

# HOW TO GET TO DHAMMA PALLAVA



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## CENTER ADDRESS

Dhamma Pallava,  
Vipassana Meditation Center  
Dziadowice 3a  
62-709 Malanów, Poland

## Map

[Here](#) you'll find a link to a Google map.  
Coordinates: 51°59'21.8"N 18°20'04.2"E

## Contact numbers:

**Dhamma Pallava Center landline +48 504 340 425**

(Contact for family or friends in case of emergencies during the course)

**Czech mobile line +420 770 669 635**

## WHEN SHOULD I ARRIVE

**Registration for the course closes at 6 pm** on the starting day of the course. Therefore, please come to the center between 2:30 pm and 5 pm, so that you have enough time to register and check-in. **Should you arrive later, please let us know by calling +420 770 669 635.**

## HOW TO GET TO THE CENTER

Below you can find options how to get to Dhamma Pallava.

### Driving

Drive north - see the maps below

Comming from Prague: <http://bit.ly/2wsb28L>

Comming from Brno: <http://bit.ly/2erV58L>

Comming from Ostrava: <http://bit.ly/2esgcrw>

Comming from the nearest town Turek: <https://goo.gl/maps/FtTMM>

When you reach Dziadowicz, follow the main road. You will pass a small primary school on your right. About 50 m after the school the tarmac road ends and becomes a dirt track forest access road. Continue straight through the forest (for about 1 km). Turn left at the sign to Dhamma Pallava. Continue straight for about 200 m and you will see the center on your right. You can leave your car in the fenced parking lot.

## Rideshare

If you would like to get a lift or you are travelling by car and can offer someone a lift, then you can use [Rideshare Board](#) (Please note we do not contact the participants regarding shared transportation).

You may also try to use the public rideshare platform [Blablacar](#).

## PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Note that there is no public transportation available all the way to the center.

You can find your train and bus connections through [Google maps](#) or using [e-podroznik](#) (Polish bus and train connection search engine - available also in English). You should come to Malanow (a village 8 km from Dhamma Pallava) or Turek (a small town about 12 km from Dhamma Pallava).

*Please, make all your homeward travel arrangements from Malanow or Turek before the course starts. You will not be able to use your mobile phone, iPad, tablet or any other internet device until after the end of the course.*

## Train or bus

The largest cities close to the center are Łódź a Wrocław.

To find connections between these cities and the Czech Republic you can use the search engine [IDOS](#) (available in English) and offers from transport companies such as [Regiojet](#) or [Flixbus](#) (both websites available in English). After that you will need to get on a bus and continue to the towns of Turek or Malanow.

For connections in Poland, you can use [e-podroznik](#) (Polish bus and train connection search engine - available also in English).

For the last part of the journey (from Malanow or Turek to the center) you can **use one of the local taxi services**. Please see [this link](#) for contacts

We organize a **paid shuttle taxi** from Turek via Malanow on the day when the course starts (Day 0). Please [this link](#) for details.

## Air

As for European low-cost airlines, [Wizzair](#) offers flights from Bratislava to Warsaw. For flights from Prague to Warsaw you can use [Czech Airlines](#). For subsequent connections from Warsaw to the towns of Turek or Malanow you can use [e-podroznik](#) (Polish bus and train connection search engine - available also in English).

For the last part of the journey (from Malanow or Turek to the center) you can use one of the **local taxi services**.

## Local Taxi Contacts

Tomek Taxi: +48 601 773 863

Other taxi drivers from Turek: +48 607 604 979; +48 888 446 887;  
+48 601 695 439

## Paid Shuttle Taxi from Turek & Malanov

The taxi (marked with the Vipassana sign) will be waiting at the **Turek bus station entrance** at **14:30, 15:30, 17:30** and, 15 minutes later, at the **Malanow bus stop** at **14:45, 15:45, 17:45**.

If more than 6 people need a ride, the car will do two runs. Price per person is 5€ or 20 PLN.

If you need help finding a suitable connection, please let us know by email at [transport@cz.dhamma.org](mailto:transport@cz.dhamma.org)

## ORGANIZED TRANSPORT

As you can see, the trip to/from this center from/to the Czech Republic or Slovakia using public transport is rather complicated, time-consuming, and costly. To make things easier we decided to offer a charter bus.

The idea is to provide transport for the students to the center and back with the bus from Prague (it would be possible to get on the bus in Pardubice as well). Details will be specified after we see how much interest there is among confirmed course applicants.

Expected bus departures:

- **from Prague** to the meditation center - at the start of the course (Day 0) around 7:30 am
- from the meditation center **back to Prague**, after the course finishes (on Day 11) around 10:00 am

The estimated travel time for the route is approximately 8 hours. The return ticket costs 2000 CZK.

You can reserve a place on the bus for both trips only (there and back). Your place will be booked only after your payment of the full price (2000 CZK).

Please note that the payment is **NON-REFUNDABLE**.

If the course does not take place due to the epidemiological situation (COVID-19), payments will be refunded in full.

*In case you would like to use this charter bus under the conditions above, please email [transport@cz.dhamma.org](mailto:transport@cz.dhamma.org) as soon as possible. In your reply, please indicate whether you wish to get on the bus in Prague or in Pardubice.*

Payment instructions will be sent to you after you confirm your interest. We will notify you as soon as we receive your payment and will provide you with the details regarding the time and place of departure.

## **USEFUL CONTACTS**

**Dhamma Pallava landline:** +48 504 340 425

(Contact for family or friends in case of emergencies during the course)

**Czech & Slovak Vipassana mobile:** +420 770 669 635

(Course registration matters, assistance with transport)

**E-mail address** for letting us know about your interest in organized transport: [transport@cz.dhamma.org](mailto:transport@cz.dhamma.org)