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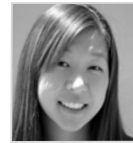
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Beat the rush and get your RT Student photo ID card before the school year begins!

RT Student photo ID cards can be obtained at the RT Customer Service and Sales Center for only \$2 during the month of August (\$3 after Friday, August 31). Students (age 5 to 18) must show proof of current school enrollment, or be accompanied by a parent or guardian to receive an RT Student photo ID card.

Monthly and semi-monthly student stickers (fare) can be purchased at retail outlets throughout the Sacramento region (stickers must be affixed to a valid RT Student photo ID card). Imagine all the places you can go ... the movies, shopping and more!

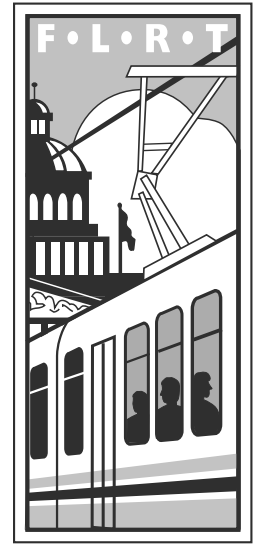
Buy your Student photo ID at:

Customer Service and Sales Center
1225 R Street
(adjacent to the 13th Street light rail station)
Weekdays: 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Closed weekends and most holidays

Opinions About Public Transit?

Friends of Light Rail & Transit (FLRT) is conducting a survey and would like your input. The survey will take approximately 30 seconds to complete, but will go a long way to help improve future transit projects and programs in the Sacramento region.

A new survey, focused on different transit topics, will be posted every four months. For more information about FLRT and to complete the survey, visit www.friendsoflighttrail.org.



Next Stop News is produced monthly by the Sacramento Regional Transit District to keep passengers informed about current RT news and community events.

Email questions or comments about Next Stop News to nextstopnews@sacrt.com

Rider Alert

September 2012 Service Improvements

Effective Sunday, September 2, 2012, RT will implement major service improvements that will extend night service on light rail and nine major bus routes, increase frequency on highly-utilized bus routes, and restructure bus routes to better serve riders.

New Service

Weekdays: 95 (Citrus Heights - Antelope Road)

Saturdays: 11 (Truxel Road) and 54 (Center Parkway)

Extended Night Service

Weekdays: Light Rail (Blue Line and Gold Line), 1, 21, 23, 30, 51, 56, 80, 81 and 82

Saturdays: Light Rail (Blue Line and Gold Line)

Extended Evening Service

Weekdays: 11 and 25

Increased Service Frequency

Weekdays: 1, 25, 30, 51 and 55

Schedule Changes

Weekdays: 1, 5, 13, 19, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 30, 34, 51, 54, 55, 56, 65, 72, 80, 81, 82, 88 and 103

Saturdays: 1, 19, 21 and 25

Sundays: 1, 19, 21 and 55

Minor Schedule Changes

Weekdays: 15, 84 and 212

Route Changes

1, 5, 19, 22, 25, 26, 34, 54, 55 and 86

Discontinued Routes

Weekdays: 14, 16 and 31

Saturdays: 22, 34 and 47

Sundays: 34

A detailed summary of the September 2012 service improvements and new timetables can be found online at www.sacrt.com.

New pocket timetables and the September 2012 Bus & Light Rail Timetable Book/System Map will be available at the RT Customer Service and Sales Center located at 1225 R Street (adjacent to the 13th Street light rail station) beginning Monday, August 27, 2012.

Learn About September 2012 Service Improvements

Stop by one of RT's information booths to learn about changes that may affect your route.

Tuesday, August 7

3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. – Mather Field/Mills and Iron Point light rail stations

Wednesday, August 8

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. – Arden Fair Mall Transit Center

3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. – Arden/Del Paso light rail station

Thursday, August 9

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. – Broadway light rail station
3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. – Meadowview light rail station

Tuesday, August 14

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. – 29th Street light rail station
3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. – 16th Street and University/65th Street light rail stations

Wednesday, August 15

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. – Sunrise Mall Transit Center (Arcadia Drive)

3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. – Watt/I-80 light rail station

Thursday, August 16

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. – Florin Towne Centre Transit Center (65th Street and Sky Parkway)

3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. – St. Rose of Lima Park (7th & K) light rail station and 7th & K bus stop

Tuesday, August 28

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. – Cosumnes River College Transit Center (Bruceville Road east entrance) and City College light rail station

Wednesday, August 29

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. – American River College Transit Center (Orange Grove Avenue and College Oak Drive)

Thursday, August 30

1 p.m. to 3 p.m. – CSUS Transit Center (J Street and Carlson Drive)

The September 2012 service changes are the first-year TransitRenewal service improvements based on community input. TransitRenewal – a comprehensive operational analysis of the RT bus and light rail system – resulted in recommendations on how to restore, restructure and “renew” transit service through 2017. RT is focused on serving the needs of our communities, and providing the most productive and efficient transit service within available funding.