for more information:

<https://visit.kaunas.lt/en/plan/accommodation/>

Hotels in Kaunas that we recommend:

Daugirdas Old City Hotel
BEST WESTERN Santakos Hotel
Amberton Cozy Hotel Kaunas
Kaunas City Hotel
Moxy

More options can be found at www.booking.com or www.airbnb.com



Pažaislis Monastery



Must-Visit Attractions

Kaunas Castle – One of the oldest castles in Lithuania, dating back to the 14th century, showcasing the city's medieval history.

Laisvės Alėja (Liberty Avenue) – The longest pedestrian street in Eastern Europe, filled with cafes, shops, and cultural sites.

M. K. Čiurlionis National Art Museum – The largest and oldest art museum in Lithuania, dedicated to the works of the famous Lithuanian artist and composer.

Vytautas the Great War Museum – Exhibits the history of the Lithuanian military from ancient times to the present.

Pažaislis Monastery – A stunning example of Baroque architecture, located in the serene Pažaislis Forest near the Kaunas Reservoir.



Cultural Life

Kaunas is a lively cultural hub with numerous theaters, concert halls, and festivals. The Kaunas State Musical Theatre and Kaunas State Drama Theatre offer a variety of high-quality performances. The city hosts numerous cultural events, including the Kaunas Jazz Festival and the International Kaunas Film Festival.

Nature and Recreation

Kaunas provides ample opportunities to enjoy nature and outdoor activities. Panemunė Forest, Ažuolynas Park, and Santaka Park are ideal for walking, picnicking, and cycling. The Kaunas Reservoir and its surroundings are popular spots for water sports and fishing.

Cuisine

Kaunas boasts a wide array of restaurants, cafes, and bars where you can savor traditional Lithuanian dishes as well as international cuisine. Don't miss trying local specialties such as cepelinai (potato dumplings), šaltibarščiai (cold beet soup), and skilandis (smoked sausage).





Practical Information

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Kaunas invites you to experience its authentic Lithuanian culture, explore its historical treasures, and enjoy vibrant city life.

Steps to help you plan your trip to Kautech

- From a bus station Kauno autobusų stotis į V. Krėvės pr. 114 – „Google“ maps: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/5e1zcXbzc8nWkHhs5>
- From a city center E. Ožėškienės gatvė į V. Krėvės pr. 114 – „Google“ maps: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/veWXJCSCm3vmwdww7>

Transport, Gymnasium, Adults departments - V. Krėvės pr. 114, Kaunas

Wood processing department - Taikos pr. 127B, Kaunas

Mechanics department - Taikos pr. 129, Kaunas

Energy department - Kalantos g. 1A, Kaunas

Construction department - Kalantos g. 80, Kaunas

Social services department - Žeimenos g. 165, Kaunas

Vilkija department - Čekiškės g. 128, Vilkija, Kauno r.



ENJOY YOUR VISIT!