

# LA LOCAL TRANSPORTATION

## Los Angeles Public Transit:

<https://www.discoverlosangeles.com/travel/los-angeles-public-transit>

Los Angeles is home to one of the country's best public transportation networks, including subways, light-rail, buses and shuttles to nearly every corner of the Greater Los Angeles area. The Los Angeles Tourism & Convention Board is making it easier than ever to discover L.A. without a car. Car Free L.A. features a series of self-guided "car free" vacation itineraries that offer a new way to experience the hidden gems of L.A.'s diverse neighborhoods via foot, bike and Metro.

## Metro - Bus and Rail: <https://www.metro.net/>

Metro is unique among the nation's transportation agencies. We serve as transportation planner and coordinator, designer, builder, and operator for the country's largest, most populous county. More than 10 million people – nearly one-fourth of California's residents – live, work and play within our 1,433-square-mile service area.

**Maps & Schedules:** <https://www.metro.net/riding/schedules/>

### Fares, Passes and Discounts

#### **1-Way Trip \$1.75**

One-way trip on bus and rail with 2 hours of FREE transfers on Metro.

Add 75¢ if riding the J Line (Silver) or Express Bus Lines 460, 487, 489, 501, 550, and 577

#### **1-Day Pass \$3.50**

1 day of rides after first tap. Expires at 3am the next day.

*Regular price \$7. Passes 50% off through Dec. 31, 2022.*

#### **7-Day Pass \$12.50**

7 days of unlimited rides. Expires at 3am on last day.

Add'l 75 cents charge for Express Bus Lines 460, 487, 489, 501, 550 and 577

*Regular price \$25. Passes 50% off through Dec. 31, 2022.*

#### **30-Day Pass \$50**

30 days of unlimited rides. Expires at 3am on last day.

Add'l 75 cents charge for Express Bus Lines 460, 487, 489, 501, 550 and 577

*Regular price \$100. Passes 50% off through Dec. 31, 2022.*

#### **30-Day+Z1 Pass \$61**

30 days of unlimited rides on bus and rail, including J Line (Silver) and Express Bus Lines.

*Regular price \$122. Passes 50% off through Dec. 31, 2022.*

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## Big BLUE Bus: <https://www.bigbluebus.com/>

### Save with Contactless Fare Payments!

Customers who make contactless payments with a TAP card or mobile ticket can ride BBB for just \$1.10 one-way, which includes two (2) hours of free BBB to BBB transfers. For more details, visit: [bigbluebus.com/contactless](http://bigbluebus.com/contactless).

- You can pay your Big Blue Bus fare with a pre-loaded TAP card, or the [Transit](#), [Token Transit](#), or [TAP app](#) on your iPhone or Android smartphone.
- Senior, Disabled, Medicare rates are applicable for riders who are 62 or older, or riding with a valid ID.\*
- College Students - You may be eligible for reduced rates. View our [College Discounts](#).
- *Children 5 & under ride for free.*

### Single Trip:

	<b>Regular Fare</b> TAP & Mobile Ticket Only	<b>S/D/M* Fare</b> TAP & Mobile Ticket Only	<b>Cash Fare</b> Exact Fare Only
<b>BBB Trip</b>	\$1.10 <sup>^</sup>	\$0.50 <sup>^</sup>	Single Ride: \$1.25 S/D/M: \$0.50

*\*Senior Discount ID's accepted: Valid driver's license, DMV ID, Senior TAP card or passport*

*\*Disabled Discount IDs accepted: Valid LACTOA TAP ID Card, Disabled TAP Card, Access Card, Medicare card, or DMV placard*

*<sup>^</sup>Includes two (2) hours of free transfers on Big Blue Bus.*

### About other passes

- BBB accepts Metro's EZ transit pass Zone Zero.
- BBB accepts the Low Income Fare is Easy (LIFE) 4-Ride Regional Pass; this must be tapped on TAP devices prior to or at time of boarding.
- Metro, Metrolink, and other agency passes are not accepted as valid forms of fare payment on BBB.
- ACCESS Services users ride BBB for free with a valid ACCESS card.

### Where to buy passes

- Online at [taptogo.net](http://taptogo.net)
- In-person at Blue: The Transit Store ([1444 4th St., Santa Monica, CA](#)), or at these other [locations](#)
- On your Apple or Android smartphone with the [Transit](#), [Token Transit](#), or [TAP app](#)

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## Multi-Ride Passes:

	Regular Fare	S/D/M Fare
	TAP & Mobile Ticket Only	TAP & Mobile Ticket Only
<b>Day Pass</b>	\$4	\$1.50**
Ride as many BBBs as you want in a single day.		
<b>7-Day Pass</b>	\$14	
Ride as many BBBs as you want in a consecutive 7 day period.		
<b>10 Rides Pass</b>	\$9	\$4.50**
<b>30-Day Pass</b>	\$50	\$24**
Ride as many BBBs as you want in a consecutive 30 day period.		
<b>Youth 30-Day Pass*</b>	\$19	
Ride as many BBBs as you want in a consecutive 30 day period.		
<b>Annual Pass</b>	\$500	
Ride as many BBBs as you want in a consecutive 365 day period.		
<b>EZ Transit Pass (Zone Zero)</b>	\$110	\$42**

\* Youth Discount ID's accepted: Current report card, current valid school ID, class schedule with total number of units, official letter from school verifying enrollment, birth certificate, or valid passport, California ID card, or California driver's license.

\*\* Must have a Reduced Fare or Disabled TAP card.

Civitas Los Angeles: <https://www.introducinglosangeles.com/bus>

Information on Bus, Rail, Airport Transport, Day Trips and Guided Tours, and Car Rentals.

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## Car Rental

Avis: [Avis Hot Summer Savings | Save up to 35% with Pay Now | Avis Rent a Car](#)

Budget Rent-a-Car: [Exclusive Summertime Savings | Save up to 35% | Budget Car Rental](#)

Enterprise: [Rental Cars at Low, Affordable Rates | Enterprise Rent-A-Car](#)

Hertz: <https://www.hertz.com/>

Kayak: [Car Rentals in Los Angeles from \\$14/day - Search for Rental Cars on KAYAK](#)

Los Angeles is a **very large city** and many of its points of interest are quite **far away** from each other, which means that some visitors consider **renting a car** for their **convenience**.



Streets of LA

With GPS it's easy to get around and find where you're going, but it's important to **pay attention to where you park and the price**.

## Parking

**Finding parking** in Los Angeles is not difficult, but you should pay careful attention to the **signs in the parking areas**, which specify days of the week, parking on the left or the right along with other **restrictions**.

**Car parks** may not be the best option for short stays, as the rates for several hours are often the same as they are for 30 minutes.