

# Commuter Resources

Sustainable Transportation Options for Students, Faculty and Staff





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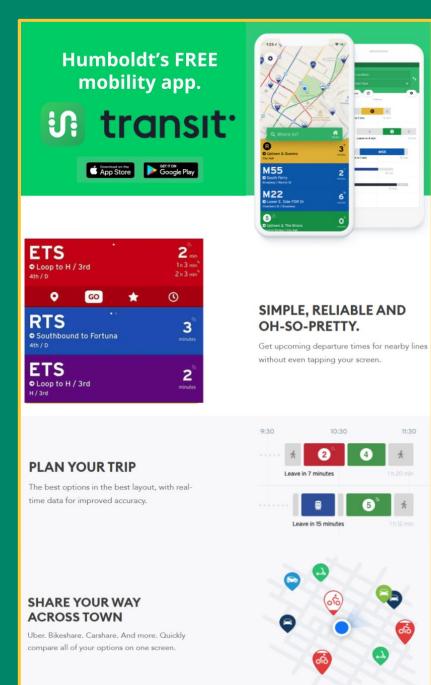




### Download the FREE Transit App onto your devices

- See in real-time the locations, arrivals and departures of buses and other transportation options.
- Use the Transit App to help plan your trips.





### **Humboldt Transit Authority Trip Planner**

- All bus services operating in Humboldt County.
- https://hta.org/



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Starting Location	ACV Airport Willow McKinleyville Creek	Provider
Destination	Manila HSU Blue Lake	Redwood Transit System
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Departing after 10:58 AM	Fields Landing College of the Redwoods	Arcata & Mad River 💿 🔵
GET DIRECTIONS More Info	Loleta Fernbridge Rio Dello Scotia Myers Flat Redway Garberville Benbow	Eureka Transit Service
		Southern Humboldt Intercity
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#### Riding the Bus

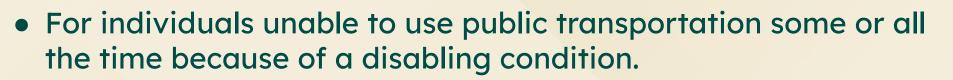
### **Jack Pass**

- Students: **FREE** unlimited bus rides fall and spring semesters with your student ID!
- Faculty/Staff: only \$60/semester unlimited rides (a savings of \$140/semester!)
- Only \$30 per summer session.
- Includes Redwood Transit System (RTS), Eureka Transit System (ETS), Arcata & Mad River Transit System (A&MRTS) and Willow Creek-Arcata.
- https://parking.Humboldt.edu/bus-riding





### **Dial-A-Ride**



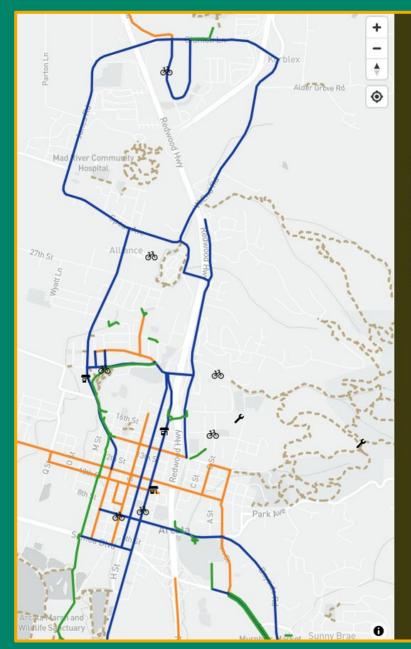
- Shared-ride service that compliments fixed route bus services.
- Serves Eureka, Arcata, McKinleyville, Old Arcata Road, Manila, Samoa, Humboldt Hill, King Salmon, Fields Landing, and College of the Redwoods.
- To register for these services, call the HTA office at (707) 443-0826 or download the <u>Dial-A-Ride Application</u>.
- More information at <a href="https://https:/





### Humboldt Bay Area Bike Map

- Online, mobile friendly and interactive.
- https://hcaog.net/map
- Navigate to the bike map from your mobile phone, tablet, or desktop internet browser.
- Shows existing bike routes, connector routes, bike shops and other bicycling services.





