



Your **Safeway EasyPass** gives you access to the East Bay, San Francisco, and the Peninsula. Use this handy pocket guide to learn how to get around using AC Transit. Our buses run 24 hours a day in more than two dozen cities and unincorporated areas, and we cross the Bay, San Mateo, and Dumbarton bridges.



Planning Your AC Transit Trip

There are four ways to plan your AC Transit trip:

- Use online trip-planning tools at www.actransit.org, www.511.org, or on Google Transit at www.google.com/transit.
- View maps and schedules on our Web site at www.actransit.org.
- Pick up our printed maps and schedules from the Safeway store's Management Office.
- Call the AC Transit Information Center at 511 (and say, "AC Transit," then say, "Information").

Using Real-Time Departures

Real-Time Departure information lets you know when the next bus will be at your stop, so you don't have to wait longer than you need to. You can access Real-Time Departures on the web, by phone or text message, or on electronic signs at select bus stops. Each bus stop has a Stop ID number that you can reference when you phone or text. Look for the Stop ID number on most bus stop pole signs or on the web. Visit www.actransit.org/realtime for more info.



Printed Maps & Schedules

We publish two system maps that together cover the AC Transit service area: *San Pablo to Oakland*, and *San Leandro to Fremont*. We also publish individual pocket schedules with a route map for each bus line.

Using Pocket Schedules

Most pocket schedules list several of the bus stops along the route, with the times the bus is expected to arrive at each stop. These stops are called "time points." There are usually additional bus stops between the time points. Just find the time point closest to where you are starting your AC Transit trip and read down the column under the time point in order to find the time you need to be at the bus stop.

Boarding the Bus

Bus stops are marked with the AC Transit logo and display the bus lines that stop there. Most bus lines have stops every few blocks. Make sure you are on the correct side of the street for your direction of travel. Wait for the bus as close as possible to the bus stop pole to make it easier for the bus operator to see you. You don't have to signal the bus, but doing so will help ensure that the operator doesn't miss you by mistake. When the bus arrives, check the line number or letter to make sure it's the bus you want.

Stopping the Bus

Request your stop by pulling the cord, pressing the button on the pole, or pressing the button above your head (on the green, commuter-style buses). The "Stop Requested" sign will light. If you are not sure when your stop will be coming up, ask the operator to let you know.

Accessibility

All AC Transit buses have built-in features—passenger lifts, ramps, handrails, and kneelers—that make it easier for seniors and persons with disabilities to ride. Priority seating is clearly marked on every bus with signs above or near the seats. If you are a senior or a person with a disability, you may ask the operator to remind non-disabled passengers to vacate a seat for you.

Bringing Your Bicycle

All AC Transit buses have a rack on the front for two bikes. You may load a bicycle at any time of day, with no extra fare or permit. Cyclists must load and unload their own bikes.

EasyPass Destinations Map

On the back of this guide, you will find a handy map of restaurants, shopping districts, BART stations, and entertainment options that you can get to by using your EasyPass on bus lines that travel near Safeway. AC Transit can get you nearly anywhere a car can, without the parking hassles or expense! Hop on board any line and begin a new adventure. Be sure to double check the schedule before you ride to ensure the line is running when you want.



For more information, visit:

www.actransit.org
www.actransit.org/easypass



Places to Go with Your Safeway EasyPass



Line 7:

- Downtown Berkeley BART
- North Shattuck Shopping/Gourmet Ghetto (Cheeseboard Pizza, Triple Rock Brewery)
- **Safeway**
- Mira Vista Golf & Country Club
- El Cerrito Del Norte BART/AC Transit/Golden Gate Transit & Ferries/WestCAT

Line 18:

- North Shattuck Shopping/Gourmet Ghetto (Cheeseboard Pizza, Triple Rock Brewery)
- **Safeway**
- Solano Avenue Shopping (Pegasus Books, Zachary's Pizza)
- Albany Twin Theatre

Line 25:

- Lalime's Restaurant
- Fat Apple's
- El Cerrito Plaza BART
- Pacific East Mall (99 Ranch Market, Sheng Kee Bakery)
- Costco, Richmond
- Point Isabel Regional Shoreline

Line 67:

- Tilden Park

Line FS:¹

- **Safeway**
- Downtown Berkeley BART
- San Francisco

Berkeley Connections

Line 1, 1R:

- Downtown Berkeley BART
- Telegraph Avenue Shopping (Moe's Books, Amoeba Music)
- Temescal Shopping (Pizzaiolo, Genova Delicatessen)
- MacArthur BART
- Summit Medical Center
- Oakland Ice Center Rink
- Downtown Oakland

Line 51B:

- Rockridge BART
- Rockridge Shopping (Claremont Diner, Market Hall)
- Trattoria La Siciliana Restaurant
- Downtown Berkeley BART
- Fourth Street Shopping (Books Inc., Bette's Oceanview Diner, Sur La Table)
- Berkeley Amtrak
- Berkeley Aquatic Park
- Eastshore State Park
- Berkeley Pier

Line 52:

- United Artists Theatre
- California Theatre
- Shattuck Cinemas
- Mike's Bikes
- UC Berkeley Campus
- Greek Theatre
- North Berkeley BART
- Ashkenaz Music & Dance

Line 65:

- Lawrence Hall of Science
- Downtown Berkeley BART

Line 72, 72M, 72R:

- Hilltop Mall (Macy's, JC Penny, Sears, Wal-Mart)
- Contra Costa College
- El Cerrito Del Norte BART/AC Transit/Golden Gate Transit & Ferries/WestCAT
- Rialto Cinemas Cerrito Theatre
- El Cerrito Plaza BART
- El Cerrito Plaza Shopping (Barnes & Noble, Bed, Bath & Beyond, Ross Dress for Less)
- Ashkenaz Music & Dance
- REI
- Sea Salt Restaurant
- Albatross Pub
- Paramount Theatre
- Downtown Oakland
- Jack London Square (Regal Cinemas Jack London Stadium 9, Yoshi's Jazz Club & Japanese Restaurant, Miss Pearl's Jam House)

Lines F, FS, G, and H are Transbay Routes¹

Line F:

- Greek Theatre
- Downtown Berkeley BART
- Ashby BART
- East Bay Bridge Center (Office Max, Best Buy, Target)
- Ikea
- AMC Theatres
- Bay Street Shopping (Apple Store, Williams-Sonoma, Pottery Barn)
- Powell Street Plaza Shopping (Marshall's, Ross Dress for Less)
- San Francisco

Line G:

- El Cerrito Plaza BART
- Fat Apple's
- Solano Avenue Shopping (Pegasus Books, Zachary's Pizza)
- REI
- San Francisco

Line H:

- Mira Vista Golf & Country Club
- Berkeley Horticultural Nursery
- The Natural Grocery Co.
- REI
- Jimmy Bean's
- San Francisco

Line 800:

- Richmond BART/Amtrak/AC Transit/Golden Gate Transit & Ferries
- Downtown Berkeley BART
- 12th Street BART
- San Francisco

¹ Transbay routes are identified by letters instead of a number. Visit www.actransit.org to find a transbay stop to board. Commute focused lines FS, G, and H connect Berkeley and San Francisco during the day. The line F runs day and night, while the line 800 transports riders after midnight.

Check before you ride – line schedules vary with direction and time.

