Thrifty Car Rental

Thrifty has more than 170 locations at all major airports and metropolitan locations, plus one of the best networks throughout rural and regional Australia.



Find us in all major cities across Australia, including but not limited to, Sydney, Perth, and Brisbane, as well as holiday destinations such as Cairns, Broome and Byron Bay.

Our Range of Vehicles

Everyone has different needs when it comes to car rental. We have a range of vehicles to suit every pocket, from the Toyota Corolla Hybrid to an 8 passenger Kia Carnival.

GPS Unit - Our GPS unit can save you time, and fuel. Simply enter your destination and you'll be guided on the most direct route. \$12.65 per day.

Baby Seat – Australian Standard approved baby seats are compulsory for all infants under 4 years of age, (depending on height and weight). Thrifty can provide suitable forward and rear facing baby seats. \$9 per day

Child Booster Seat - Booster seats are compulsory for children up to 7 years (depending on height and weight). \$9 per day.

Thrifty Strollers – Thrifty has strollers available at Brisbane and Coolangatta airports. \$6.60 per day.

Collision Damage Waiver Protection Options:

Ultimate Protection - Thrifty's Ultimate Protection offers total peace of mind when renting a car with us, and in the case of an accident, we have you covered.

Premium Protection - With Thrifty's Premium Protection option, we offer relaxed motoring, so you can enjoy your travels and reduce your risk in the case of an accident.

No Collision Damage Waiver Protection - Thrifty gives you basic roadside assistance as part of your standard rental, but if you return the vehicle damaged, you will be liable.

Roadside Assist

As an exclusive partner of Australia's leading Auto Clubs, we have access to a network of best in class roadside assistance. Thrifty covers the cost for all roadside assistance call outs due to vehicle malfunction. However, where the callout is due to driver negligence or error, the costs associated with the incident will be on charged to the renter.

Thrifty offers **additional protection** for out of pocket mishaps that may happen on your travels.

Thrifty has the Blue Chip **loyalty programme** that offers upgrades, faster bookings, priority counters, and arrive and drive.

Ace Rental Cars



At Ace Rental Cars, we believe in providing the very best service, at the very best prices. That's why, every Ace rental includes:

- FREE airport terminal shuttle pick-up
- UNLIMITED kilometres (excluding Darwin)
- FREE basic insurance cover
- LOCATIONS across Australian states and territories, except ACT
- FREE Roadside Mechanical Assistance
- NEGOTIABLE rates on longer rentals

Car Rental Locations - Ace has depots in the following places: Adelaide City and Airport, Brisbane Airport, Gold Coast Airport, Melbourne Airport, Sydney Airport, Cairns City and Airport, Perth Airport, Darwin City and Airport, Launceston Airport.

All drivers must be 18 years or older and hold a valid full driver's licence (not provisional or learners). Australian, New Zealand, International and Overseas Licenses are acceptable. A charge of \$5 per day will apply for each additional driver (capped at 10 days).

Ace Safe Cover - All of our cars have cover for Single Vehicle and Multi-Vehicle Damage included in the daily rate as per the terms outlined in your Rental Agreement (**Minimum Cover**). The amount of the driver's liability on Value Vehicle is \$5,500.00 AUD. You will be liable for the first \$5500 in case of Theft, Accidents and any Third-Party Damage.

Ace Plus – Zero Excess - This cover will reduce your excess to \$0 AUD and security bond to \$100 AUD; Additional Driver and Premium Roadside Assistance Ace Basic Cover - Reduce your excess to \$1500 AUD and security bond to \$100 AUD Minimum Cover – The minimum cover option requires a \$100 AUD bond to be held / charged on a debit/credit card and there is an excess of \$5,500 AUD, that will be charged to your debit/credit card in the event of any damage to the vehicle while on hire. You will be liable for the first \$5,500 AUD in case of Theft, Accidents and any Third-Party Damage.

Roadside Assistance - We provide a complimentary 24-hour vehicle breakdown service through RACQ. A toll free telephone number is provided in our "In car information guide". Please note that a call-out for driver error, i.e. keys locked in car or out of fuel, will incur an AU\$90 service fee and any additional costs relating to driver error.

