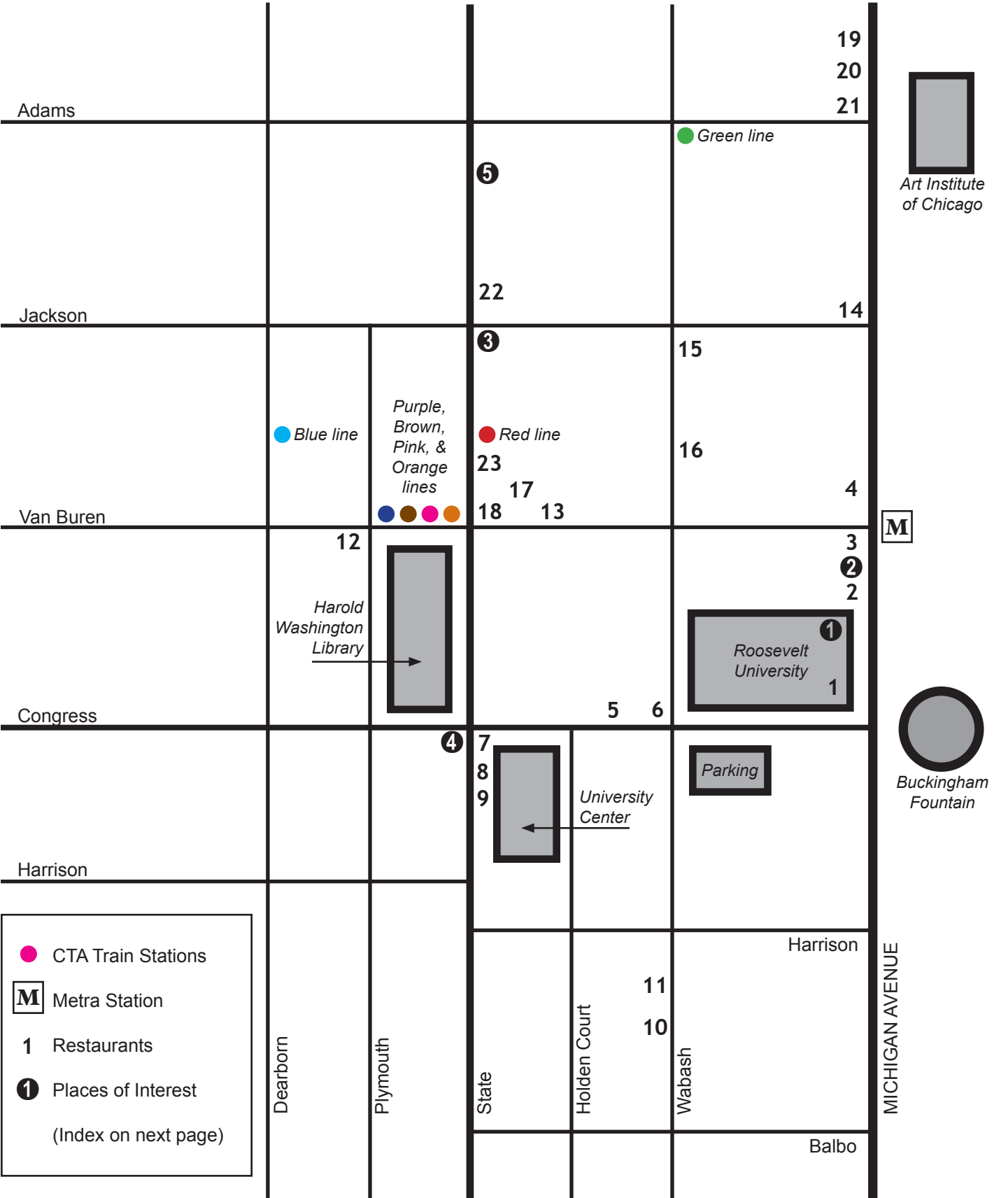


# Chicago's South Loop

*Information for Visitors & New Residents!*  
If you have any questions, please contact CCPA at 312-341-6735.



