

KERN TRANSIT TRIBUNE



THE NEWSLETTER FOR KERN TRANSIT

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FREE FARES EVENTS!

Thanks to grant funding from Caltrans' Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP), Kern Transit will be offering free rides during the months of July and August of this year to help ease into the oncoming summer days. All Kern Transit routes are eligible including Dial-A-Ride services.

In addition, the LCTOP grant has given Kern Transit the opportunity to offer free fares for Route 130 that provides transportation between Bakersfield, Frazier Park, and Santa Clarita for an entire year. Yes, you read that correctly. Route 130 will be free for everyone to use beginning on June 1st of this year and will continue to be free until June 30th of next year, 2024.

And remember, all students ride free until the end of this month! This includes anyone attending elementary school, middle school, high school, college, vocational school, or any higher education courses—so you can focus more on class and less on how to get there!

Everyone - All Routes

July 1st, 2023 - August 31st, 2023*

Route 130 - Frazier Park Area / Santa Clarita

June 1st, 2023 - June 30th, 2024*

Public Transit Connecting:

- Bakersfield
- Santa Clarita
- Frazier Park
- Valley Plaza
- Metrolink
- Tejon Outlets

Students - All Routes

Continuing through June 30th, 2023

Refunds will not be given for 31-day passes activated prior to the promotion period.



Take Our Rider Survey!

HELP KERN TRANSIT GATHER DATA TO IMPROVE OUR SERVICES BY COMPLETING THE SURVEY ON OUR WEBSITE.

KERNTRANSIT.ORG

YOUR OPINION IS VERY IMPORTANT TO US.

Thank You!

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Dial-A-Ride is a reservation-based, curb-to-curb service. Service is available to the general public on a first-come, first-served basis.

SCHEDULING

Scheduling times are subject to the Dial-A-Ride hours in each community. Reservations must be made at least one day in advance and can be made up to two weeks in advance. Day-of reservations are based on availability.

CALL 1-800-323-2396 TO SCHEDULE YOUR RESERVATION

Do you have a Medical appointment in Bakersfield? A Bakersfield Medical Dial-A-Ride courtesy connection is provided at Downtown Transit Center with reservation.

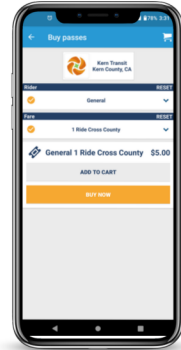
SERVICE AREAS

- Tehachapi
- Lamont
- Rosamond
- Mojave
- Frazier Park
- Kern River Valley

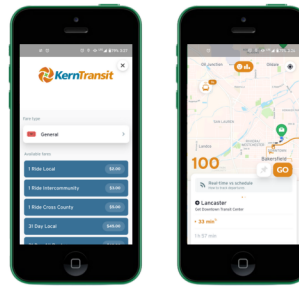
For more information visit:
KernTransit.org/Dial-A-Ride

Token Transit

Token Transit lets riders buy bus passes on their smart phone and send bus passes to a phone number on the Token Transit website. One-way passes and 31-Day passes, both general fare and reduced fare, for all Kern Transit routes are available. Please have your Reduced Fare Card and your pass ready to show the bus driver when boarding if a reduced fare pass has been purchased.






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The app called Transit allows users to look up departure times of nearby buses. The mobile app offers step-by-step directions using its GO feature and can save favorite locations. Users can also purchase Kern Transit passes within the app through Token Transit.

Both apps are available for Android and iOS devices.

FARES & PASSES

	GENERAL	REDUCED*
LOCAL ROUTES - FARES  & all Dial-A-Ride	\$2	\$1
INTERCOMMUNITY ROUTES - FARES 	\$3	\$1.50
CROSS-COUNTY - FARES 	\$5	\$2.50
ALL ROUTES - 31 DAY PASS & all Dial-A-Ride	\$65	\$32.50
LOCAL ROUTES ONLY - 31 DAY PASS & all Dial-A-Ride	\$45	\$22.50

*The reduced fare is available for youth (K-12 with proper identification, and to seniors (62+) and disabled passengers with a Kern Transit Reduced Fare Card.

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TITLE VI

Kern Transit complies with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Transportation services are provided without regard to race, color, national origin, age, gender, or disability. For information in languages other than English and Spanish, or to file a complaint, contact the Title VI Coordinator for Transit, (661) 862-5032, info@kerntransit.org, or 2700 M St. Suite 400, Bakersfield, CA 93301.

TÍTULO VI

Kern Transit cumple con el Título VI de la Ley de Derechos Civiles de 1964. Los servicios de transporte se proveen sin importar raza, color, origen nacional, edad, género o discapacidad. Para obtener información en idiomas distintos del Inglés y Español, comuníquese con la Coordinadora del programa del Título VI para Tránsito (661) 862-5032, info@kerntransit.org, o 2700 M St. Suite 400, Bakersfield, CA 93301.

JUNE 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	01 Route 130 Free Fares Event Begins!	02	03
04	05	06	07	08	09	10
11	12	13	14	15	16 KernTransit.org	17
18	19	20	21 First Day of Summer!	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 End of Students' Free Fares Event	01 Free Fares for All Event Begins!