

## ENHANCED CONCESSION SCHEMES

With effect from 6 April 2014, the following enhancements will be made to the existing concession schemes:

### **a) Free Travel for Children under Seven Years Old**

All children below seven years of age, regardless of height, can travel for free on basic bus services<sup>1</sup>, express bus services and trains. Children above 0.9m and below seven years old will require a Child Concession Card to enjoy the free travel. Parents can visit any TransitLink Ticket Office (TO) or Concession Card Replacement Office (CCRO) to apply for the Child Concession Card. The concession card will be valid till 30 April of the year the child turns seven years old.

The child's full name, Birth Certificate Number and date of birth are required for application. The parent or proxy will also be required to produce his/her NRIC. For children who are non-Singapore Citizens or non-Singapore Permanent Residents, parents can apply using their child's and their own passports.

### **b) Unlimited Train Rides for Train and Hybrid Monthly Concession Passes**

Unlimited train rides will be allowed on all Train and Hybrid Monthly Concession Passes (MCPs), which is an enhancement over the current cap of four train rides a day.

### **c) Lower Monthly Concession Pass Prices**

In addition, the following MCPs will cost less:

#### School SmartCard Concession Passes

Prices of Hybrid MCPs will be reduced for both Primary and Secondary/JC/ITE school students.

<b>Category</b>	<b>Bus Pass</b>	<b>Train Pass</b>	<b>Hybrid Pass (bus and train)</b>
Primary	\$22.50*	\$20.00*	\$41.00 [Current Price : \$42.50]
Secondary/JC/ITE	\$27.50*	\$25.00*	\$51.00 [Current Price: \$52.50]

(\*price unchanged)

#### University Student Concession Passes

<sup>1</sup> Basic Bus Services exclude Express Bus Services, Fast Forward, Nite Owl, Night Rider, CityShopper, Chinatown Direct, Stadium Direct and any other premium services.

University students will enjoy greater cost savings when they purchase the Hybrid MCP.

<b>Bus Pass</b>	<b>Train Pass</b>	<b>Hybrid Pass (bus and train)</b>
\$52.00*	\$45.00*	\$85.00 [Current Price: \$97.00]

(\*price unchanged)

#### Full-Time National Servicemen (NSF) Concession Passes

NSFs will enjoy up to 23% savings off their current pass prices.

<b>Bus Pass</b>	<b>Train Pass</b>	<b>Hybrid Pass (bus and train)</b>
\$52.00 [Current Price: \$61.00]	\$45.00 [Current Price: \$50.00]	\$85.00 [Current Price: \$111.00]

#### **d) New Monthly Concession Pass Category for Polytechnic Students**

A new MCP category has been created for Polytechnic Students. The prices of MCPs for Polytechnic students will be made the same as that for Junior College students. This means almost 50% savings off the current pass prices which are presently pegged to that for tertiary students.

<b>Bus Pass</b>	<b>Train Pass</b>	<b>Hybrid Pass (bus and train)</b>
\$27.50 [Current Price: \$52.00]	\$25.00 [Current Price: 45.00]	\$51.00 [Current Price: \$97.00]

Current polytechnic students without a concession card may apply for one either through TransitLink's website: [www.transitlink.com.sg](http://www.transitlink.com.sg) or at any TransitLink TO. Polytechnic Students will receive their cards from their respective institutions after the application is processed.

#### **e) New Monthly Concession Pass for Senior Citizens**

Senior Citizens (SC) will be able to enjoy unlimited travel on basic bus services and trains with the purchase of the new SC Hybrid Monthly Concession Pass. The MCP priced at \$60 is designed specially to cap the monthly travel expenses of SCs who travel extensively. Existing SC cardholders will continue to enjoy concession fares.