

Senior SmarTrip Card makes travel easier and affordable.

What is a Senior SmarTrip Card?

- The yellow Senior SmarTrip card is a “must” for people 65 and older who want to benefit from reduced fares on public transit. It makes it easier and more economical to take advantage of public transit alternatives and exercise non-driving options.
- Riders 65 years and older can use a Senior SmarTrip card to travel for free or at a discount on Ride On, Metrobus, Metrorail and other Regional Bus Services.

How does the Senior SmarTrip Card work?

- The Senior SmarTrip cards costs \$2. To purchase the card, seniors show a valid government issued photo ID with proof of age at any library in Montgomery County, the Division of Treasury at 255 Rockville Pike, Suite L-15, Rockville, MD (Mon-Fri from 8:00 AM-4:00 PM), the Mobile Commuter Store or Silver Spring TRiPS Commuter Store located at 8404 Colesville Road, Level 2 of the Paul Sarbanes Transit Center (Mon-Fri from 6:00 AM-6:00 PM and Sat - Sun from 7:00 AM - 5:00 PM).
- To pay for a trip, Metrorail users touch the card to the target on the fare gate upon entering and exiting. Ride On, Metro and other Regional bus service users touch it to the target on the farebox upon entering the bus, the fare amount is then deducted from the total on the card.
- With a Senior SmarTrip card, you can ride free on Ride On and Metrobuses in Montgomery County from 9:30 a.m. until 3 p.m., Monday through Friday and 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Saturday.
- Although your Senior SmarTrip card will be registered upon purchase, users are encouraged to create an online account linked to their card. This will make it easier to replace the card if it is lost, stolen or damaged. The card balance will be forwarded to the replacement card.

How do I add value to my card?

- Cardholders can open a SmarTrip account online, link their card to the account and then add value to the card. Visit: <https://smartrip.wmata.com/Account/Create> to open an online account.
- Cardholders can also add value at Montgomery County Division of Treasury, Metro Stations, Regional Public Transit and Silver Spring TRiPS or Mobile Commuter Stores.



Is assistance available by telephone?

- Yes. Contact Metro’s SmarTrip call center at: 888-762-7874 or TTY 703-620-8782