GPS - GPS Navigation Units are available as an optional extra (\$10 per day, capped at 5 days). Please note that loss or damage to GPS Unit will result in a \$500.00 replacement fee.

Child and Booster Seats - If requested, we provide Baby & Booster Seats for rent at \$6 per day capped at 10 days.

Greyhound Australia

Greyhound Australia is Australia's only national longdistance coach service. We



provide comfortable, hassle-free, and affordable coach services to people of all ages and to all corners of Australia. We travel across Australia everyday ensuring that our passengers can get to their destinations, both on the beaten track and off it, and truly experience the beauty of Australia.

At Greyhound, we know Australia better than anyone else. We have over 110 years' experience and are one of the oldest coach companies in the world. Greyhound Australia has a national fleet operating 365 days a year. We carry 5 million passengers over 38 million kilometres a year with a safety record second to none.

Greyhound wants you to have a great experience. So, every Greyhound bus is driven by an experienced Coach Captain, who knows an awful lot about everything Australian, and a fair bit about nothing too, making for an entertaining trip!

Our bus services allow you to take in the best Australia has to offer, and our wide variety of ticketing options allow you to travel at your own pace, hopping on and off as many times as your ticket allows. Or you can simply choose your origin and destination and design your own trip along the way.

Greyhound Australia coaches are built with everything a modern traveller desires – panoramic windows, USB chargers on every seat, free WiFi connectivity and reclining leather seats, air-conditioning, on-board restrooms, reading lights.

Tickets and Passes

An Express Point-to-Point Ticket offers quick and easy travel from A to B Australia wide.

Whimit Passes - give travellers ultimate flexibility. These, super flexible hop on and off passes allow you to start anywhere you like and travel in any direction.

The National Whimit Pass offers travel without limit and is determined by days (maximum 120 days), not distance or destination. National Whimit pass holders can travel in any direction to absolutely any of our 180+ stops around Australia, for as many consecutive days as purchased.

The East Coast Whimit Pass allows unlimited travel along the East Coast, in any direction back and forth on any of our services between Melbourne and Cairns, for as many consecutive days as purchased (maximum 30 days).

Rail Australia - The Ghan

Prepare for a holiday of unimaginable proportions as the legendary Ghan takes you deep into the heart of Australia. Enjoy the comfort and solitude of your private cabin, lose yourself in conversation with newfound travelling companions, or simply gaze out of the window taking inspiration from the ever changing landscape.



Regarded as one of the world's greatest rail journeys, The Ghan delivers so much more than an extended train ride. It promises access to parts of Australia no other holiday can come close to – the perfect balance of comfort and adventure culminating in an experience that will move you in every sense of the word.

The Ghan - Three days, two nights Adelaide to Alice Springs to Darwin

Departures: Departs year round in both directions (Adelaide to Darwin to Adelaide).

Length of journey: 54 hours – 2979km

Coast to coast, through the fiery red centre, experience Australia at its dramatic best.

This transcontinental adventure offers an unsurpassed view of Australia - North to South or vice versa over three unforgettable days.

Travel by rail between Adelaide, Alice Springs and Darwin and you are embarking on one of the great train journeys of the world. Named after the Afghan cameleers who once traversed this route, The Ghan will take you from one edge of this continent to the other, through the very centre of Australia.

A journey on The Ghan is an incomparable way to travel to the two jewels of Australia's Northern Territory – the Red Centre and the tropical Top End. No journey aboard The Ghan is complete without taking in both of these must-see destinations.

The Ghan's timetable makes the most of the daylight hours to offer unsurpassed views of the passing landscape. From the sweeping Adelaide Plains unfolding before your eyes to the majestic Flinders Ranges, this first stage of the journey offers a perspective on South Australia you simply can't afford to miss.

Each new day begins with a fresh panorama of this changing landscape. Red earth and cobalt blue skies – the essence of Central Australia takes on a character of its own with every passing hour.

Leave the train in Alice Springs to tour locations close to Australia's heart with Off Train Excursions. These tours, which last from a few hours to a few days, include an extraordinary range of opportunities for discovering the region's most fascinating sites.

