This document presents our school policy on access to Clavières and Croupillac. The goals are to:

► Improve traffic flow in and around the institute
► Prevent saturation of the car park area
► Participate in sustainable development policies

Parking are prohibited to individual car users at the Croupillac campus and they are considerably restricted at the Clavières campus. Consequently, other means of transportation (like biking, walking and public transport) are strongly recommended.

The School has negotiated with the public transport company in Alès to co-ordinate bus times with class schedules (see “Taking the bus”, page 7).

In addition to this and in collaboration with the Town of Alès, a study on bike paths from the MDE to the 2 school sites has been carried out and road work will be done to improve these bike paths (see “Biking”, page 15 and “Walking”, page 18).

To facilitate transportation, please find enclosed several information sheets illustrating and detailing the different means of transport. We have added a guide for international students (see “International Access”, page 22).

Finally, specific pages will be added to our internet site. You will be able to find all the plans and schedules elaborated here for getting around the campuses, whatever means of transportation you choose.

Everyone benefits from green transport for several reasons:

• it reduces the harmful ecological impact of certain means of transport,
• biking and public transport are cheaper than a personal vehicle,
• a short trip by bike is often faster than by car!
I. PLANS FOR SCHOOL SITES

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During the school year, you will regularly go to three main campuses: Clavières, Croupillac (Louis Leprince-Ringuet) and the student residence (MDE) « la maison des élèves ».

Here are the plans for each site:

**Clavières plan**

Site de Clavières
6 avenue de Clavières
30100 ALÈS
Maison des élèves plan

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II. TAKING THE BUS
The school encourages the use of public transport, as much as possible, to go from “la maison des élèves” to the two other study sites: Clavières and Croupillac.

**The main addresses are**

- Clavières : 6 avenue de Clavières (near rue Jean Nicot), 30100 Alès.
- Croupillac : 7 rue Jules Renard, 30100 Alès.
- Maison des élèves : 572 chemin du Viget, 30100 Alès.

Available bus lines N° 2, 3 and 20.

**Main bus stops for each bus line**

- **Ligne 2 (L2)** : Train station-Clavières-Croupillac. No stop at “Maison des Elèves” (MDE).
- **Ligne 3 (L3)** : Train station-Clavières-Croupillac-MDE.
- **Ligne 20 (L20)** : Train station-Clavières-Croupillac. No stop at MDE.

**Main bus stops**

- Train station: **Arrêt Gare routière** (Bus terminal) (L2, L3 and L20).
- Clavières: **Arrêt Chantilly** (L2, L3 and L20), **Arrêt Jean Nicot** (L2).
- Croupillac: **Arrêt Jules Renard** (L20) or **Arrêt Marot** (L2 et L3).
- Maison des élèves (MDE): **Arrêt Roussel** (L3).

**Bus company information**

NTECC Agency  
Gare routière  
15 avenue du Général de Gaulle  
30100 Alès  
Tél 04 66 52 31 31  
http://www.ntecc.fr
Transport Service Request for Sundays (TAD – Transport à la demande):

There are no buses on Sundays. Nevertheless taxis are available from the train station to the MDE (corresponding Arrêt gare routière – Arrêt Romain Roussel).

Call 04 66 52 31 31 or go directly to the NTECC agency to book a taxi.

**Reservations must be made by Friday 4:00 PM at the latest.**

It costs 0.90 € per trip if you do not have a subscription. For subscribers, the trip is included.

You can discover all the subscription offers at: [http://www.ntecc.fr/mon-titre-de-transport/titres-tarifs/tous-les-titres-de-transport/](http://www.ntecc.fr/mon-titre-de-transport/titres-tarifs/tous-les-titres-de-transport/)
III. BIKING

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To encourage cycling, here are a few safe and easy tips:

- Biking from the maison des élèves (MDE)

If you live at the MDE, safe bicycle paths to Croupillac and Clavières are clearly marked for you.

Note that biking is a cheap alternative to your personal car.

Here is the cycling route:
● Biking from the train station

Please find the plan below for commuter train users coming to the school:

Because of one-way streets and for safety reasons, please follow suggested routes there and back.

For Clavières, go left on boulevard Talabot from the station. To return to the station take avenue Pierre Coiras.
IV. WALKING
Below are suggested plans and routes for pedestrians.

Here are the distances between each site:

1 km  
800 m  
1.5 km

Gare — Clavières — Croupillac — MDE

It takes approximately 18 minutes between MDE and Croupillac plus 10 minutes from Croupillac to Clavières.
Go right as you leave the station and take the stairs on the right to walk over the walk-way bridge. This is a shortcut which will take you over to the other side of the railway tracks.
Pedestrian plan from the MDE to the school (Clavières). Contrary to the bike path, you can take avenue Vincent d'Indy.

**MDE to School Route**
V. INTERNATIONAL ACCES

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Map of France

This map represents the main airports and railway lines (TGV and TER) as well as the distances between big cities and Alès. TGV (train à grande vitesse) is the high speed train while TER is the regular commuter train.

À partir d’Alès :
- Paris : 675 km
- Bordeaux : 500 km
- Pau : 485 km
- Toulouse : 310 km
- Lyon : 245 km
- Marseille : 160 km
- Montpellier : 75 km
- Nîmes : 45 km

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Depending on which airport you land at, take a train to Nîmes and then a small TER commuter train or TER bus to Alès. From the station in Alès, take bus line N° 20 or 21 to the MDE.

Arrival at Marseille airport please note:

Shuttles from the airport to the train station leave every 20 minutes. Take the TGV or TER train to Nîmes and then Alès.