

A New Way to Pay Your Fares!

Great news for parents of students who use our school bus services (even if it's just on the rare occasion)

From the start of Term 1 2024, Brisbane Bus Lines is introducing the **TransportMe** electronic ticketing system to all our public school bus runs.

TransportMe is an electronic ticketing solution with huge benefits for students, schools, parents, and bus operators, such as:

- Payment of fares using an electronic smartcard, with the parent managing card funds through the TransportMe app.
- Secure tracking of student's travel in real-time, including push alerts.
- Use of student travel data by bus operators to better plan and manage their school bus network.

Who gets a TransportMe smartcard?

Any student who is **registered** with Brisbane Bus Lines (and does not currently have a smartcard) will be issued with a smartcard before the start of Term 1 2024. This will include instructions on how to set up the smartcard in the TransportMe app.

My child is not registered but will sometimes use the bus service – what should I do?

We are actively encouraging all parents to register their child for a smartcard, even if they travel rarely, or just to travel home with friends now and again.

How do I register my child for a smartcard?

There are two ways you can register your child with Brisbane Bus Lines:

- Click [here](#) to access the TMR Online Portal to lodge your application. TMR will then forward your application to us for processing.

Or

- Click the link below to download and complete a PDF copy of the QLD Government – Bus Travel Application Form:

[BTA Application Form.PDF](#)

Please email the completed BTA form to us at Schools@brisbanebuslines.com.au

We look forward to welcoming your child on our school buses next year and hope you will join us on this next exciting chapter in school bus transport.

Questions or feedback?

If you have any questions or feedback concerning this announcement, please email us at schools@brisbanebuslines.com.au