Rail Australia - The Indian Pacific

The Indian Pacific offers travellers four days and three nights of one of the most impressive and indulgent ways to explore the vastness of Australia.

From the Indian Ocean on Australia's western shores to the Pacific on the east, the two oceans



that give the train its name, you will watch the passing backdrop of Australia's magnificent landscapes. Travel in either direction – from the 'harbour city' of Sydney in the east or the lovely Western Australian capital, Perth.

The Indian Pacific - four day, three nights Sydney to Adelaide to Perth

Length of journey: 65 hours - 4352km

Departures: Departs year round in both directions (Sydney to Perth to Sydney).

Off Train Excursions and Short Stops: Off Train Excursions: Broken Hill and Adelaide (extended) or Barossa Valley, Kalgoorlie (East bound) Short Stop: Rawlinna (West bound), Cook (East bound)

Platinum Features

The first thing you'll notice about your Platinum cabin is the abundance of space, almost twice the size of a Gold Twin Cabin. By day your cabin is configured as a private lounge with deluxe lounge seating, a table and two ottomans. By night you'll sleep easy as the lounges convert to a comfortable bedroom with either a double bed or twin beds.

Full-size ensuite equipped with shower, vanity with cupboard space, toilet and complimentary Australian bathroom amenities. Picture windows; in-cabin music channels and journey audio commentary available.

All-inclusive dining, beverages; all-inclusive Off Train Excursions and Outback Experiences; Use of Platinum Club for dining and socialising.

Gold Premium

For travellers who want that little bit more, Gold Premium delivers an enhanced journey experience. Accommodated in our newly designed, contemporary cabins, guests have exclusive access to the Gold Premium Lounge and Gold Premium Dining carriage for meals and socialising. Enjoy delicious breakfasts, two-course, regionally inspired lunches and delectable four-course dinners in beautiful surrounds, accompanied by a selection of premium beverages.

Gold Premium offers some special touches to make the journey special, like priority check-in and an increased luggage allowance, luxury amenities, tour preferencing and more.

Choose between a Gold Premium Twin cabin or Gold Premium Suite, which has a little more space.

Stradbroke Ferries (Sealink South East Queensland)



Stradbroke Ferries commenced operation in 1964 with the first vehicle ferry, MV Myora.

Today the company now called SeaLink South East Queensland, has eight vehicle ferries and eight passenger ferries operating 365 days a year within Moreton Bay; this incorporates the five islands of North Stradbroke, Russell, Lamb, Macleay and Karragarra.

Stradbroke Passenger Ferry

North Stradbroke Island is one of the largest sand islands in the world and is situated within Moreton Bay, just one hour from Brisbane.

The SeaLink passenger ferry (water taxi) operates 7 days a week to North Stradbroke Island. Our passenger ferry terminal is located at 3 Emmett Drive, Cleveland.

The SeaLink passenger ferry departs from the second terminal location at both Cleveland and Dunwich (North Stradbroke Island).

Single and return trips can be pre-purchased online or in person at one of our SeaLink offices. For all other ticket types, tickets can be purchased at either of the Cleveland offices or at Dunwich before boarding.

The passenger ferry trip takes 25 minutes and most services connect with the local bus.

Bay Islands Ferries (Southern Moreton Bay)

Easily accessed by fast passenger ferry or vehicle ferry from Redland Bay, these delightful subtropical islands offer abundant natural attractions and a taste of an idyllic island lifestyle to visitors.

SeaLink Bay Islands operates a fast and comfortable ferry service to Russell, Macleay, Lamb and Karragarra Islands. Ferries depart approximately every half hour from the Redland Bay Ferry Terminal (Weinam Creek) located on Banana Street, Redland Bay.

At the departure terminal, there is a reservations office where the friendly staff can answer any questions that you may have. A range of information brochures about the islands is also available at the terminal.

SeaLink Bay Islands operate regular **vehicle ferries** departing from 1 Weinam Street, Redland Bay 7 days a week, 365 days a year. We recommend you book prior to travel to avoid disappointment.

The travelling time from Redland Bay to Macleay Island is approximately 40 minutes or 60 minutes to Russell Island.