

## Travel Options to and from Des Moines Airport

(total cost in descending order)	One-Way	Round Trip	Availability	One-Way Trip Diff. from Exec. Express	Round Trip Diff. from Exec. Express
<b>ISU Transportation Services</b> (compact sedan)		\$25.90	rate is 1 day, limited hours, not usually a viable Ames to airport option		-\$22.10
<b>Executive Express Shuttle</b> (starting costs +fees depending on where pick-up is located)	\$24.00	\$48.00	limited hours with or without reservation	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Mileage Reimbursement from Driving One's Car</b> (does not include cost of airport parking)	\$23.10	\$46.20	24 hours	-\$0.90	-\$1.80
<b>Rental Car Cost + Re-fueling from Enterprise.</b> (This includes all insurance, at no liability to the driver or the lab).	\$39.20	\$78.39	24 hours with reservation, limited hours without reservation	\$15.20	\$30.39
<b>Crown Limo</b> (shown at minimum costs) may be \$80 for early morning, \$5 more for drop-off in Des Moines than in Ames	\$70.00	\$145.00	24 hours (extra \$5 for early morning)	\$46.00	\$97.00
<b>Taxi Service</b>	\$75.00	\$150.00	24 hours	\$51.00	\$102.00

*\*Enterprise Rental Car may be more cost effective than driving your own car, depending if there are parking fees.*

*\*Executive Express is shown as most cost effective because Driving One's Car does not include airport parking fees.*

*\*ISU Transportation Services are for one-day trips. "It is generally neither economical nor good use of a University vehicle to leave it in an airport parking lot. All faculty and staff are encouraged to use private or public transportation," ISU Transportation Services Website.*

*\*All numbers are meant to be estimates, totals will vary from location and duration of stay, hours traveled.*

*\*All numbers were calculated expenses for 1 traveler, shared rides would make most modes of transportation more economical.*