

Travel Tips

- Priority seating is available to senior citizens and disabled customers at the front of the bus.
- Service animals for the hearing and visually impaired are allowed on the bus
- Radios and CD players must be turned off while riding the bus.
- Eating, drinking and smoking are NOT allowed on the bus.
- Parcels and packages shall be kept on the laps and strollers shall not block the aisles, Additional fare may be required if packages occupy additional seats.

SPARTA PASSENGER CENTER

100 N Liberty Street
Spartanburg, SC
29304

Phone: 864 562-4BUS (4287)
Fax: 864 595-2722

Transit Fares	
Adult	\$1.25
Student	\$.75
Elderly (w/ Photo ID)	\$.75
Disabled	\$.75
Children (under 36 inches tall)	FREE
Complementary Paratransit	\$1.80
Transfer	\$.30

Deposit your coins into the farebox. If you are using a pass, please insert it in the farebox each time you board. If you are a senior citizen, student or disabled, please show the driver your I.D. card prior to depositing your fare.

Off Peak (9am-3pm & all day Saturday)	
Elderly (w/ Photo ID)	\$.50
Disabled (w/ Photo ID)	\$.50

Passes	Adult	E & D	Student
31 Day	\$37.50	\$18.75	\$18.25
10 Ride	\$11.25	\$6.25	\$6.25
1 Day	\$2.50	\$1.25	\$1.25
5 Day	\$11.25	\$6.25	\$6.25



FIXED ROUTE HOW TO RIDE GUIDE



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RIDE SPARTA!

SPARTA can take you practically anywhere you want to go in Spartanburg. Service is provided Monday through Saturday (except holidays). Please see route schedules for times and maps. **PLANNING YOUR TRIP IS SIMPLE.**

HOW DO I START?

- Plan your scheduled trip. Route schedules are available on each bus and at the **SPARTA** Passenger Center at 100 N. Liberty St or call 562-4BUS (562-4287) for information.
- Find your destination on the map.
- Find the starting point where you will board the bus and wait at that point.
- Look at the time points from left to right to get an idea of where the bus will travel along its route. Many bus stops fall between time points and do not have exact times listed on the schedule. If your bus stop is located between two time points, refer to the nearest time point shown before your location.

NOW YOU ARE READY TO RIDE

- Arrive at the bus stop three to five minutes before the bus is scheduled to arrive, according to the prior time point on the schedule. Please remember that the bus will board customers at designated bus stops only. **SPARTA** bus stops are blue with the route color and name. It also includes the **S P A R T A** logo.
- Make sure you are at the bus stop as the bus approaches your stop. This will let the bus operator know that you wish to board. Watch carefully for your route number on the bus. Many bus stops are served by more than one bus, so ensure you are getting on the right bus. If you are not sure, ask the operator.
- Enter the bus through the front door and pay your **fare**. You may pay with cash, tickets or passes. **Medicare cards are accepted as proof of disability for SPARTA Handicap ID, which can be used for a reduced fare.** Please have the fare ready before entering the bus. Fareboxes accept dollar bills and coins. **There is no need for exact fare. The farebox will issue change cards for future use with SPARTA.** Reduced fare customers are required to show proper identification card with fare payment. The required age for seniors is 65 with proper ID card. Hold on to the handrail as you find a seat; the bus may begin to move before you sit down. The seats close to the front of the bus are reserved for senior and disabled customers.

- Signal the operator that you want to get off by pressing the yellow tape or pulling the cord near the windows. **BUSES WILL ONLY STOP AT BUS STOPS** to ensure safety. Remain seated until the bus comes to a complete stop. Please give the Bus Operator enough notice so that he/she may make a smooth stop. Exit through the rear door if possible to allow new customers to board through the front.

REDUCED FARE PROGRAM

Persons with a Medicare card or a physician-certified disability are eligible for the reduced fare program. A SPARTA ID must be shown when boarding the bus in order to ride utilizing the program. A certification application can be obtained by contacting the **SPARTA Passenger Center**.



All SPARTA buses are wheelchair accessible