

# Independent travel training



Helping young people with additional needs to travel independently

## Who is it for?



The training is FREE to young people with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND) who are eligible for school transport assistance.



## What does it involve?

- Learning to travel on public transport safely, with one-to-one training
- Progressing from short, supported journeys to observed journeys and finally to independent travel.

## What are the benefits of attending?

- Increased self-confidence and resilience
- Learn problem solving skills
- Supports independence in preparation for adulthood
- Opens up access to activities
- Independent travel is useful when finding and maintaining employment
- A greater feeling of safety in the community

Those eligible will receive a Reading bus pass for free home-to-school travel once training has been successfully completed.

## How to book

Contact the School Transport Service:

📞 Call them on 0118 937 2542

✉ Email them at:

school.transport@brighterfuturesforchildren.org



More info