

NCWG 9 Logistics:

Power / electricity:

- In United Kingdom the supply voltage is 230V.
- Follow [THIS](#) link for support information on travel adaptors.
- This is the standard plug shape:

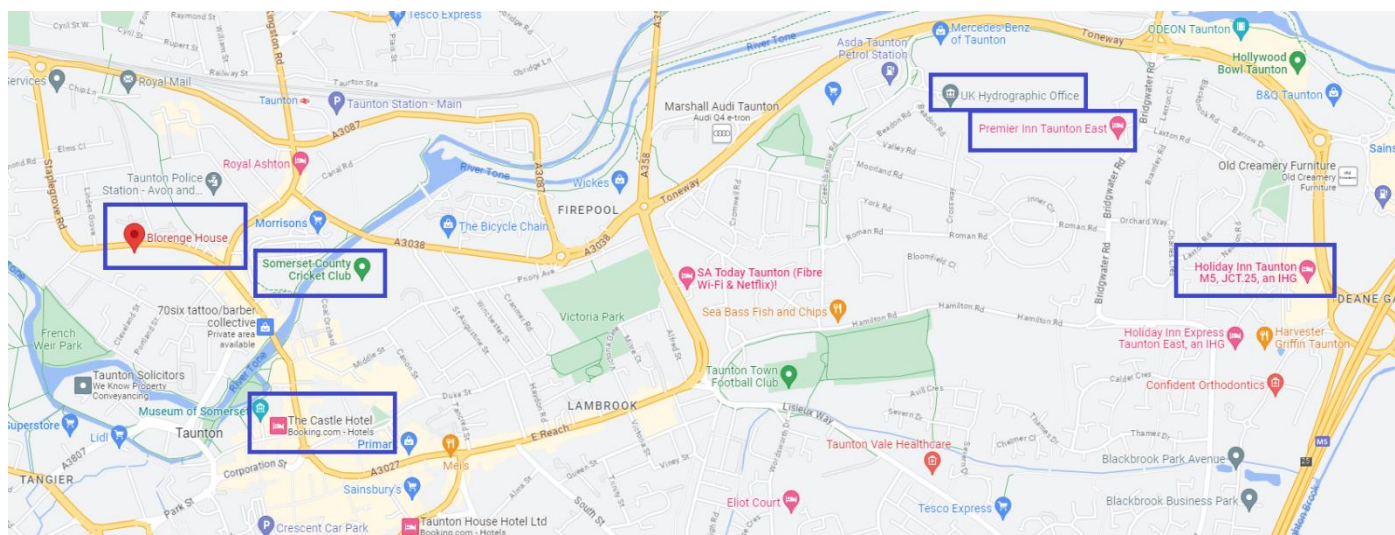


Visas:

- A Standard Visitor visa costs £100 for up to 6 months. The earliest you can apply is 3 months before you travel. If you visit the UK regularly, you can choose to apply for a long-term Standard Visitor visa instead.
- Follow [THIS](#) link to check if you need a visa to visit the UK.

Taunton Hotels:

- [Bloreng House](#) (estimated 25-minute walk to UKHO)
- [The Castle Hotel](#) (estimated 20-minute walk to UKHO)
- [Holiday Inn Taunton](#) (estimated 10-minute walk to UKHO)
- [Premier Inn Taunton](#) (estimated 5-minute walk to UKHO)
- The map below shows the relative distances of the hotels, plus the location of UKHO and Somerset County Cricket Ground for any cricket fans.



Connections:

- A train journey between Heathrow airport and Taunton is approximately 2.5 hours
- A train journey between Gatwick airport and Taunton is approximately 3 hours

About Taunton?

- Taunton is the county town of Somerset, England, with a 2011 population of 69,570. Its thousand-year history includes a 10th-century monastic foundation, Taunton Castle. Our county town of Somerset is in the heart of the West Country, our town has a good selection of independent and high street shops, distinctive restaurants, cafes and attractions, and a wealth of history, all whilst being surrounded by picturesque countryside.
- [Local events information](#)
- [Rail connectivity within Somerset advice](#): to support your train journeys by rail if you wish to do any sight seeing before or after the Working Group meetings.

