

## Travel and Accommodation Information

Iowa State University is located in Ames, Iowa. Interstate 35 runs north and south just east of Ames, and U.S. Highway 30 runs east and west just south of campus.

If you are traveling to Ames by air, you will fly into the Des Moines International Airport, where you may rent a car or hire ground transportation to Ames.

If you are traveling to Ames via Interstate 35, take Exit 111B labeled "30 West." Travel west on Highway 30, then take Exit 146, the "Elwood Drive/ISU" exit. Drive north on Elwood Drive to Lincoln Way (the fourth traffic light). Continue north and Elwood will curve to the left (west) and become Pammel Drive. At the first stop light (Haber Road), turn left (south). Next turn right (west) and park in Lot 41. Do not park in Reserved Parking (west end of lot). The Seed Science Center is the red brick building to the west of Wallace Road.

### Directions to Ames from the Des Moines International Airport:

Proceed out of airport parking lot and turn right (south) onto Fleur Drive.

Drive south on Fleur Drive to highway 5, turn left onto highway 5 (east).

Proceed east on highway 5, highway 5 becomes I-65 north. Proceed north on I-65 to I-80.

Next, stay in left lane and merge onto I-80 West, proceed west on I-80 to the I-80/I-35 exchange.

Turn right onto I-35 North. Follow I-35 North to the Highway 30 exit (#111B).

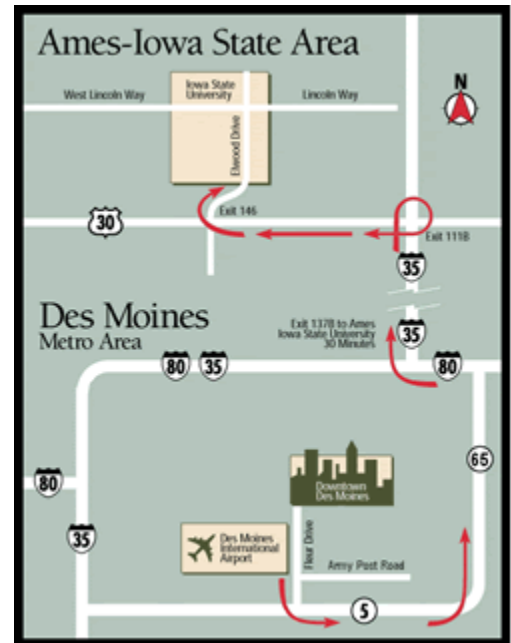
Take the Highway 30 exit (#111B) west towards Ames.

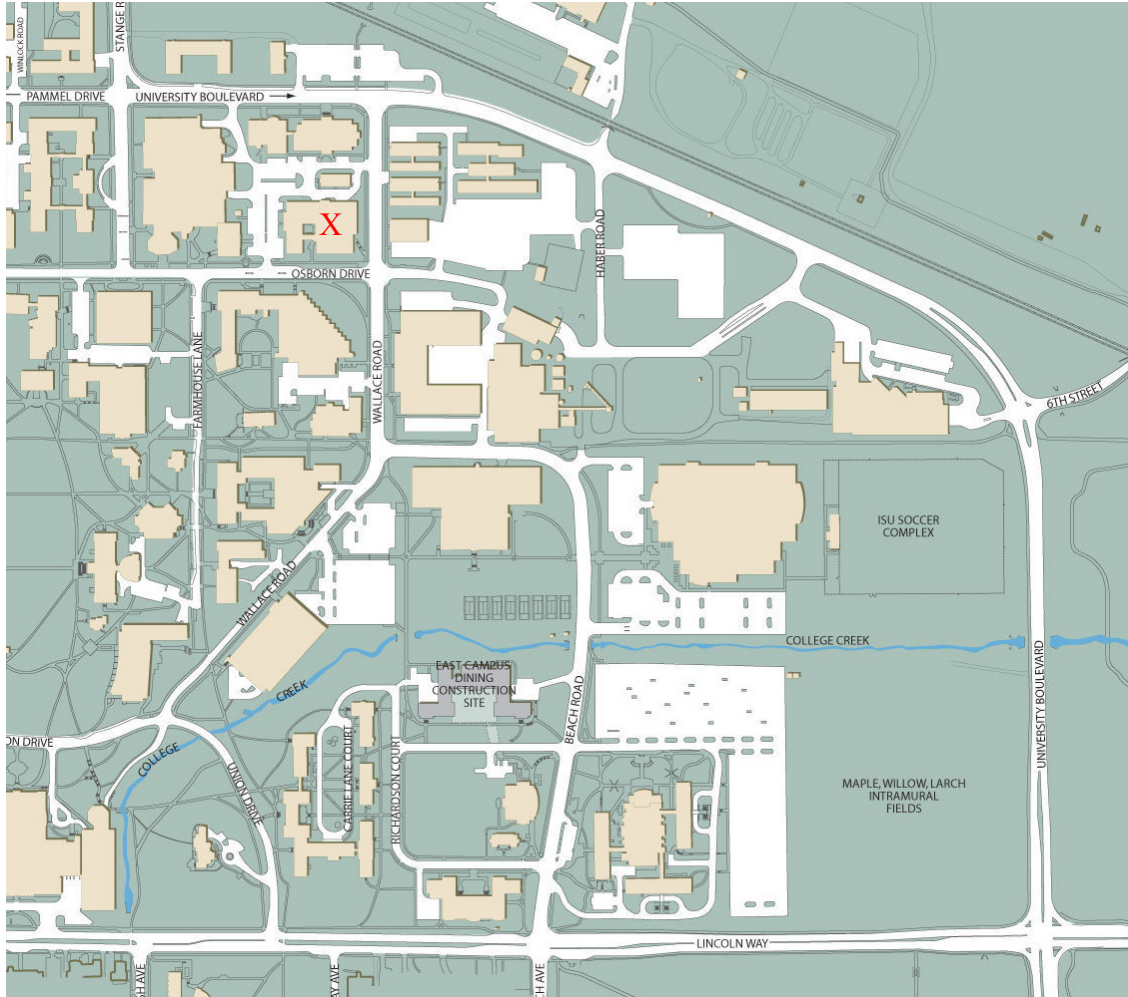
Exit Highway 30 at the "Elwood Drive/ISU" exit (#146)

Drive north on University Boulevard to Lincoln Way (the fourth traffic light). Continue north and University Boulevard will curve to the left (west) and become Pammel Drive. At the second stop light (Wallace Road), turn left (south).

The Seed Science Center is the red brick building to the west of Wallace Road.

Please note University Boulevard used to be called Elmwood Drive.





ISU Campus Map

**Accommodations:**

Baymont Inn & Suites (515) 296-2500  
 Comfort Inn (800) 228-5150  
 Country Inn and Suites (800) 456-4000  
 Heartland Inn (800) 334-3277  
 Hotel at Gateway Center (800) 367-2637  
 ISU Memorial Union (515) 292-1111  
 Quality Inn at Starlite Village (800) 903-0009  
 University Inn (515) 232-0280

AmericInn (800) 634-3444  
 Comfort Suites (515) 268-8808  
 Hampton Inn (800) 426-7866  
 Holiday Inn Express (800) 465-4329  
 Howard Johnson Express (800) 798-8363  
 Microtel Inn and Suites (877) 422-5250  
 Super 8 Motel (800) 800-8000

- Baymont Inn & Suites, Hotel at Gateway Center, and Comfort Suites are located south of U.S. 30 on Elwood Drive.