Tsukuba Center つくばセンター



Center for Computational Sciences (CCS), Uniersity of Tsukuba 筑波大学 計算科学研究センター

1. Meet at #6 bus stop of Tsukuba Center bus terminal at 8:40 am, Nov. 12(Mon.)

Some local people will meet you to guide to the School site. Please prepare an exact fare of the bus (270 yen in cash) or IC traffic card (SUICA or PASMO) in advance.

2. Local bus service

General

There is a frequent local bus service between Tsukuba Center and the campus of University of Tsukuba. From Tsukuba Center to the University campus, take Kanto-Tetsudo bus at the bus stop #6. See the map of the bus stop in Tsukuba Center bus terminal:

https://kantetsu.co.jp/bus/busstop_tsukuba_center.html

There are three destinations of buses leaving the bus stop #6:

- (1) Tsukuba Center to Tsukuba Daigaku Chuo
 - つくばセンター → 筑波大学中央
- (2) Tsukuba Center to University Campus Circular Route: Clockwise つくばセンター → 筑波大学循環[右回り] [C10]
- (3) Tsukuba Center to University Campus Circular Route: Counter-Clockwise つくばセンター → 筑波大学循環[左回り] [C10]

Take bus of (1) or (2). Bus of (3) takes 10 min more time. Fare is the same (270 yen). Get off at Dai-Ichi Area Mae (第一エリア前) . The CCS building is at the opposite side of the bus stop, if you ride the bus of (1) or (2).

From CCS to Tsukuba Center, take a bus at the bus stop of Dai-Ichi Area Mae (第一エリア前) in the side of the CCS building. Any bus goes to Tsukuba Center. (Some buses go further.)

How to ride a local bus (from Tsukuba Center to CCS)

- 1. **Take the bus from #6 bus stop** at Tsukuba Center bus terminal.
- 2. **Get on the bus** from the back door. When you get on, **take a number ticket (small paper)** from a small machine next to the door. [If you use IC card (SUICA, PASMO), you need

- to touch your card to the sensor, instead of taking the number ticket.]
- 3. **Push button** near the seat when you hear an announcement of the bus stop you are getting off, to notify the driver.
- 4. **Prepare exact fare, 270 yen.** If you do not have exact fare, prepare exact fare using the changing machine close to the driver. The changing machine accepts 1000 yen bills and 500, 100, 50 yen coins.
- 5. **Pay when you get off.** Put in the number ticket first, and then put in the exact fare (270 yen). [If you use IC card, touch your card on the IC-reader near the driver.]



Bus route from Tsukuba Center to the university campus.

3. Walk

The distance from Tsukuba Center to Center for Computational Sciences (CCS), University of Tsukuba is about 3km. If the weather is fine, it will be a comfortable walk. There is a pedestrian way, from south to north connecting EPOCHAL Tsukuba (Symposium site), Tsukuba center, and the university campus. However, it is not easy to find the building of CCS, since it cannot be seen from the pedestrian way. Please prepare a map in hand.