

A student-led speedrunning marathon in the UK for SpecialEffect

**Starting 01/02/2020** 

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# **Welcome to WASD 2020**

Warwick's Awesome Speedruns and Demos is a two-day speedrunning event run by students at the University of Warwick, UK, raising money for SpecialEffect (<a href="https://www.specialeffect.org.uk/">https://www.specialeffect.org.uk/</a>).

Want to participate? You can find the signup link at <a href="http://wasd.warwick.ga">http://wasd.warwick.ga</a>.

## **Getting Here**

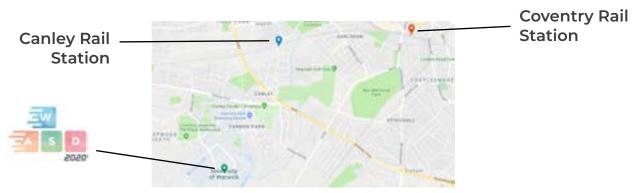
WASD takes place at the University of Warwick, on the outskirts of Coventry (Postcode CV4 7AL).

### Arriving by rail?

Coventry Rail Station is well placed to get to the University campus through a 12 minute bus ride on the 12X (by National Express). These can be caught from right outside the station and will then arrive on campus at the bus interchange. Alternatively, Canley station is an approximate 30 minute walk away from Campus, however less major rail services travel through it.

### Arriving by car?

The University is positioned on the South-West outskirts of Coventry (not the town of Warwick). There is a lot of pay and display parking available on campus, however please bear in mind that these car parks can often get quite busy during the day time. For more information check the University's advice at <a href="https://warwick.ac.uk/about/visiting/directions/car/">https://warwick.ac.uk/about/visiting/directions/car/</a>.



**Please note** - the exact location on campus will be confirmed closer to the date, we'll put this information up on our website!

## **Staying Nearby?**

If you are coming from further afield and wish to stay overnight in the local area, there are a wide range of hotels available in central Coventry, which are a short walk away from any bus-routes to the University Campus. We have listed a few of these for convenience, however there are many more, and we are not affiliated with any of these.

There are two Premier Inns in Coventry, both reasonably close to the 12X/11 bus-routes.

#### Belgrade Plaza - CV1 4AH

Close to Coventry Pool Meadow Bus Station, which the 12X/11 stops at. https://www.premierinn.com/gb/en/hotels/england/west-midlands/coventry/coventry-city-centre-belgrade-plaza.html

#### Earlsdon Park - CV1 3BH

Approximately a 15 minute walk away from the closest 12X/11 bus-stops. https://www.premierinn.com/gb/en/hotels/england/west-midlands/coventry/coventry-city-centre-earlsdon-park.html

Alternatively, there are a few other hotels that you can stay at, including:

#### Britannia Hotel - CV1 5RP

Opposite the Coventry Pool Meadow Bus Station, which the 12X/11 stops at. <a href="https://www.britanniahotels.com/hotels/the-britannia-hotel-coventry">https://www.britanniahotels.com/hotels/the-britannia-hotel-coventry</a>

#### ibis Coventry Centre Hotel - CV1 2LN

A 10 minute walk away from Coventry Rail Station.

https://www.accorhotels.com/qb/hotel-2793-ibis-coventry-centre/index.shtml

#### Ashleigh House (B&B) - CV1 2LE

A 5 minute walk away from Coventry Rail Station.

http://www.ashleighguesthouse.net/