How to get to ESTEC

By Car

ESTEC is located at the southern tip of Noordwijk. Coming from Den Haag (The Hague), take the A44 motorway in the direction Amsterdam/Wassenaar and exit at 'Leiden' (exit 8). Follow the N206 in the direction Katwijk and Haarlem. Take the exit 'Katwijk Noord'. From there follow the signs 'ESA ESTEC' (small white traffic signs).

From Amsterdam, take the A4 in the direction Den Haag-Rotterdam, then at the junction follow the A44. Take the exit Noordwijk-Voorhout, continue to Noordwijk and from there, follow the signs 'ESA ESTEC'.

By Public Transportation

From Leiden Central station, take bus 30 to Katwijk. It stops in front of the entrance gate of ESTEC (the journey takes about 25 minutes). Please note that this bus departures four times an hour during the day, and twice an hour after 19.00 hours. For more information or other busses please consult the journey planner at http://journeyplanner.9292.nl/.

By Plane

From Schiphol airport, either take a taxi to ESTEC (30 minutes), or a train to Leiden (15 minutes) and then bus number 30 (25 minutes). With a rental car, follow the instructions above from Amsterdam.

ESTEC Shuttle Services

ESTEC - Schiphol Airport

A one-way voucher € 13.50.

The driver of the shuttle bus gives the traveller a voucher which serves as a receipt.

Vouchers may be purchased on the bus, however, in order to minimise the waiting time, it is desirable to purchase them before at the ESTEC reception located in the A building. At this moment payment with credit card is not possible.

Several vouchers may be purchased beforehand, yet they can be claimed as travel cost when they are actually used on a mission.

ESTEC to Schiphol – Departure from ESTEC Reception

Monday to Friday:

- 14:30 hrs.
- 15:30 hrs.
- 16:30 hrs.
- 18:00 hrs.

Schiphol to ESTEC – Departure from meeting point:

where the pile of red and white cubes are in the arrival area, see image on the right.

Monday to Friday:

- 08:30 hrs.
- 09:00 hrs.
- 09:45 hrs.
- 19:45 hrs. (with stopover in Noordwijk)
- 20:45 hrs. (with stopover in Noordwijk)

How to reserve shuttle ESTEC ←> Schiphol

Reservations should be made at least one hour in advance directly with **ESTEC Reception:** +31-71-565 4000, **ESTEC.Reception@esa.int** or

Taxi Brouwer: tel. +31-71-361 1000, info@taxibrouwer.nl

Bus shuttles ESTEC - Noordwijk hotels

Noordwijk hotels - ESTEC

Reservations are not necessary; the shuttle will follow a fixed schedule.

A one-way voucher for the shuttle costs €4,50. The driver of the shuttle bus gives the traveller a voucher which serves as a receipt. Vouchers can only be purchased using cash. In order to minimise the waiting time, it is desirable to have the amount ready at hand. No credit card or PIN cards are accepted.

Noordwijk to ESTEC Morning Schedule

Tuesday to Friday:

1st	2nd	3rd	Morning route
07:43	08:20	08:57	Hotels van Oranje (corner Koningin Wilhelminaboulevard/Schuitegat)
07:45	08:22	08:59	Golden Tulip Noordwijk Beach
07:47	08:24	09:01	Prominent Inn Hotel (corner Koningin Wilhelminaboulevard/Olieburg)
07:50	08:27	09:04	Grand Hotel Huis ter Duin (in front of the overhead roof/canopy)
07:52	08:29	09:06	Alexander Hotel
07:54	08:31	09:08	Palace Hotel
08:06	08:43	09:20	ESTEC Gatehouse
			(passengers without a badge must leave the Hotel Shuttle here)
08:08	08:45	09:22	ESTEC Main Reception

Extra shuttle	Morning route	
08:20	Heeren van Noortwijck	
08:23	Hotel Admiraal	
08:30	Hotel Royal	
08:40	ESTEC Gatehouse	
	(passengers without a badge must leave the Hotel Shuttle here)	
08:42	ESTEC Main Reception	

ESTEC to Noordwijk Afternoon Schedule - Departure from ESTEC Reception

Monday to Thursday:

1st	2nd	3rd	Afternoon return route
16:30	17:15	18:00	ESTEC Main Reception
16:44	17:29	18:14	Palace Hotel
16:46	17:31	18:16	Alexander Hotel
16:48	17:33	18:18	Grand Hotel Huis ter Duin (in front of the overhead roof/canopy)
16:52	17:37	18:22	Hotels van Oranje (corner Koningin Wilhelminaboulevard/Schuitegat)
16:54	17:39	18:24	Golden Tulip Noordwijk Beach
16:55	17:40	18:25	Prominent Inn Hotel (corner Koningin Wilhelminaboulevard/Olieburg)

Please note that the shuttle will depart promptly on time. If you miss the shuttle, your voucher can be used as part of the payment of a regular taxi reserved with Taxi Brouwer.

How to make reservations for a Taxi

Reservations should be made at least one hour in advance directly with

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Taxi Brouwer: tel. +31-71-361 1000, info@taxibrouwer.nl

Please note that there are fixed prices for any taxi of Taxi Brouwer from ESTEC to Noordwijk or Schiphol. These fixed all-in prices (VAT included) are :

Schiphol Airport – ESTEC €53 Schiphol Airport – Noordwijk €53 Schiphol Airport – Leiden €53 ESTEC – Schiphol Airport €48 Noordwijk – Schiphol Airport €48 Leiden – Schiphol Airport ESTEC – Noordwijk €11.50 Noordwijk – ESTEC €11.50 ESTEC – Leiden €20 Leiden – ESTEC €20

On any other routes, there is a 15% discount.