

**STUDENT TRANSPORTATION FEE**

In an effort to provide Sequoias Community College District (District) students with affordable commuting solutions, to encourage public transit use, and to alleviate traffic congestion and severe parking challenges, the Board of Trustees has authorized a mandatory and **non- waivable** transportation fee. Education Code Section 76361.1 provides the statutory authority for the District to charge this mandatory and non-waivable fee if such fee was voted upon and approved by students of the District.

A majority of the District's students who voted at the September 23, 2010 Associated Student Body election approved the Board's implementation of such fee which provides students with unlimited ridership within the District which includes Visalia, Tulare, Kings County, and Tulare County Transits. Student Senate held an election May 6-8, 2014 to increase the Transit Fee, which was approved by a majority vote of the student body.

The student transportation fee to be charged for each semester, including summer session, has been established by the Board of Trustees as:

\$10.00 for students taking 6 or more units

\$ 9.00 for students taking under 6 units

Information regarding the student transportation fee is included in the General Catalog and on the District's web site. Board Policy 5030 (Fees) and Administrative Procedure 5030 (Fees) outline specific information regarding this and other mandatory fees.

References: CA Senate Bill 82; Education Code Section 76361.1  
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