



MONTHLY/DAY PASS PROGRAMS

| TYPE | PROGRAM NAME | DESCRIPTION | DISCOUNT | PAYMENT | MIN. PARTICIPANTS | DISTRIBUTION | RENEWAL PROCESS | BENEFITS | NOTES | CONTACT | SITE LINK |
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| Employer | ECO Pass | Employers are offered a special discounted rate for pre-purchasing an annual number of monthly Regional and Rapid Express passes and providing them to employees as a benefit. | Discounted from 10-25% based on the number of passes prepurchased per month: 25-100 passes = 10% 101-400 passes = 20% 401+ passes = 25% *Discount only available on Adult passes | Annual prepaid contract. Invoiced prior to issuing passes. Pay by check only. | 25 per month | 1. Automatic Reload to Compass Card 2. Manual load to Compass Card with use of Compact Point of Sale (CPOS) device | Annual Contract Renewal and Prepayment | 1. Corporate Tax Benefits 2. Guaranteed Ride Home / iCommute | 3-month Pilot Program available for new employer contracts (requires 3-month pre-purchase, minimum of 25 passes per month). | Jessica Krieg Manager of Advertising 619-557-4574 Jessica.Krieg@sdmts.com | MTS ECO Pass: https://www.sdmts.com/fares-passes/pass-programs Tax Benefits: https://www.icommutesd.com/docs/default-source/employer/commuter-tax-benefits-flier.pdf?sfvrsn=2 iCommute Guaranteed Ride Home: https://www.icommutesd.com/commuters/guaranteedridehome/req.aspx |
| Employer | Pre-Paid Benefits (PPB) | Employers that would like to purchase transit passes on a monthly basis managed by spreadsheet submission and automatic reload. | Not discounted | Contract agreement required for month-to-month pass distribution and invoicing. Check and electronic payment in the form of an ACH accepted. No credit card. | 20 per month | 1. Automatic Reload to Compass Card 2. Manual load to Compass Card with use of Compact Point of Sale (CPOS) device located on-site for participant to manually load passes as needed. | No renewal required after initial contract. | 1. Corporate Tax Benefits 2. Guaranteed Ride Home / iCommute | For issues and/or questions regarding billing and payment contact the Compass Service Center by calling (619) 595-5636 | Jennifer Rodriguez Compass Services Supervisor 619-595-1300 ext. 4601 Jennifer.Rodriguez@sdmts.com | MTS ECO Pass: https://www.sdmts.com/fares-passes/pass-programs Tax Benefits: https://www.icommutesd.com/docs/default-source/employer/commuter-tax-benefits-flier.pdf?sfvrsn=2 iCommute Guaranteed Ride Home: https://www.icommutesd.com/commuters/guaranteedridehome/req.aspx |
| Individual / Group | Pass-By-Mail | Individuals or groups that would like to purchase monthly transit passes by mail. | Not discounted | No contract. Month-to-month payment. Enclose check or money order payable to "MTS" with the order form. | No minimum. | 1. Pass loaded to existing Compass Card (provide 16-digit ID number) or request new Compass Card and pass. Pass orders are mailed. | Submit order form Attn: Compass Card Sales/Finance; MTS 1255 Imperial Ave., Suite 1000, San Diego, CA 9211 | 1. Guaranteed Ride Home / iCommute (for those that use transit to commute to/from work). | Allow 7 to 10 business days for processing. No more than 2 passes can be purchased per card at a time (cap at 60 days of transit). For reloads, allow 3 business days. | MTS Compass Card Sales/Finance 1255 Imperial Avenue, Suite 1000 San Diego, CA 92101 Ivan Ponce Regional Revenue Administrator 619-557-4562 Ivan.Ponce@sdmts.com | ORDER FORM: http://511sd.com/docs/librariesprovider12/compassdocs/cc-order.pdf?sfvrsn=2 |
| Events | Special Event Day Passes | Special event 1-, 2-, 3- and 4-day passes are available for discounted prices when purchased with 21-day advance notice and when used together as a group for a date specific event for the duration of the pass valid date(s). You can also order custom-printed passes for orders over 100 passes. | Discount available for group orders over 100 passes when passes are used to travel for specific group outings and events. Discounted Price (100-999): 1-Day Pass - \$4.50 2- Day Pass - \$8 3-Day Pass \$11 4-DayPass \$14 Plus \$1 additional Compass Card or Custom printing fee per pass | Payment must be made by check or money order prior to receiving Day Passes. Make check payable to "MTS" and mail to MTS 1255 Imperial Ave., Suite 1000, San Diego, CA 92101 Attn: Ivan Ponce. | No minimum. | All Day Passes are issued on Limited Use Compass Cards. Orders of 100 or more have the option to custom print (specific consecutive dates required). | Submit order form via email to Ivan.Ponce@sdmts.com or Fax: 619-234-3407 | Receive your "tap on first use" passes in advance, prior to your event. Easier and more convenient than trying to purchase a large quantity in person at the ticket machine. | Custom printed 5-, 6- and 7-day passes are available upon request. Please call MTS at 619-557-4562 for pricing. Passes provided on "Limited Use" Compass Cards designed for a one-time use and cost only \$1 per card (versus the standard \$2 fee per Compass Card designed for multiple use). | Ivan Ponce Regional Revenue Administrator 619-557-4562 ivan.ponce@sdmts.com | ORDER FORM: https://www.sdmts.com/fares-passes/pass-programs |
