

SEPTA Summer Student Fare Card

Transportation Services



Summer Student Fare Cards

- SEPTA's Summer Fare Cards are blue and are valid for travel on all SEPTA vehicles during the summer.
- They can be used daily from Monday to Friday between 6 AM and 6 PM.
- The fare cards are available in five-day or weekly increments and will be available from June 20th to August 4th, 2023.



Eligibility

- Summer program sites that do not require mileage eligibility will receive SEPTA Fare Cards for all participating students.
- For summer programs with mileage eligibility, SEPTA Fare Cards will be distributed to participating students based on transportation eligibility criteria.
- To determine student eligibility when using transportation eligibility, students must be loaded into Compass.



Distribution and Delivery

- Schools/Offices must provide Transportation with a count of the number of students who require Summer Fare Cards at each program location.
- This information can be provided via the following distribution and delivery details [link](#).
- Transportation staff will begin preparing packets of fare cards two weeks prior to the program's start date.
- These packets will then be delivered to the designated summer program location for distribution.
- To streamline the tracking of student information, schools should use the [Summer Program Student Form](#).
- Each student must sign next to their printed name to confirm receipt of the Fare Card.



Payment Options

- Effective July 1st, 2023, the weekly rate for the Summer Fare Cards is \$19.392.
- Payment can be made using a School District Charge Account or a check.



Academic Office Requirements

- Academic offices must confirm the site capacities by April 1st and provide a student enrollment count by the Friday before Memorial Day.
- Additionally, academic offices must provide Transportation with program, site, and contact information.



Lost, Stolen, or Damaged Fare Cards

- Programs and sites will receive an inventory of SEPTA Fare Cards and will be able to distribute replacement cards to students who report their cards as lost, stolen, or damaged.
- To report a card as lost, stolen, or damaged, schools must send an email to the Fare Card Coordinator at nlatimore@philasd.org.
- Reported cards will be sent to SEPTA nightly for deactivation.
- Please note that once a card has been deactivated by SEPTA, it cannot be reactivated.

