

Portland

The Portland Travel [website](#) is a treasure trove of information. Some of the most helpful pages for a Portland 101 Orientation are:

[Getting Here and Around Town](#) - Everything you need to know about arriving in Portland by plane or train and learn how easy it is to travel by light rail, streetcar, bus, bike, foot or car.

- [Maps](#) - Find maps of the city and region and specialized transportation maps.
- [Food & Drink](#) - “This is a place where every conversation inevitably leads back to food. With its chic bistros, buzzy new contemporary spots, and charming little cafés, Portland continues to be one of this country’s finest food cities.” ([bon appetit](#), 2024)
- [Activities & Attractions](#) - Portland's unexpected attractions range from gardens and museums, doughnuts and books, while tax-free shopping, and outdoor recreation top the to-do list. The Portland Art Museum is an easy walk from PSU campus (<0.5 mi) and other nearby (<1.5 mi) attractions include OMSI, Powell’s City of Books, the Lan Su Chinese Gardens, and Voodoo Doughnuts. The [Portland aerial tram](#) at OHSU connects Portland's South Waterfront and Marquam Hill, providing scenic views of the area.
- [Hiking](#) - Portland is home to a network of regional trails that wind through beautiful forests. Paved paths along the Willamette River near PSU and OHSU are great for walking, jogging, and bike riding. Right next to OHSU is the Tilikum Crossing Bridge, which lands you just a few hundred feet from OMSI.
- [The Near Me Now App](#) is a great resource for people to download before they come.
- [Downtown Food & Drinks Map](#) - Comprehensive map of downtown restaurants
- [Portland Guide and Map](#) - Map for central area of downtown with recommended attractions