

Free Youth Transit Pass

Equitable access.
More **opportunity**.



Youth 18 and under ride
transit for free, connecting
them to the freedom of
transit throughout
our region.

How it works

Riding public transit is free to all youth, 18 and under.

Youth ages 13-18 will need to present a student ID or ORCA card. Youth ages 0-12 do not need to present anything, but can get a Youth ORCA card.

Get a Youth ORCA card

- Visit your school's main office
- Or go online to **myORCA.com**
(proof of age required)
- Or visit the Everett Transit Customer Service Center at 3201 Smith Ave.
(proof of age required)

If you already have a Youth ORCA card

Keep it! Even if it has an expiration date, it will continue to work.

Important

If your 19th birthday is after the expiration date on your card, bring it to the Everett Transit Customer Service Center to have it extended.



How to ride

Take the bus to school, work, meet up with friends, go shopping and more! Follow these tips to have a smooth ride:

- Get to your stop at least 5-10 minutes before the scheduled time
- Make sure you are near the bus stop as the bus approaches, so the driver knows you want to board
- Keep a safe distance between you and the bus as it approaches
- Wait to board until the bus comes to a complete stop and the doors open
- Scan your ORCA card at the reader or show the driver your student ID
- Take a seat or find a handle to hold on to
- As your stop is approaching, pull the cord to signal the driver
- Before leaving, check to make sure you have everything
- Exit through the rear door, so people can get on the bus at the front
- If you boarded with a bike, exit at the front and let the driver know you need to unload it

Helpful tips



Enjoy your travels by reading a book or listening to music—use your headphones



Limit the length, volume and content of your telephone conversations



Do not eat on the bus and cover your beverage containers



Keep your valuables in your bag and keep your belongings out of the aisle and off other seats



If you are seated in the front of bus, please give your seat to senior or disabled passengers



If you have any questions, ask your driver

Safety tips

Follow these tips to make sure you stay safe while traveling:



Don't engage with strangers



Keep your belongings close



Carry a light if traveling in the dark



Dress for the weather



Follow all posted rules at stops and on the bus



If you feel unsafe for any reason, talk to the driver

More information



Visit freeyouthtransitpass.com



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Call ORCA at 888.988.6722

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