## RESTAURANTS

- 1 **Java City**  
*Coffee stand in RU Lobby*
- 2 **Dunkin' Donuts**
- 3 **Osaka Express**  
*Sushi & Smoothies*
- 4 **Caffe Baci**  
*Casual Italian food & coffee bar*
- 5 **Cafecito**  
*Cuban Sandwich shop*
- 6 **Dairy Queen**
- 7 **Panera**
- 8 **Chutney Joe's**  
*Casual, quick Indian food*
- 9 **Epic Burger**  
*Fantastic burgers, fries, & shakes*
- 10 **Tamarind**  
*Sit-down Thai cuisine*
- 11 **Subway Sandwiches**
- 12 **Subway Sandwiches**
- 13 **My Thai**  
*Sit-down Thai cuisine*
- 14 **Corner Bakery**  
*Casual cafe food & coffee*
- 15 **Starbucks**
- 16 **Potbelly's**  
*Sandwiches & shakes*
- 17 **Sbarro**
- 18 **Dunkin' Donuts**
- 19 **Cosi**  
*Casual cafe food & coffee*
- 20 **Au Bon Pain**  
*Casual cafe food & coffee*
- 21 **Bennigan's**  
*Sit-down pub food*
- 22 **Jimmy John's**  
*Sub sandwiches*
- 23 **Quizno's**  
*Sandwich shop*

For nicer, sit-down restaurant options, head north on State Street and cross over the river. Feel free to wander - you are now in the heart of Chicago's restaurant district, where tasty options abound!

## PLACES OF INTEREST

- ① Chase Bank ATM (in RU lobby)
- ② Bank of America ATM
- ③ Barnes & Noble Bookstore
- ④ CVS Drugstore & Pharmacy
- ⑤ Bank of America

## BACK-TO-SCHOOL SHOPPING

### **Target**

1154 S. Clark St. (at Roosevelt)  
312-212-6300

### **Nordstrom Rack**

24 N. State St. (north of Madison)  
312-377-5500

### **Filene's Basement**

1 N. State St. (at Madison)  
312-553-1055

### **Macy's**

111 N. State St. (north of Washington)  
312-781-1000

### **Bed, Bath & Beyond**

530 N. State St. (at Grand)  
312-755-9890

### **IKEA - Bolingbrook**

750 E. Broughton Rd.  
630-972-7900

### **IKEA - Schaumburg**

1800 E McConnor Parkway  
847-969-9700

## NEARY HOTELS

### **Harris Family Hostel**

24 E. Congress Parkway  
312-360-0300

### **Hilton Chicago - South Loop**

722 S. Michigan Ave  
312-922-4400

### **Essex Inn**

800 S. Michigan Ave  
312-939-2800

### **Chicago Travelodge Downtown**

65 E. Harrison St.  
312-427-8000

### **Palmer House Hilton**

17 E. Monroe St.  
312-726-7500

## THINGS TO KNOW

Rides on the CTA are \$2.25. Multiple and single-ride cards can be purchased at most stations, or at Currency Exchange and Jewel-Osco locations.

**O'Hare International Airport** is located northwest of downtown, just off of I-90 and I-294. It is also accessible on the Blue Line train.

**Midway Airport** is located southwest of downtown, off of I-55. It is also accessible on the Orange Line train.

**Union Station** is located west of RU on Canal Street, between Adams and Jackson. Union Station is the hub for Metra trains, Amtrak, and most long-distance bus services.

The parking lot across from RU on Congress offers validation and is one of the most affordable options for parking downtown. Other lots are located west of Michigan Avenue, and metered street parking is available with a 2-hour time limit.

Traveling north on Michigan Avenue, you will reach **Millennium Park**, **the Bean**, **the Wrigley Building**, and the shops of the **Magnificent Mile** and **Water Tower Mall**. Traveling north on State Street will lead you through the **Theatre District** as well as to many more shopping opportunities.

*Remember: If the Lake is on your right, you're traveling north!*

For additional information, we suggest these websites and publications:

### **Chicago Transit Authority**

[www.transitchicago.com](http://www.transitchicago.com)

### **Chicago Tourism Bureau**

[www.explorechicago.org](http://www.explorechicago.org)

### **Metra Train Service**

[www.metrarail.com](http://www.metrarail.com)

### **Chicago Traveler**

[www.chicagotraveler.com](http://www.chicagotraveler.com)

**Not For Tourists Guide to Chicago** (book)