

# Tempe in Motion-bus, bike, walk, rail

Need a ride to where you're going? Tempe and Valley Metro offer bus service seven days a week. Most Tempe buses run Monday through Saturday until 1 a.m. and Sunday until 10 p.m., with rush hour service every 15 minutes Monday through Friday from 6 to 9 a.m. and 3 to 6 p.m. Or, you can ride your bike. Tempe is a bicycle friendly community, with more than 165 miles of bikeways. All buses are equipped with two bike racks and most major destinations in Tempe provide convenient bicycle parking. For free Tempe Bikeway and Transit System maps, call-480-350-2775 or visit [www.tempe.gov/tim](http://www.tempe.gov/tim).

## Fare Facts

	Local Service	Discount Local Service	Express Service
One-ride	\$1.25	\$0.60	\$1.75
3-day pass	\$7.50	\$3.75	n/a
7-day pass	\$17.50	\$8.75	n/a
All-day pass	\$2.50	\$1.25	\$3.50
31-day pass	\$45	\$22.50	\$68
Semester pass	\$160	n/a	n/a

People ages 6 to 18, 65 and older and people with disabilities are eligible for discount fares. Children under 6 ride free with a fare-paying adult.

## Free Fare:

Youth ages 6 to 18 who live in Tempe are eligible for a free Valley-wide transit pass. Applicants must provide their birth certificate and proof of Tempe residency. In order to get the free pass, youth ages 6 to 17 must bring a parent or guardian to the Tempe Transit Store, located at 502 S. College Avenue, to sign a permission form. Visit [www.tempe.gov/tim](http://www.tempe.gov/tim) for a registration form and eligibility list.

ASU students who present a valid ASU ID are eligible to receive a free Valley-wide transit pass. ASU employees are eligible for a reduced fare Valley-wide transit pass. Tempe campus students and employees may get their U-Pass from the ASU Decal Sales Office. All eligible participants at West, Downtown Phoenix and Polytech (East) campuses may get their U-Pass at their respective campus parking offices. For more information, contact ASU at 480-965-1072 or visit [www.asu.edu/parking](http://www.asu.edu/parking).

## Light rail safety

METRO is testing light rail vehicles in Tempe. Each vehicle in the METRO fleet must be checked to ensure it meets safety and performance specifications. The rail, signals, power system and all other components are also tested to ensure quality performance. Light rail is an extremely quiet mode of transport, so residents are encouraged to:

- Listen for bells and look for flashing train headlights.
- Use the crosswalk and obey all signals.
- Don't stop your car or bike on the tracks.
- Obey the traffic signals; turn left across tracks only with a green arrow
- No biking, walking or skateboarding in the trackway.

METRO will begin operation December 29 with a grand opening celebration on December 27 and 28. For more information, visit [www.metrohightail.org/safety](http://www.metrohightail.org/safety).

## Who to Call

TIM Office	480-350-2775 <a href="http://www.tempe.gov/tim">www.tempe.gov/tim</a>
Valley Metro Routes & Schedules	602-253-5000 <a href="http://www.valleymetro.org">www.valleymetro.org</a>
Tempe Transit Store	480-858-2350

## Get There in A FLASH

Tempe's free local area shuttle serves ASU and downtown Tempe approximately every 10 minutes on weekdays. Flash Forward, which operates in the clockwise direction, runs Monday-Thursday from 7 a.m. to 1 a.m. and Friday from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Flash to University Drive and Flash Back, which operate in the counterclockwise direction, run Monday-Friday from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. (regular hours)

## Orbit (Free Neighborhood Circulator)

Orbit (Tempe's free neighborhood circulator system) serves many neighborhoods north of the US 60 and operates from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m., every 15 minutes, seven days a week. Routes include Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars and Jupiter.

## Dial-A-Ride

East Valley Dial-A-Ride provides transportation for senior citizens age 65 and older, people with disabilities and ADA certified passengers. For trip scheduling call 480-633-0101. For TTY-TDD (hearing and speech impaired) call 480-813-8789.

## Bus Routes in Tempe

1	Washington	66	68th Street/Mill
30	University	72	Scottsdale/Rural
44	44th Street/Tatum	76	Miller
45	Broadway	77	Baseline
56	Priest	81	Hayden/McClintock
61	Southern	92	48th Street/Guadalupe
62	Hardy	108	Elliot
65	Mill/Kyrene		Red Line

## Tempe Transit Store

The Tempe Transit Store is located at 502 S. College Avenue at the corner of College Avenue and 5th Street in downtown Tempe. Hours of operation are Monday through Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (Closed on Sundays and all major holidays.) Transit fare media and services available include local and reduced fare all-day passes, 3-day, 7-day and 31-day passes.