| Bulk | Bulk/Rush Orders | Purchase Bulk or Rush 1-Day Passes for your event or group when you cannot provide 21-day advance notice required for Special Event order. | Not discounted. \$5 Day Pass plus \$1 for Limited Use Compass Card | The Transit Store accepts: cash, check, credit (Visa/Master Card, Transit Vouchers and money orders. ID is required with check and credit payment. | No minimum. | If paying by credit card, pick up in person at the Transit Store: 1255 Imperial Ave., San Diego, CA 92101. M-F 8a-5p. For mail orders, allow | Submit order form to the Transit Store via Fax: 619-234-5067 or email transit.store@sdmts.com | Receive bulk "tap on first use" passes for use anytime. | Please allow 7 or more days to process orders of 100 cards or more. For mail orders, allow 21 business days advance notice and send the order form to Ivan Ponce, at Ivan.Ponce@sdmts.com or call 619-557-4562 (payment must be either check or money order). Passes provided on "Limited Use" Compass | Transit Store 619-234-1060 Monday - Friday, 8am-5pm (closed weekends and major holidays) | ORDER FORM: https://www.sdmts.com/fares-passes/pass-programs |
| Teachers | Classroom Day Pass | Special reduced fares are available for 12 students or more (pre-school through high school) organizing a field trip together with a max of 1 adult chaperone (at least 19 years old) per every 5 students. | Pre-school - High School Students: \$1.50 per person - MTS & NCTD regularly scheduled routes (Bus/Trolley/SPRINTER) \$3 - COASTER \$2 One-Way / \$4 Round Trip - Coronado / San Diego Bay Ferry | Payment must be via check, cashier's check, or money order payable to MTS. Payment due upon confirmation of trip. | 12 or more students (one chaperone at least 19 years old per five students required). | Certified mail (for orders received at least 14 days before trip) or in-person pick up. | Submit order form | Program is designed for teachers and students up to age 18 (pre-school to high school) | Reservations must be made at least 10 business days in advance. Trips with NCTD may require more advanced notice. Larger groups may be placed on more than one bus or Trolley at different times to not overcrowd one route at any given time. The COASTER and the Ferry can only accommodate groups up to 135. Some NCTD routes cannot accommodate large groups. Seating is first-come, first-served. All cancellations must be received 48 hours in advance for rescheduling. NO REFUNDS. | MTS Day Pass Coordinator Phone: 619-233-9558 (calls are returned M-F, 9am-5pm). Fax: 619-696-3961 100 16th Street San Diego, CA 92101 | ORDER FORM: https://www.sdmts.com/fares-passes-pass-programs/classroom-day-passes |
| College Students | College Monthly | College students may purchase a discounted monthly pass sold only on campus to current enrolled students (visit site link to view a list of participating colleges). | \$57.60 (current, valid student picture ID required for purchase) | Sold at participating schools. Payment method varies by school. Some schools accept CASH ONLY. | Limit one pass per student while supplies last. | Sticker applied directly to current, valid student picture ID. | Purchase monthly at participating school. | Unlimited rides all month. No dealing with parking hassles. | Students must meet a minimum credit requirement for their respective school to qualify. Pass is VOID if removed from ID card. Monthly passes not available in January. | Contact your campus Accounting Office, Cashier's Office, Ticket Office or Activites Window. | https://www.sdmts.com/fares-passes-pass-programs/college-passes |
| College Students | College Semester | Each semester, participating colleges sell a reduced transit pass valid for the entire semester. Many schools include a subsidy, making the semester pass an even better value. | Pass Price varies per campus (price is determined by the number of days in each semester). | Visit the site link to see where the semester pass is sold at your campus. Some colleges require CASH payment only. No refunds, no exceptions. | Limit one pass per student while supplies last. | Sticker applied directly to current, valid student picture ID. | Purchase at the beginning of each semester. Visit the site link for on sale location. | Unlimited rides all semester. No dealing with parking hassles. | Semester Pass valid on regular MTS and NCTD bus, Trolley and SPRINTER services. Not valid on MTS Rapid Express / NCTD COASTER or FLEX. Current valid student picture ID required for purchase. Pass is VOID if removed from ID card. | Visit site link for on sale location. Semester Passes only sold on campus at participating colleges. | https://www.sdmts.com/fares-passes-pass-programs/college-passes |
| College Students | UC San Diego U-Pass | Triton U-Pass is a UC San Diego universal transit pass program that provides students unlimited ridership all school year on all regional MTS and NCTD bus and light rail services thanks to a student fee referendum passed in Spring 2014. | FREE | FREE (included for all current undergraduate and graduate students who have paid quarterly registration fees). Eligibility verification and student ID required. | One U-Pass per student | Use your phone as your mobile ticket to ride. Students download the Compass Cloud app on iPhone or Android using current, valid @ucsd.edu email address. | Visit u-pass.ucsd.edu for details. | Ride all school year long! No dealing with parking hassles. | Triton U-Pass Valid on all regional MTS and NCTD bus and rail routes. EXCLUDING the following services: NCTD: COASTER, FLEX and LIFT MTS: Rural Routes (888, 891 and 894), Rapid Express Routes (currently 270, 280 and 290) and Access. UC San Diego Extension students and visiting scholars are not eligible for the program. | UC San Diego Commute Solutions Curt Lutz, Manager 858-534-3043 Fax: 858-534-3043 Mail Code: 0011 | http://transportation.ucsd.edu/alternatives/transit/u-pass.html |