

Why?

Why learn about public transportation?

The benefits on taking public transportation

- Save money
- Cheaper than uber or lyft
- You do not have to depend on anyone for a ride.
- Public Transportation will always be there when you need.

Overview:

We want to be able to show you the resources available to you and public transportation is one of them. It is one of the best ways

Why do I need to learn this?

In case of an emergency, for example, if you have a car and it breaks down, but you need to go to work or school. Public transportation is there when you don't want to ride in the county car. (Remember we understand if you don't just remember it is free)

Resourceful Apps



Apple Map: For iPhone users, it has features where it gives you options on ways to get to your destination.



Google map: or iPhone and and Android users, it has the same features where it gives you options on ways to get to your destination.



Clipper card app: This app will be easier to just scan when entering BART, Caltrain, and Samtrans.



BART App: Wanting to just take Bart to your destination? The Bart app shows you each station they have and helps to plan your trip from start to finish



Cal-Train App: If you are wanting to just use Cal-train, the app provides trip tools which are links to the direct website in what specifically is needing.



SamTrans App: The app will let you know the pricing for your one way trip or round trip

Resourceful Apps



TRANSIT APP: The app lets you effortlessly navigate and find the best routes of public transport wherever you go. It comes with a live directions system you could plan routes in secs. You'll get to view the route in detail with simple step-by-step instructions.



City Mapper App: This is one the apps that is helpful because it has all the public transportation listed and if you are located is SF



NOTE: For clipper cards, you may ask your social worker for one. It depends on each individual, but you can ask if you can receive a clipper card.

The Steps to take Bart.

Let's take a ride on Bart!



1. Plan your trip. Where will you be going?

2. Find fare, get clipper card, put in the amount of money that you need for your trip

3. Scan your clipper card at the fare gates, then go through fare gates. Make sure you are taking the right train for your destination.

Things you need to know before riding on Bart!

Before your trip starts make sure you look at the Bart Map, at every Bart station there is a Bart map and cost of ticket fare.

The cost for your trip? Depending where you are going to where you are coming from will determine the price. Also if it is one-way or round-trip.

BART operates during the following hours:

Weekdays (5:00 am - 12:00 am)
Saturday (6:00 am - 12:00 am)
Sunday (8:00 am - 12:00 am)

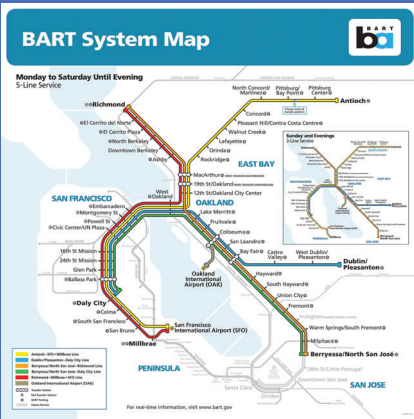
Did you know Bart has an app so that way you can have access where to go? Yes, there is an app! If you don't have access to a mobile device. **THAT IS STILL GREAT!** We can still get you to your destination. You can also visit the service agent at the BART station to ask any questions you have.

Examples on what to look for when taking Bart



The bart map that you will find at every Bart station. Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) connects the San Francisco Peninsula with communities in the East Bay and South Bay. BART service currently extends as far as Millbrae, Richmond, Antioch, Dublin/Pleasanton, and Berryessa/North San José.

Once you have planned your trip, got your clipper card. You scan your clipper card through the BART fare gates then sometimes there is escalators or elevators to go to your platform destination.



BART Fares

From Millbrae to:

Station	One Way	Round Trip
15th Street-Oakland	4.95	9.90
16th Street-Mission, SF	4.60	9.20
19th Street-Oakland	4.95	9.90
24th Street-Mission, SF	4.55	9.10
Ashby	5.15	10.30
Bay Area	4.15	8.30
Bay Fair	5.95	11.90
Castro Valley	6.25	12.50
Chic Center/IN Plaza	4.60	9.30
Coliseum	5.45	10.90
Colma	3.75	7.50
Concord	7.65	14.10
Daly City	3.95	7.90
Downtown Berkeley	5.25	10.50
Dublin/Pleasanton	7.35	14.70
El Cerrito del Norte	5.65	11.30
El Cerrito Plaza	5.50	11.00
Embarcadero	4.65	9.30
Fremont	7.25	14.70
Fruitvale	5.25	10.50
Glen Park	4.30	8.60
Hayward	6.25	12.50
Lafayette	6.10	12.20

CLIPPER

Along with the bart map, you will always find a Bart fare sheet that has all the different prices for your trip. If you have an iPhone or an android, you can get a clipper card and save \$3 by getting the clipper card from your wallet on phone or downloading the app.



