Visitor lots – “Area 3” is recommended; a small lot (“Area 2”) is adjacent to the Student Center. Both are shown in green. Please do NOT park in W03, nearby.

Visitors may also park in metered spaces (labeled “M” on map) – check meter for hours of enforcement. Closest meters are on Cherry St. (very few), along Fowler St., and metered lot (Area 7) at the bottom of a hill on Bobby Dodd Way. These are also shown in green.

From North Ave., enter campus at Cherry St. (small street sign; look for brick campus sign) Turn LEFT at stop sign onto Ferst Dr.) – note: Cherry St. is pedestrian-only beyond this intersection. Additional campus entrances are on 5th St. (parallel to North Ave.) ; Tech Parkway ; from 10th St. - Hemphill Ave., State St., and Fowler St. ; and from North Ave., Techwood Dr. Construction note: until early fall 2011, Bobby Dodd Way stops at . Further street closings due to steam repair are possible.
Note: Ferst Dr. wraps around campus, and becomes 5th street – easy access to Midtown.
After parking: enter the Student Center (veer left for the elevator) and go down one level to the 1st floor and exit. Proceed along the “Tech Walk” (formerly Skiles Walkway). The Library main entrance is at the top of steps (about 57 - several landings, though). For elevator access, enter the new Clough building, and use elevator to the 4th floor. Exit left to the Library.

Two options for less distance:

On Ferst Dr., there is a new cut-out and very small parking lot. This lot is before the Student Center; just beyond the (new) Trolley turnaround stop (note: you cannot drive into the turnaround).

Consider being dropped off (very quickly) at the corner of Cherry St. & Ferst Dr. (marked on map - ●); the library is straight ahead, about 200 yards away, at the end of Cherry St.

For detailed driving instructions, see: http://www.library.gatech.edu/about/directions.php - or, the “Directions” and “Parking” boxes on the Visitor Info. page of this Guide.

For detailed handicapped info. for the campus, see: http://www.adapts.gatech.edu/plugins/content/index.php?id=61

For detailed construction FAQs, see: http://www.facilities.gatech.edu/notices2.php?id-171

Taking MARTA (use Midtown station)

Tech Trolley to campus: The trolley connects passengers from MARTA’s Midtown Station (south exit, Peachtree Place NE) to the Georgia Tech campus. Two options to disembark:

Fastest (but requires walking up a hill; no direct route) – Get off at the corner of 5th st. and Fowler (baseball field). Walk South on Fowler, turn right at the parking garage (end of street) and then left at stop sign (Fowler continues). Walk towards the stadium (south) to the end of the street, and then turn right. Walk up the hill to the library entrance. Allow about 30 minutes total.

Slowest (but minimal walking to Library; flat route) – Get off at the new trolley turnaround. Walk north towards the new Clough building and “Tech Walk” (formerly Skiles Walkway). For elevator access, enter Clough building, use elevator to 4th floor. Exit left to Library. Or, at Tech Walk, go up steps (about 57 – several landings though) to library’s main entrance. Allow about 40 minutes total.

(note: if you use North Ave. MARTA station, North Ave. has one lane closed due to construction; there is no sidewalk on Tech side of street).

Source for map: parking website: http://www.parking.gatech.edu/ Patricia Kenly, Jan.2011
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