Route to KPRIET

Step-by-Step Travel Guide

From Salem :

1. **Go to Salem Central Bus Stand:**

    - If you are at a different location in Salem, take a local bus or auto-rickshaw to reach the Salem Central Bus Stand.

2. **Find the Bus to Coimbatore:**

    - Look for a TNSTC (Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation) bus going to Coimbatore.
    - Private buses also operate on this route, but TNSTC buses are more frequent and budget-friendly.
    - Confirm with the conductor that the bus will stop at Kaniyur Tollgate (before reaching Coimbatore).

3. **Board the Bus and Travel Route:**

    - The bus will take National Highway 544 (NH 544) and pass through towns like Sankari, Bhavani, Perundurai, Avinashi, and Karumathampatti before reaching Kaniyur Tollgate.
    - The journey takes approximately 3 to 4 hours, depending on traffic.

4. **Get Down at Kaniyur Tollgate:**

    - Inform the conductor in advance that you want to get down at Kaniyur Tollgate.
    - Once you reach Kaniyur Tollgate, get down safely.

5. **Take an Auto to KPRIET:**

    - From Kaniyur Tollgate, take a local auto-rickshaw to KPR Institute of Engineering and Technology (KPRIET).
    - The auto ride will take 5-10 minutes.

6. **Bus Timings & Frequency:**

    - TNSTC buses to Coimbatore via Kaniyur Tollgate are available every 15-30 minutes throughout the day.
    - Private buses may have fixed schedules, so check with local travel agencies if needed.

From Chennai :

1. **Go to Chennai Koyambedu Bus Terminal (CMBT):**

    - If you are at a different location in Chennai, take a metro, local bus, or auto to reach CMBT (Chennai Mofussil Bus Terminus).

2. **Find a Bus to Coimbatore:**

    - Look for a TNSTC (Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation) or SETC (State Express Transport Corporation) bus that travels via Salem, and Avinashi to Coimbatore.
    - Private bus operators like KPN, Parveen, and SRM Travels also have buses on this route.
    - Confirm with the conductor that the bus will stop at Kaniyur Tollgate (before reaching Coimbatore).

3. **Board the Bus and Travel Route:**

    - The journey takes approximately 9 to 11 hours, depending on traffic and stops.
    - The bus will take National Highway 32 (NH 32) and NH 79, passing through major towns:
        - **Salem**
        - **Erode**
        - **Perundurai**
        - **Avinashi**
        - **Kaniyur Tollgate**

4. **Get Down at Kaniyur Tollgate:**

    - Inform the conductor in advance that you want to get down at Kaniyur Tollgate.
    - Once you reach Kaniyur Tollgate, get down safely.

5. **Take an Auto to KPRIET:**

    - From Kaniyur Tollgate, take a local auto-rickshaw to KPR Institute of Engineering and Technology (KPRIET).
    - The auto ride will take 5-10 minutes.

6. **Bus Timings & Frequency:**

    - TNSTC and SETC buses from Chennai to Coimbatore (via Chengalpattu & Villupuram) are available every 30-60 minutes.
    - Private buses operate on this route, but they may have fixed departure times (Check on RedBus, AbhiBus, or TNSTC Online Booking).

From Coimbatore :

1. **Bus Boarding from Coimbatore :**

   Option 1: If Your Starting Point is **Ukkadam**

   - Go to Ukkadam Bus Stand.
   - Board Bus Number 90A (Route: Ukkadam → Karumathampatti → Annur).
   - Ask the conductor to stop at LPT (Lakshmi Precision Technologies Ltd).

   Option 2: If Your Starting Point is **Gandhipuram**

   - Go to Gandhipuram Central Bus Stand.
   - Board Bus Number 20A (Route: Gandhipuram → Karumathampatti → Annur).
   - Ask the conductor to stop at LPT (Lakshmi Precision Technologies Ltd).

2. **Travel Route & Duration :**

   - The bus will take Avinashi Road, passing through:
     - Peelamedu
     - Neelambur
     - Karumathampatti
     - LPT (Lakshmi Puram Thottam)
   - Total travel time: 45 minutes to 1 hour, depending on traffic.
   - Fare: Around ₹20-₹30.

3. **Get Down at LPT Stop & Take an Auto**

   - Get down at LPT (Lakshmi Precision Technologies Ltd) Stop.+9
   - From LPT, take a shared or private auto to KPRIET.
   - Auto fare: Around ₹30-₹100.
   - Auto ride duration: 5-10 minutes.

(*if you are coming from **Coimbatore Railway station** get a **auto** or a **bus** to **Gandhipuram Town bus stand** and then follow the above instructions)

From Erode :

Go to Erode Central Bus Stand:

- If you are at a different location in Erode, take a local bus or auto-rickshaw to reach the Erode Central Bus Stand.

Find the Bus to Coimbatore:

- Look for a TNSTC (Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation) bus going to Coimbatore.
- Private buses also operate on this route, but TNSTC buses are more frequent and budget-friendly.
- Confirm with the conductor that the bus will stop at Kaniyur Tollgate (before reaching Coimbatore).

Board the Bus and Travel Route:

- The bus will take National Highway 544 (NH 544) and pass through towns like Perundurai, Vijayamangalam, Avinashi, and Karumathampatti before reaching Kaniyur Tollgate.
- The journey takes approximately 1.5 to 2 hours, depending on traffic.

