Directions to the Dana Greenhouses at the Arnold Arboretum
1050 Centre Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

See map on reverse.

By Subway
Take the MBTA Orange Line to its southern end - Forest Hills. Exit the station at the upper level and cross Washington Street. Walk uphill on the sidewalk parallel to the Arborway down-ramp to the Arboretum’s Forest Hills Gate. Enter through the gate and follow the paved road past the ponds and uphill to the Centre Street Gate. Exit and turn right on the sidewalk and proceed to the entrance to the Dana Greenhouse Facility at 1050 Centre Street. (Approx. 20 minutes).

By Bus
From Forest Hills T, take the Wren Street Bus, # 38 to Faulkner Hospital. Cross the street at the lights and walk inbound (downhill) past the Arboretum’s Centre Street Gate to the Dana Greenhouse entrance on the right.

By Car
From Boston and Cambridge
Take Storrow Drive west to the Kenmore Square/Fenway Route 1 south exit. Bear left. Follow signs for Fenway/Route 1 south. Bear right onto Boylston Street, following signs for Boylston Street Outbound/Riverway Route 1. Continue on Boylston for 0.4 miles at which point it turns into Brookline Avenue. Stay on Brookline Avenue for 1/2 mile. Take a left onto the Riverway/Jamaicaway. Follow Riverway/Jamaicaway to a rotary at Jamaica Pond (on your right). Follow signs for South Dedham/Providence. Enter the next rotary and take the first exit onto Route 203 east towards Faulkner Hospital. Go past Faulkner Hospital, get into the left lane and turn left onto Walter Street to safely reverse direction. Return to Centre Street and head inbound past Faulkner Hospital. The Dana Greenhouse entrance will be on the right.

From the north
Take Route 93 south or Route 1 south to Storrow Drive west. Follow directions above for travel from Boston and Cambridge.

From the south
Take Route 128/95 north to exit 15 A/Providence Highway. Follow through Dedham for 3.2 miles. At this point the road becomes the VFW Parkway. Follow 2.8 miles to rotary. Go halfway around rotary (second right), staying on VFW Parkway. Go 0.6 miles to traffic light. Turn left at light onto Centre Street. After passing Faulkner Hospital on the left, get into the right lane and prepare for a right turn into the Dana Greenhouse entrance. The entrance is just beyond the Arboretum’s Centre Street Gate.

From the south via the Southeast Expressway (Route 3/93)
From either the north or south, take Exit #11 (Granite Avenue/Ashmont). At the end of Granite Avenue, turn left onto Gallivan Boulevard/Route 203 west. Follow Route 203 through Dorchester and Mattapan. Along the way, Route 203/Gallivan Blvd. becomes Route 203/Morton Street. Continue on Route 203/Morton Street through a large intersection with Blue Hill Avenue, past Franklin Park, to the rotary at Forest Hills Cemetery. Continue straight (halfway around the rotary) on Route 203 and go over the overpass. At the next set of lights, turn left to enter the rotary. Go three fourths of the way around the rotary to Centre Street, following signs for Faulkner Hospital. Go past Faulkner Hospital, get into the left lane and turn left onto Walter Street to safely reverse direction. Return to Centre Street and head inbound past Faulkner Hospital. The Dana Greenhouse entrance will be on the right.
From the west via Route 9
Take Route 9 east to exit marked West Roxbury/Hyde Park, across from Chestnut Hill Mall. Bear right onto Hammond Pond Parkway. Follow for 0.9 miles to rotary. Take third street at rotary (Newton Street). Follow for 0.4 miles to STOP sign. Bear left, still on Newton Street, and follow for 0.4 miles to gas station. Take right around station. Take first left onto Allandale Road. At the end of Allandale Road, turn left onto Centre Street. The Dana Greenhouse entrance will be on the right.

From the west via the Massachusetts Turnpike

Parking at the Dana Greenhouses
Parking is available in designated spaces and along the greenhouse drive for weekday, evening, and weekend classes (unless otherwise directed). Do not block any entrances to the shrub and vine garden or access drives surrounding the greenhouse facility. Please do not park on the grass.

Note: Please be aware of Arboretum visitors and employees as well as Arboretum equipment and vehicles when parking and leaving our facilities.