

English National Concessionary Travel Scheme

APPLICATION / EVIDENCE

FOR TRAVEL TOKENS



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Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Other	<input type="text"/>
Surname	<input type="text"/>
First Name(s)	<input type="text"/>
Telephone Number	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth	<input type="text"/>

Permanent Address

<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>
Post code

All applicants will be required to provide:

Proof of residency: i.e. a recent utility bill or driving licence.

(This must be your permanent residence and not a holiday/2nd home).

Proof of identity:

Please provide proof of signature. i.e. credit/debit card, passport or driving licence.

Proof of eligibility: (see over for evidence required).

I confirm that I am entitled to apply for Travel Tokens because I meet one or more of the following requirements:-

- A. I am aged 80 or over.
- B. I am blind or partially sighted.
- C. I am profoundly or severely deaf.
- D. I am without speech.
- E. I have had my driving licence refused/revoked, (or it would be refused), on medical/physical fitness grounds.
- F. My disability seriously impairs my ability to walk.
- G. I am without the use of both arms.
- H. I have a learning disability.
- I. I am severely impaired and apply for an additional allocation of tokens for a companion to assist me in travelling on public transport.

Name and address of companion/residential home/school/other

<input type="text"/>

I certify that all the information given on this form is correct and that I am eligible to apply for the concessions offered to me by the council under the criteria detailed. In accepting these Travel Tokens I forfeit my right to a free bus pass.

Wychavon District Council is under a duty to protect the public funds it administers. It may check information provided to it with other bodies responsible for auditing or administering public funds, and with other information it holds, in order to prevent and detect fraud.

Signed _____ Date _____

A Proof of age (80 or over) – Birth Certificate, Driving Licence, Pension Book (Indicator J), letter from Pension Services or Passport.

B Blind or partially sighted – Proof of registration with Adult & Community Services or medical evidence that they are registerable on the blind and partially sighted register from an eye specialist is required.

C Profoundly or severely deaf – Proof of registration with Adults & Community Services or medical evidence that they are registerable from an aural specialist is required.

D Without speech – Must be supported by medical evidence from a suitable specialist.

E Driving Licence refused or revoked on the grounds of physical fitness –i.e;

- Epilepsy, unless it is the type that poses no danger.
- Severe mental illness.
- Sudden attack of giddiness or fainting.
- Inability to read a registration plate at 20.5 meters with lenses worn.
- Other disability which is likely to result in danger to others if driving.

F Has a disability which seriously impairs the applicant's ability to walk – Applicants must be able to produce any of the following documentary evidence of eligibility;

- Higher rate mobility component of Disability Living Allowance (DLA).
- War Pensioner's mobility supplement.
- Severe Disablement Allowance.

Or applicants will need to provide medical evidence to support their claim that their walking ability is permanently and substantially impaired.

G Does not have arms or has long term loss of the use of both arms – This category includes upper limb double amputees and those with congenital absence of both arms. This covers those with deformity of both arms and those who have both arms but cannot use them.

H Has a learning disability which includes significant impairment of intelligence and social functioning – Applicants in this category will have a learning disability from birth which reduces their ability to understand new or complex information, a difficulty learning new skills and maybe unable to cope independently. The person should be able to qualify for specialist services and may have had special education provision.

I Requires a companion in order to travel safely on public transport – Must be able to produce proof of receipt of the carer's allowance. Be employed by a residential home/school who care for/provide support for the applicant. This category can also be assessed by the Local Authority.

Where the applicant has no proof of their disability but is clearly disabled, the Local Authority will assess these cases and reserve the right to contact their G.P. This will not be done without the applicant's approval.

Office use only

ID checked

Showing proof of Residency
(if none, check Electoral Roll)

Eligibility

Showing signature

R or T

Issued by _____ Date _____

Data Protection – The personal information that you supply to the Travel Concession Authority will be stored in electronic form and/or paper files. This information/data is subject to the provisions of the Data Protection Act 1998 and the Travel Concession Authority is the controller for the act.