

Hong Kong Airport to Bethany

There is one way to get to Cheung Chau: by ferry. The ferries are frequent (roughly every 15-20 mins) and the boat ride is pretty comfortable. If you want more comfort, there is a Deluxe class, complete with air conditioning, for a little bit more money.

Below we have a quick comparison of the ferry options:

Mode	Price	Time	Links
Ordinary Ferry (departs from Central Pier 5)	From HKD 14.80	~1 hour	See the timetable here
Fast Ferry (departs from Central Pier 5)	From HKD 29.20	~35 minutes	See the timetable here
Inter-Island Ferry (Cheung Chau -> Chi Ma Wan -> Peng Chau)	From HKD 14.50	~1 hour	See the timetable here

The Inter-Island Ferry is not the most efficient way to get to Cheung Chau but it may well be the most picturesque. The ferry does a circuit along the following route: Peng Chau -> Mui Wo -> Chi Ma Wan -> Cheung Chau

A. From the Airport to Hong Kong Island/Central

There are **3** ways to get to Central from the airport.

1. **Fastest and easiest route, Airport Express Train:** taking the airport express to Hong Kong Station is the easiest way to get to Central. It is a dedicated MTR line that connects HKG Airport to the city center. See prices [here](#).

To take the Airport Express from HKG Airport, follow these steps:

1. Head to the Airport Express platforms, which are located on the basement level of Terminal 1 or the departures level of Terminal 2.
2. Buy a ticket at the ticketing counter or from one of the vending machines. One-way fares for the Airport Express start at HKD \$100 for adults and HKD \$50 for children. Prices are slightly cheaper if you pay for the ride with an Octopus card as opposed to a single-ride ticket.
3. At this point in time, depending on how long your trip is, you can also purchase a round-trip ticket, a Tourist Day Pass (which allows you unlimited travel on the MTR and other modes of public transportation, excluding Airport Express), or an Octopus card (best for stays of longer than 2 days).
4. Board the train. The Airport Express runs every 10-12 minutes, and the journey to Hong Kong Station takes about 30 minutes.
5. Disembark at Hong Kong Station. From here, you can walk to the Central Ferry Pier (via IFC mall)

2. **Cheapest route, Bus:** A bus to Central. See location and information [here](#).

To Take the Bus:

1. You'll need to follow the signs for the bus terminal at HKG airport. The bus terminal will be this large outdoor area that has separate signs for all the different buses departing for the airport.
2. Look for the signpost for the bus you need to take. If the bus that you need has not arrived yet, you can line up along the railings and wait for it to come.
3. Once the bus arrives, simply pay with cash or tap your Octopus card before hopping onboard. There is no need to re-tap once you get off.

3. **Convenient but pricey route, TAXI:** Taxis are readily available outside the airport terminal, and they offer a convenient way to get anywhere in Hong Kong. The journey takes about 30-40 minutes and costs around HKD 250-350 (\$32-45 USD), depending on traffic. Take note there are three types of taxis in Hong Kong. The red taxi will take you to Hong Kong Island and into Central. Airport staff will be stationed in front of the taxi stand asking passengers where they are headed. You can get an estimated cost (as well as a hotline number) from them before getting in a taxi.

To take a taxi from HKG Airport:

1. Head to the taxi stand, located outside the arrivals level of Terminal 1 or Terminal 2. Inside the airport, you'll find signs pointing you to the taxi area.
2. Join the taxi line and wait for a taxi to become available. Go to the **red** urban taxi.
3. Tell the taxi driver your destination and pay the fare. Be sure to have local currency or a valid Octopus card ready to pay the fare.

B. Gong from Hong Kong Island/Central to Cheung Chau

- Exit the station and head to the Central Ferry Piers (you can walk through IFC mall)
- Locate Central Ferry Pier 5
- Check the First Ferry schedule for the next departing ferry. Schedule is [here](#)
- Tap your Octopus or pay cash at the kiosk, go through turnstiles, and board the ferry
- Expect crowds during weekends and public holidays