

Etiquette Guide to Transit

Transit Etiquette is a topic discussed across the world and right in our own backyard. Included in this brochure are some guidelines for courteous behaviour when riding transit. Please refer to By-Law 4284 for more information.

Courtesy Seating

The seats at the front of the bus are reserved for people with disabilities or injuries, seniors and expectant mothers. Anyone seated in this area should willingly give up their seat when a customer requiring courtesy seating boards the bus.

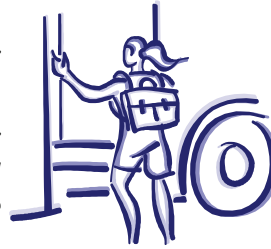
Fares

Please have your fare ready when you board the bus. When paying cash, please have exact change as bus drivers do not carry change. Monthly and punch passes offer discounts for everyone. Passes can be purchased at various locations around the City.



Move to the Back

Once you have boarded the bus please move to the back. This will allow more room for people who are boarding.



Strollers

Strollers should be folded before boarding the bus.

Personal Belongings

Please ensure that all of your belongings are placed on your lap or at your feet. This will leave aisles clear for easier movement of passengers. Backpacks should be taken off and carried to avoid hitting other passengers when moving through the bus.



Trash on the Bus

All buses are equipped with garbage cans for your use. Please place any trash in the bins. This will help keep Yellowknife Transit vehicles clean.



Unsuitable Language

The use of profanity on public transit is unacceptable. Please remember you are sharing your ride with many other people. Respect others by keeping your language clean.

Graffiti

Yellowknife Transit works hard to provide you with clean vehicles for your ride. Thousands of dollars are spent each year to clean up graffiti. Please keep transit vehicles graffiti free.

Loud Noises

Personal listening devices are welcome on Yellowknife Transit. Please listen to them at a reasonable volume as the people seated around you may not enjoy the same music as you.



Exiting the Bus

Please exit the bus by the rear doors when possible. This aids in a smooth transition allowing people on and off the bus at the same time.

General Transit Information

There are three regular and two express transit routes in the Yellowknife Transit System. Buses are identified as follows:

Route 1 - Borden/Downtown/Range Lake

Route 2 - N'dilo/Downtown/Forrest Drive

Route 3 - Saturday/Summer/Christmas

Express - Borden/Northlands

Express - Frame Lake South

Buses run from approximately 6:40 a.m. to 7:40 p.m. Monday to Friday. The Saturday schedule operates from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. ***There is no transit service on Sundays or Statutory Holidays.***

The transfer station is located at Sir John Franklin High School and allows transfers from Route 1 to Route 2 and vice versa.

Summer schedule begins the first week of July and runs until the last week of August.

Over the Christmas Holidays, transit runs on the Route 3 schedule.

Bus schedules and passes are available at:

- Sutherland's Drugs
- Reddi-Mart (Downtown)
- Direct Charge Co-op
- Village Reddi-Mart
- City Hall
- Multiplex
- Ruth Inch Memorial Pool



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For more information on the Yellowknife Transit System, routes and schedules call 920-5653 or visit the City's web site at www.yellowknife.ca.



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