



**Kent Children
and Young People**

To Secondary School Headteachers

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Dear Colleague,

Free bus travel for young people and families this summer holiday

Further to my letter of 16th June, thank you for giving the free bus passes to pupils in Years 11 and 13 as requested. We are now in a position to promote the free bus pass offer more widely to pupils and families.

As mentioned in my previous letter, you will receive sufficient printed passes to give to all pupils in the remaining year groups (7, 8, 9, 10, and 12). These will be posted direct to the school by the printers within the next two weeks. **Pupils/parents can also be emailed the digital Young Person's Bus Pass. This is a simple pdf which can be found and downloaded [here](#).** To use the digital pass, young people will need to download this onto their phone or take a screenshot.

In my letter of 16th June, I said I would provide more information on how Family Bus Passes will be accessed. These will predominantly be digital. Parents will be able to request one through our website. We will also have limited stocks of printed passes that can be picked up from designated collection points, which are detailed on our website. The Family Bus Pass flyer (sent as an attachment in the email with this letter) provides the details parents will need. **Please email the Family Bus Pass flyer to all parents/carers.**

More information about the bus pass offer can be found on [our website](#).

If you have any further queries, please email us at reconnect.kentcyp@kent.gov.uk or call a member of the Programme Team on 03000 423423.

Yours sincerely

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