

RIDING THE BUS HAS NEVER BEEN EASIER!

REDUCED FARES FOR THOSE WHO QUALIFY

The Metro Reduced Fare Program enables youths (12 to 18), seniors (65 and older) and persons with disabilities to pay daily fare or purchase a 31-Day Pass at half price.

Youths must obtain a Youth Reduced Farecard, which is renewed annually (pre-teens 6 to 11 years old may ride for half-fare without a reduced farecard).

The Senior Citizen Reduced Farecard is renewed every three years, but seniors can use their Medicare Cards rather than a farecard to receive the discount.

Proof of age for either the Youth or Senior Reduced Farecard includes copies of a birth certificate, driver's license or passport.

Persons with disabilities must meet eligibility guidelines, which include a physician's statement. This Reduced Farecard will be renewed every three years.

Applying for a Youth, Senior and Disabled Reduced Farecard requires \$1 processing fee which can be paid in cash or money order.

For reduced farecard applications and details, contact the Regional Call Center at (816) 221-0660 or online at www.kcata.org.

REDUCED FARES

LOCAL SERVICE	FULL FARE	*REDUCED FARE
KCMO, KCK, NKC, Gladstone, Independence	\$1.50	\$0.75

COMMUTER EXPRESS	FULL FARE	*REDUCED FARE
Blue Springs, Lee's Summit/ Raytown	\$3	\$1.50
Liberty	\$3	N/A

*Reduced fares are available to persons who qualify with required Metro or Medicare ID.

REGIONAL CALL CENTER HOURS

Monday – Friday: 6 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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Metro Fares



**SEE WHAT HAPPENS
WHEN A PLAN COMES TOGETHER.**

PAYING METRO FARES

Riding The Metro costs much less than driving. The one-way fare on most Metro and MAX routes is \$1.50; commuter express routes that travel longer distances are \$3 one-way. People who qualify for reduced fare, or who work for an employer that participates in the Transit Riders' Incentive Plan (TRIP), save even more. Children five years old and younger ride free.

THERE ARE SEVERAL
CONVENIENT OPTIONS
TO PAY THE FARE.

PAY BY CASH

Metro fareboxes accept \$1, \$2, \$5, \$10, or \$20 bills. In coins, it accepts nickels, dimes, quarters and 50-cent and \$1 coins. Be sure to deposit your fare one coin at a time.

FAREBOXES “MAKE CHANGE” CARDS

If you pay with a \$5, \$10, or \$20 bill, the farebox will automatically deduct the required fare then print out a convenient Change Card valued at the remaining balance. Change Cards are valid for one year and can be used on future Metro trips. Each time you ride, the farebox deducts the fare from the Change Card until you reach zero balance.

PASSES OFFER SAVINGS & CONVENIENCE

31-DAY PASS

The best value for customers who ride at least 20 days a month is the 31-Day Pass. You'll enjoy unlimited rides for 31 consecutive days, and you won't miss having to come up with cash every day. Most of all, you decide when your monthly rides begin.

This flexible, convenient pass is sold at more than 30 locations throughout metropolitan Kansas City and online at store.kcata.org. Call the Regional Call Center at (816) 221-0660 for the pass outlet nearest you or visit www.kcata.org/fares/passoutlets.

For details, pick up a 31-Day Pass brochure in Metro schedule racks, visit the website or contact the call center.

31-DAY PASS VS. CASH: *Compare the Savings*

METRO & MAX SERVICE	CASH FARE ROUNDRIP DAILY	31-DAY PASS UNLIMITED RIDES
KCMO, KCK, NKC, Gladstone, Independence	\$60 (\$3 per day for 20 days)	\$50
Blue Springs, Lee's Summit/ Raytown, Liberty Commuter Express Routes	\$120 (\$6 per day for 20 days)	\$95

\$3 DAY PASS

A \$3 Day Pass can be conveniently purchased on the bus for unlimited rides on any local route (non-express) until midnight. Be sure to tell the operator you are purchasing a Day Pass before inserting \$3 into the farebox.

TRANZ IT

This option is offered to 12 to 18 year olds during the summer for \$12 a month. Worn around the neck, Tranz It medallions are color-coded by month for June, July and August. They can be ordered by mail, by visiting the KCATA Customer Service Lobby, 1200 E. 18th St., or online. Proof of age is required.

TRANSFERS ARE FREE

Transfers are free for two hours with paid fare or a Change Card. After paying, ask the operator for a transfer and one will be issued by the farebox. The expiration time will be printed on the back of the transfer.

When boarding your next bus using a transfer, swipe it through the farebox. Additional cash will be needed if transferring to a route with a higher fare.

Metro transfers are accepted by Unified Government Transit, Indebus and Johnson County Transit's The JO.