Get Down at Kaniyur Tollgate:

- Inform the conductor in advance that you want to get down at Kaniyur Tollgate.
- Once you reach Kaniyur Tollgate, get down safely.

Take an Auto to KPRIET:

- From Kaniyur Tollgate, take a local auto-rickshaw to KPR Institute of Engineering and Technology (KPRIET).
- The auto ride will take 5–10 minutes.

Bus Timings & Frequency:

- TNSTC buses from Erode to Coimbatore via Kaniyur Tollgate are available every 10–15 minutes throughout the day.

From Trichy :

Go to Trichy Central Bus Stand / Chathiram Bus Stand:

- If you are at a different location in Trichy, take a city bus or auto to reach Trichy Central Bus Stand or Panjapur New Bus Stand.

Find a Bus to Coimbatore:

- Look for a TNSTC or SETC bus heading to Coimbatore (via Karur, Kangeyam, or Palladam).
- Private bus operators also run services along this corridor.
- *Note on Drop Point:* If your bus takes the bypass/NH 544 route towards Coimbatore via Avinashi, ask for a drop at **Kaniyur Tollgate**. If your bus travels via Palladam/Sulur, request to get down at **Karanampettai** or **Karumathampatti**.

Board the Bus and Travel Route:

- The journey takes approximately 4.5 to 5.5 hours, depending on the route and traffic.
- The standard route follows NH 81 passing through Karur and Kangeyam toward Palladam, or via Karur and Tiruppur/Avinashi to NH 544.

Get Down at Karumathampatti / Kaniyur Tollgate:

- Inform the conductor in advance about your drop point.
- Once you reach Karumathampatti or Kaniyur Tollgate, get down safely.

Take an Auto or Local Bus to KPRIET:

- From Kaniyur Tollgate: Take an auto-rickshaw directly to KPRIET (5–10 minutes).
- From Karumathampatti Junction: Take a town bus (towards Annur via LPT) or hire an auto-rickshaw to KPRIET (approx. 10–15 minutes).

Bus Timings & Frequency:

- TNSTC regular and express buses operate from Trichy to Coimbatore every 20–30 minutes round the clock.

From Dindigul :

Go to Dindigul Central Bus Stand:

- Take a town bus or auto-rickshaw to reach the Dindigul Central Bus Stand or board at Dindigul Bypass.

Find a Bus to Coimbatore:

- Look for a TNSTC or SETC bus bound for Coimbatore.
- Buses operate via two main routes:
    1. Via Oddanchatram, Dharapuram, and Palladam.
    2. Via Palani, Udumalaipet, and Pollachi.
- *Tip:* Buses via Dharapuram and Palladam/Karumathampatti are the most direct for reaching KPRIET without entering Coimbatore city.

Board the Bus and Travel Route:

- The journey takes approximately 3.5 to 4.5 hours depending on the chosen route and traffic conditions.
- The bus passes through major towns like Oddanchatram, Dharapuram, and Palladam.

Get Down at Palladam / Karanampettai / Karumathampatti:

- If your bus connects to the bypass or Avinashi road, get down at **Karumathampatti** or **Kaniyur Tollgate**.
- If the bus terminates or runs via Singanallur/Ukkadam, alight at **Karanampettai** or **Sulur** to catch connecting transport across to Karumathampatti.

Take an Auto / Connecting Bus to KPRIET:

- From Karumathampatti: Take an auto-rickshaw or town bus toward Annur/LPT to reach the campus (approx. 10 minutes).
- From Kaniyur Tollgate: Take an auto directly to KPRIET (5–10 minutes).

Bus Timings & Frequency:

- TNSTC buses to Coimbatore are available every 15–20 minutes throughout the day.

From Madurai :

Go to Madurai Mattuthavani (MGR) or Arappalayam Bus Stand:

- If you are at a different location in Madurai, take a local city bus or auto to reach Arappalayam Bus Stand (for non-stop/express Coimbatore buses) or Mattuthavani Bus Stand.

Find a Bus to Coimbatore:

- Look for a TNSTC (Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation) or SETC bus bound for Coimbatore.
- Private sleeper/semi-sleeper operators (such as SPS, Krish, City Travels) also operate frequently on this route.
- *Drop Point Confirmation:* Confirm if the bus runs via Palladam/Karanampettai or connects directly through the Karumathampatti bypass.

Board the Bus and Travel Route:

- The journey takes approximately 4.5 to 6 hours depending on stops and road conditions.
- The bus will take NH 44 and NH 83, passing through:
    - Vadipatti
    - Dindigul Bypass
    - Oddanchatram
    - Dharapuram
    - Palladam (or Pollachi)

Get Down near Karumathampatti / Sulur Bypass:

- Inform the conductor in advance that you want to alight before entering central Coimbatore.
- If the bus passes near Karumathampatti Bypass, alight there; otherwise, get down at Karanampettai or Sulur.

Take an Auto or Town Bus to KPRIET:

- From Karumathampatti / Kaniyur Tollgate: Take an auto-rickshaw directly to KPRIET (5–10 minutes).
- From Karanampettai / Sulur: Take a local connecting bus or auto to Karumathampatti junction, then an auto to KPRIET.

Bus Timings & Frequency:

- TNSTC buses between Madurai and Coimbatore run every 15–30 minutes 24/7.
- Private sleeper/semi-sleeper buses operate primarily during night and early morning hours (bookable via RedBus, AbhiBus, or TNSTC Online).