



# City of Seattle

## YOUTH ORCA PROGRAM



### Want an ORCA card?

If you are not eligible for an ORCA card from Seattle Public Schools, you may be eligible for the City of Seattle Youth ORCA program. These ORCA cards improve access to school for students that would otherwise walk or pay for transit.

The ORCA cards distributed through this program will be valid September 2017 through August 2018. Income eligibility for this program is consistent with many other programs including: SNAP, Free and Reduced Lunch, and ORCA LIFT. ORCA cards are valid on King County Metro, King County Water Taxi, Seattle Streetcar, Sound Transit, Community Transit, Pierce Transit, Kitsap Transit, and Everett Transit.

#### ELIGIBILITY EXCEPTIONS

Students that receive specialized transportation are eligible for an ORCA card through the Youth ORCA program.

Other eligibility exceptions will be evaluated upon request. Inquiries should be emailed to [YouthORCA@seattle.gov](mailto:YouthORCA@seattle.gov).

#### HOW TO SIGN UP

Students enrolled in the program last year do not need to complete a new application. Students are automatically re-enrolled in the program.

**New applicants need** to fill out the application and get a parent or legal guardian's signature. Students that are 18 or older do not need a parent or guardian signature.

#### WHERE TO SIGN UP

In September, the Youth ORCA program will be hosting events at high schools. Please visit [www.seattle.gov/youthorca](http://www.seattle.gov/youthorca) to see a list of events.

Students may also submit a completed application to the front office of their school.

Nuevo programa para estudiantes de educación secundaria que no reciben la tarjeta ORCA a través de la escuela y que viven en hogares con ingresos por debajo de los que figuran en la tabla. Más información en [www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA](http://www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA).

Chương trình mới dành cho các học sinh trung học không nhận được Thẻ ORCA thông qua trường học và sống trong một hộ gia đình có thu nhập dưới mức liệt kê trong bảng. Để biết thêm thông tin, mời truy cập [www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA](http://www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA).

新项目适用于没有学校配发的ORCA卡，且居住在收入低于表中所列数目家庭中的高中生。更多信息请参看[www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA](http://www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA)。

Barnaamij cusub oo loogu talagalay ardayda dugsiga sare, kuwa aan Kaarka ORCA ka qaadanin dugsiga ee la nool reer dakhligooda ka hooseeyo xisaabta ku qoran jadwalka, waxay macluumaad badan ka heli doonaan [www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA](http://www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA).

For more information, please email [YouthORCA@seattle.gov](mailto:YouthORCA@seattle.gov) or call (206) 256-ORCA (6722) or visit [www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA](http://www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA)

### To be eligible for the program you need to:

- Be a student in Seattle Public Schools (grades 6 – 12);
- Not currently receive an ORCA card or yellow bus service from Seattle Public Schools; and
- Live in a household that has an income under the amount listed in the table below.

INCOME ELIGIBILITY	
Household Size	Max Household Income
1	\$24,120
2	\$32,480
3	\$40,840
4	\$49,200
5	\$57,560
6	\$65,920
7	\$74,280
8	\$82,640

If your student qualifies for the Youth ORCA Program, you may qualify for reduced transit fare with ORCA LIFT. For more information, visit [www.orcalift.com](http://www.orcalift.com) or call (206) 553-3000.



If you are not eligible for the City of Seattle Youth ORCA Program or Seattle Public Schools-provided ORCA cards, you may be eligible to purchase an ORCA youth card from King County Metro. For more information about getting your ORCA youth card from King County Metro, visit <http://bit.ly/MetroORCAYouth>



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### Application

2017 -2018

The City of Seattle is collecting this information to manage the program and will not voluntarily share this information with other entities or programs. Should the City of Seattle receive a public disclosure request for this information, it will make every effort to preserve student confidentiality to the extent permitted by law.

<b>Last Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	
<b>Student ID</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Grade</b>

To be eligible for this program, household income must be less than the maximum household income as defined in the chart. Please check the box below if your household income is within the eligible limits.

**Check if income eligible**

<b>Household Size</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>Max Household Income</b>	\$24,120	\$32,480	\$40,840	\$49,200	\$57,560	\$65,920	\$74,280	\$82,640

By signing below, you are ensuring the information above is correct and you agree to the City of Seattle Youth ORCA Program Rules.

<b>Student Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

<b>Parent or Guardian Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>
<i>Students that are 18 or older do not need a parent or guardian signature.</i>	

### City of Seattle Youth ORCA Program Rules

Program participants are expected to follow the Metro Code of Conduct, <http://kingcounty.gov/depts/transportation/metro/about/safety-security/code-of-conduct.aspx>.

Missing/lost cards: A fee of \$5 will be charged for the first card replacement. A fee of \$25 will be charged for any subsequent replacements. Please visit [www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA](http://www.seattle.gov/YouthORCA) for details on card replacement.

To be filled in by City of Seattle or School staff:

<b>ORCA card serial number</b>
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