



Young Person's Free Bus Travel Scheme for Under 22s Across Scotland from 31 January 2022

If you have had a Young Scot card previously you will already be registered on the system so you can contact 0131 200 2351 and they can help get the bus pass through your Young Scot account.

5–21 year olds in Scotland can officially apply for **FreeBusTravel!** Please only apply now if you need to make essential journeys.

The scheme starts on 31 January 2022 and you must have a National Entitlement Card (NEC) or new Young Scot NEC to benefit from this scheme, which has to be scanned each time you board a bus. There are a range of ways to apply – including for those without digital access / photo ID Find out more and apply <https://bit.ly/3sZm3vX>

PLEASE NOTE THAT AN EXISTING YOUNG SCOT CARD WILL NOT WORK AND YOU NEED TO APPLY FOR A NEW CARD

5-15 year olds your parent or guardian will need to apply on your behalf
16-21 year olds should apply themselves

To get your new card, please go to **getyournec.scot** and apply for your new card, the scheme is delivered by **Transport Scotland** <https://cutt.ly/fUN9Di5> details are in links, check **Young Scot Facebook** for latest info.

If you are having trouble applying for the new NEC bus pass due to not having photo ID you can go to your local library.

You **MUST** take the following with you –

1. Birth certificate
2. A letter addressed to you or your parents if under 16
3. A picture (doesn't have to be passport photo as the library can adjust size but needs to be like a passport photo and good quality etc.)

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Tip: upload all your info at the same time, good luck