

A GUIDE TO RIDING THE BEE-LINE SYSTEM

Expand Your Travel Possibilities



ABOUT THE BEE-LINE “FIXED ROUTE” SYSTEM

WELCOME ABOARD

- “Fixed route” service is bus stop oriented and buses will only stop at a bus stop.
- Operates close to 60 bus routes offering local, limited stops and express service in and around Westchester County.
- With over 3,300 bus stops system wide, many Westchester County residents live within walking distance of a Bee-Line bus stop.
- Buses offer many accessibility features including kneeling buses, wheelchair lifts or ramps, automated stop announcements and electronic destination signs.
- Reduced Fare Program: If you are at least 65 years of age or have a qualifying disability, you pay a reduced fare at the rate of \$1.35 per ride.



ACCESSIBILITY FEATURES OF THE BUS



- Ask the driver to kneel the bus or to provide use of the lift/ramp.
- Allow the bus to fully deploy before boarding.
- When using the lift, follow the driver's instructions.
- Always hold onto the handrails when boarding or existing the bus.



REDUCED FARE METROCARD

A Reduced Fare MetroCard is personalized with your name and photo.

How to apply:

- Available to individuals at least 65 years of age or certified disabled persons.
- You will need to show a photo ID and proof of your birth date.
- Reduce Fare MetroCard is good for two years.
- A new Reduced Fare card will be mailed to you before the expiration date.

Where to apply:

- At the MetroCard Van when it visits Westchester on the third week of every month.



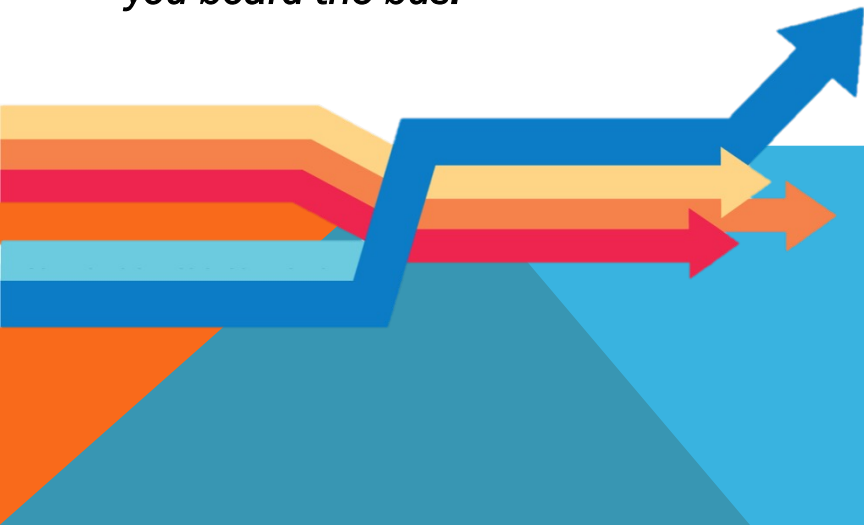
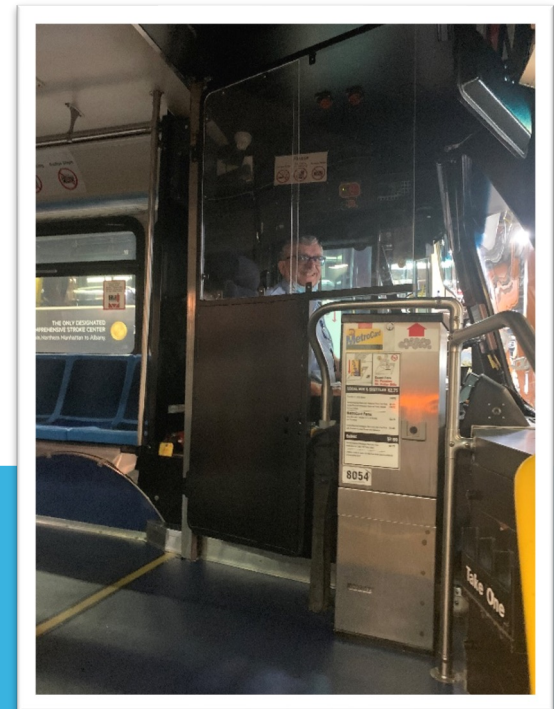
PAYING YOUR FARE

Using a Reduced Fare MetroCard:

There are three ways you can use your Reduced Fare MetroCard:

1. Show it to your bus driver as your ID and pay your fare with exact change. **No dollar bills or pennies**
2. Add money to your Reduced Fare MetroCard and use it as a debit card.
3. Sign up for the Easy Pay automatic refill payment option using your debit or credit card.

Please have your Reduced Fare MetroCard out and ready before you board the bus.



SAFETY IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY.

Tips to protect yourself and others when riding on a Bee-Line Bus

- **Wear a mask is option** but encouraged when entering, on and exiting the bus.
- **Bring hand sanitizer** for cleaning hands after touching surfaces such as handrails.
- **Practice social distancing** at the bus stop, entering, on and exiting the bus.



Buses in use are cleaned twice a day with an approved CDC safe disinfectant product.



HOW TO GET INFORMATION



By Phone:

- Call the Bee-Line Information Center at **(914) 813-7777**.
- An Information Agent is available **weekdays 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. and weekends 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.**
- An automated phone system is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Online:

- Visit us at www.westchestergov.com/beelinebus
Trip planning visit Google Maps at www.maps.google.com/transit

In Person:

- Bus schedules are available on board many of the buses in the “Take One” box.

