



Cascades East Transit Service Update March 2021

Redmond Proficiency Academy Group Pass Program

Through the RPA Group Pass Program, students are able access CET's Bend Fixed-Route and regional Community Connector services at no cost! Students learn first-hand how to navigate the public transportation system—a valuable life skill that builds a sense of independence! Students may also utilize public transportation services for trips beyond school to visit friends and family or reach an after-school job or activity. To utilize the service, students just need to show their RPA student ID to the driver. To plan your bus trips, visit CascadesEastTransit.com

CET Service Update

CET is currently operating on regular weekday schedules for Bend Fixed-Route and Community Connector services. Please visit CET's website for service updates. Fares for all CET services (except for Mt. Bachelor Shuttles) are currently suspended to reduce interactions between drivers and passengers.

Health & Safety Update

The health and safety of all CET riders and staff is a top priority, and never more so than during the coronavirus pandemic. CET continues to implement Oregon Health Authority (OHA) guidelines for transit agencies and other safety protocols to reduce the spread of COVID-19:

- Buses are disinfected on a regular basis
- Drivers and passengers are required to wear face coverings when boarding and riding buses, as well as at bus stops, shelters, and facilities
- Seats are sectioned off to allow for 3 ft of physical distance between passengers and 6 ft of distance between passengers and drivers
- Keep your distance from others while waiting for the bus. Concrete squares on the bus loading platform at the Redmond Transit Hub are spaced five feet apart, so students should line up using the squares to maintain adequate social distance
- Maximum occupancy signage is posted on each vehicle
- Fare collection (including E-fare) is temporarily suspended to avoid the exchange of money and reduce interactions between passengers and drivers
- Hand sanitizer is provided in all buses and transit stations
- Hawthorne station is open for bathroom use only



