On Campus Parking Information

Friday p.m. Parking is \$8.00 in the lots (Register online) or hourly in the visitor section of all parking decks

Saturday: LOT "A" is FREE

Saturday: Parking Deck \$8.00

- Easiest parking option is the visitors section of parking decks
 - o Rappahannock
 - Mason Pond
 - o Shenandoah

http://parking.gmu.edu/GMU FairfaxMap14 Parking.pdf

You get a ticket on the way in and pay on the way out for the amount of hours you spent on campus

- Metered parking is available in Finley Lot, and visitor sections of the parking decks.
- Weekend rates are listed at http://parking.gmu.edu/visitorsparkingrates.html
- Daily permits: the Field House parking lots (M, O, & P) can be purchased online.
- Visit <u>http://parking.gmu.edu/</u> click on "Purchase Your Permit" and scroll down to "Get Permits." You will need to create a guest account to purchase a permit.
- Visit <u>http://parking.gmu.edu/</u> or send any general parking question to <u>parking@gmu.edu</u> for any further information you may need.
- Special events + construction activity: Parking policy and availability are subject to change.

On & Around Campus Transportation

- City of Fairfax: offers public transportation
 - Great to get around Fairfax, includes Old Town, and the nearest Metro station in Vienna.
- This mode accepts cash
- A one-way ticket is \$1.75 in exact change or SmartTrip card.
- Cue Bus: picks up at Rappahannock River Lane adjacent to the Rappahannock River Parking Deck and Alan & Sally Merten Hall.
- More information, for bus schedules, pricing, maps and more, visit: <u>http://www.fairfaxva.gov/government/public-works/transportation-division/cue-bus</u>

Visiting the Nation's Capital

- Best two options: The metro or driving
- Driving to DC:
 - Takes approximately 30 minutes with no traffic, but you should always plan for delays. Once inside the beltway, I-66 operates solely as HOV +2 lanes during rush hour times (5:30-9:30AM eastbound & 3-7PM westbound M-F).
 - Toll roads are also available to avoid most traffic.
 - Once downtown, two hour street parking is available in select areas at select times for approximately \$2/hour while many parking garages are also available for approximately \$25/day.
- Metro:
 - Likely to be the easiest way to get into the city.
 - Closest Station to GMU: Vienna/Fairfax station Orange Line
 - Located approximately 15 minutes away.
 - Parking costs \$4.85/day on weekdays and the station offers free parking on weekends.
 - Takes about 11-12 stops to get downtown.
 - Fares are based on distance traveled and vary from peak and off peak times.
- Uber
 - Some locals prefer Uber to get around DC
 - \circ $\;$ For a group: Maybe more cost effective in many cases than public transportation or cab.
 - For additional information on fares, maps, and more
 Visit: <u>http://www.wmata.com/rail/station_detail.cfm?station_id=103</u>