The Steps to take Cal-train

Let's take a ride on Cal-Train!



1. Plan your trip. Where will you be going?

Things you need to know before riding on Cal-train!

2. Arrive at the station early . Buy your tickets at the fare machine, incase there is no machine. Get the clipper card mobile app

Caltrain provides commuter rail service along the San Francisco Peninsula, through the South Bay to San Jose and Gilroy. You are able to go on the website to check the routes start to finish

You are able to receive a discount on your ticket/clipper card if you under 18 years old.

Always check online to see which train is in service, for example, Weekends of June 10-11, 17-18: No Train Service between San Francisco and Millbrae

3. Board the correct train, a station agent will come by everyone to check if everyone has paid for the correct train.

Cal-train has an app where you can download on iPhone or Android. The app helps you make your trip easier. Also, if you have a bike you are able to take it with you, for each public transporatation you can take your bike along.

Note Cal-train provides one bathroom every train.

Examples on what to look for when taking Cal-Train



The cal-Train is provided through the website, app, or at every cal-train station. If you cannot find one, make sure to let the station agent know and they will help you.



This is the ticket machine that you will be looking for when you arrive, then you will receive a clipper card or ticket. Keep in mind you pay for the physical clipper card only once.



Once you board, you will find a seat like the image shown above. There is 2 levels and depends if you want to sit above or below, it is your choice.

Example Trip on Cal-train

Scenario 1: Miguel has been invited to the San Jose sharks at the SAP center. He lives in East Palo Alto so he needs to navigate himself to San Jose

Step 1: Miguels will either use his mobile device to go on the Cal-train app or he can also use the public library to use the computer and go on the Cal-train website. He will enter where he is located at and where he wants to go. He will have to take Samtrans to the Palo alto Cal-train station.

Step 2: Once he arrives to the Palo Alto Station, he will board on the San Jose Diridon, someone will scan his ticket to continue his way to the SAP center.

Step 3: Once he arrives at the San Jose Diridon station he will have to walk a couple minutes to the SAP Center, it is about a 5 min walk.

The Steps to take SamTrans!

Let's take a ride on Samtrans



**1. Plan your trip.
Where will you be going?**

Things you need to know before riding on Samtrans!

For each route has a PDF version online you can see for each city and how far it can go to.

Adult, Youth and Eligible Discount Ticket Packages (10 local-fare tickets per pack)

SamTrans accepts cash (exact change only), SamTrans Mobile app, paper tickets and Clipper.

2. Find fare, get clipper card/ticket put in the amount of money that you need for your trip

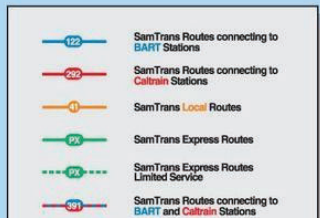
3. Arrive at the SamTrans bus stop, step in the correct bus, you can use the exact amount of cash, bus ticket, or clipper card

Remember on every app that was suggested has the times and which exact bus to take. Also there is a SamTrans app provided

Examples on what to look for when taking SamTrans



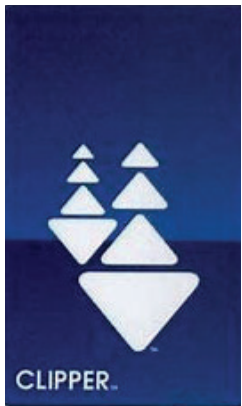
samTrans BUS ROUTE MAP



The SamTrans Map system is big but you can see it on their website or app! Also, you can print it out from a computer.

Once you have planned your trip, got your clipper card. You will wait at the bus stop, and inside you can sit wherever you choose to.

Youth can use their clipper card app, their physical one, or they can use exact change. When you enter the bus, you can scan or put your money right in the machine in front of the bus driver



MORE INFO

**Bart's customer service #: 510-464-6000 or
for trip planning assistance #: 510-465-2278**

Cal-train's customer service #: 1-800-660-4287

Samtrans customer service # : 1-800-660-4287

**511 SF BAY: You are able to call 511 for any information to public
transportation**