



TAP Card Primer

Ready to start traveling more sustainably?

A TAP card is the transit pass card of Los Angeles County. This reloadable plastic card holds your fare and makes it easy to pay for your travel. You simply load the card with value or an agency pass and TAP when boarding a bus or entering a train station. TAP works on and fluidly between multiple agencies like LA Metro, Big Blue Bus, Culver City Bus and more. Fare is automatically collected and transfers are as well.

Ready to start TAPPING? You can purchase a TAP card from vending machines at Metro stations, at Metro Customer Centers, the Big Blue Bus transit store, as well as online at taptogo.net.

Santa Monica employees can also request a TAP card pre-loaded with \$5.25 fare for new transit users. Get in touch with your Employee Transportation Coordinator for more information!

