

To increase your chances of transiting controlled airspace plan your route and prepare your R/T transmissions.

Before you fly



Check NOTAM at www.ais.org.uk or by using a **moving map**



In the air



Use your transponder Check the squawk, turn it on and set to ALT



Use a current chart as well as a moving map



Unsure of your position? get a position fix

Plan your route and prepare your **R/T** transmissions



R/T - Prepare your transmissions

[airfield / ATS unit callsign] **G-XXXX** request [type of] service and zone transit

Airfield / ATS response: G-XXXX [Airfield / ATC callsign]

Some units may also say: Pass your message

G-XXXX [aircraft type]		
from [departure point]		
to [landing point]		
current position		
level / altitude)		
via (next route point)		
request [type of] service and zone transit		
(*if SVFR, ETA at zone boundary is required)		

If asked to report your position at any time [fill in the blanks]

G-XXXX	
position	time
level / altitude	(pressure)
next position	ETA

Plan **not** to infringe controlled or notified airspace