Driving Directions for School Groups
Teachers, please provide a copy of this document to all Bus Drivers. The Missouri Botanical Garden is located on the corner of Shaw Boulevard and Tower Grove Avenue.

From Downtown via I-44: Follow Memorial Drive south to I-44 west. Exit at Vandeventer/Kingshighway (Exit #287 B-A) and turn left on Vandeventer, then left on Shaw Boulevard. The Garden will be on your right.

From North via I-70: Take I-70 east into downtown St. Louis. Merge onto I-55 south to I-44 west. Exit at Vandeventer/Kingshighway (Exit #287 B-A) and turn left on Vandeventer. Then turn left on Shaw Boulevard. The Garden will be on your right.

From West via I-64/40: Take I-64 east. Take the Kingshighway North & South exit (Exit #36 A-B) and turn right. Turn left at the stoplight for Southwest/Vandeventer. Turn right onto Shaw Boulevard. The Garden will be on your right.

From Southwest via I-44: Take I-44 east. Exit at Vandeventer (Exit #287 B) and turn right. Then turn left on Shaw Boulevard. The Garden will be on your right.

From East via I-44: Take I-70 west across the Poplar Street Bridge. Merge onto I-55 south to I-44 west. Exit at Vandeventer/Kingshighway (Exit #287 B-A) and turn left. Then turn left on Shaw Boulevard. The Garden will be on your right.

From Lambert-St. Louis Intl. Airport via I-170: Take I-70 east toward St. Louis. Merge onto I-170 south (Exit #238 B). Merge onto I-64 east (Exit #1 A). Take the Kingshighway North & South exit (Exit #36 A-B) and turn right. Turn left at the stoplight for Southwest/Vandeventer. Turn right onto Shaw Boulevard. The Garden will be on your right.

From South via I-55: Take I-55 north to I-44 west. Exit at Vandeventer/Kingshighway (Exit #287 B-A) and turn left. Then turn left on Shaw Boulevard. The Garden will be on your right.

For more specific directions, interactive maps can be accessed through our website at:
www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/visit/the-garden/getting-here.aspx
DROP-OFF/BUS PARKING

Thank you for planning your group visit to the Missouri Botanical Garden. Please follow the bus parking procedures detailed below.
If you have an emergency, please contact security at (314) 577-0212.

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Drop-off/Parking

1. Enter via the main Garden entrance from Shaw Blvd. At the top of the drive, turn left, heading east.
2. Proceed to the end of the drive, then turn right and stop at the end of the drive.
3. Passengers may exit the bus and proceed to the entrance at the Linnean Plaza gate.
4. Once passengers have unloaded, proceed straight, an exit through the gate onto Tower Grove Ave. The gate will automatically open.
5. To reach onsite bus parking, re-enter the main parking lot on Shaw Blvd. and turn right. Proceed to the end of the drive and follow the circle drive to the designated bus parking spots. If these spots are not available, proceed to the Garden's offsite bus parking.
6. To reach the Garden's offsite overflow bus parking lot, from the Tower Grove Ave. gate exit, turn left, then turn left at the traffic light onto Shaw Blvd.

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Passenger Reboarding/Exiting

Passengers will reboard the bus in the same location where they were dropped off. Once loaded, please exit the Garden to the left through the Tower Grove Ave. gate (located on the east side of the Bayer Event Center).

Please note: Garden security may redirect coaches to alternative parking.

The Garden's multi-modal lots (for bus parking) are located at the corner of Shaw Blvd. and Vandeventer Ave.