Humboldt County offers incredible biking opportunities for visitors and residents alike. Find a new way to commute to work, explore the countryside, take an adventurous mountain bike ride, and more!

To learn more about Humboldt County Bike Routes click here.

#### **Existing Bike Routes**

- 🛑 Multi-use Path 🔅
  - 🗧 Bike Lane 🚯
- Shared Road i
- Natural Surface ()
- 📒 🖬 Bike Shop
- 📒 🇞 Bike Rental
- 📒 ۶ Tool Station

Connector Routes

- Mellow i
- Confident 3
- Brave 3

**Pacific Coast Bike Route** 

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### Humboldt Bike Share

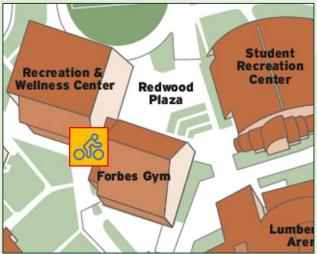


- Download the Movatic app and create an account.
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- When prompted to enter a code, enter FREERIDE for a one-time free ride.
- Use the Movatic app to find the nearest bike share station on campus and throughout Arcata.
- More info at <u>Humboldt BikeShare</u>



### Bicycle Learning Center (BLC)

- Free bike maintenance and instruction by student mechanics for the campus community.
- The BLC shop is located under the stairs at the main entrance to the Rec & Wellness Center.
- Shop hours and more info at <u>https://wrrap.humboldt.edu/bicycle-learn</u> <u>ing-center</u>.
- Instagram: @bicycle\_learning\_center







### Bicycle Parking on Campus

- Bike parking is available across campus, with both sheltered and unsheltered locations.
- Download the **<u>Bike Parking Map</u>**.







## **Avoiding Bike Theft**

- Register your bike with University Police.
- The best locks are U-locks and security chains.
- Lock bike to a bike rack.
- Don't leave the bike in one place for too long.
- Download the <u>How to Prevent Bike Theft</u> <u>flier</u>.

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REGISTER YOUR BIKE WITH UNIVERSITY POLICE 01234	USE A CASE- HARDENED U-LOCK or SECURITY CHAIN	LOCK YOUR BIKE IN A WELL-LIT AREA	DON'T LEAVE YOUR BIKE IN ONE PLACE FOR TOO LONG
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- ALWAYS LOCK TO A DESIGNATED BIKE RACK
- TAKE A PICTURE OF YOUR BIKE IN CASE OF THEFT
- CALL UNIVERSITY POLICE IMMEDIATELY IN CASE OF THEFT OR SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY: 707-826-5555
- VISIT <u>https://wrrap.humboldt.edu/bicycle-learning-center</u> FOR MORE BICYCLING RESOURCES

### Register Your Bike, Get a Free Lock!\*

- Registering your bike with the University Police helps recover and return your bike if it's stolen.
- UPD will give you a free U-lock when you register your bike with them.
- \*While supplies last.
- Stop by SBS room 101 (police station) with your bike.





#### > Car Share

### ZipCar

- Book cars on demand by the hour or day.
- ZipCar covers gas, insurance, parking and maintenance!
- Guaranteed free parking at SBS, Library Plaza and Jolly Giant Commons.
- Learn more and sign up at <u>https://www.zipcar.com/universities/</u> <u>humboldt-state-university</u>







Carpooling

### **RideMatch Network**

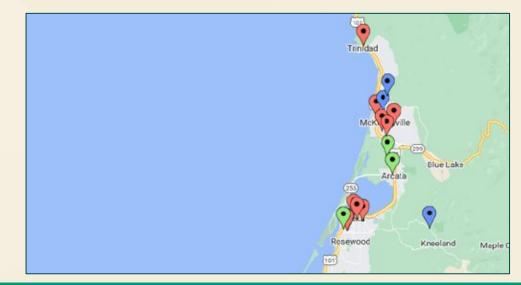
- Connect with others living nearby who are interested in sharing rides to/from campus.
- Save money on gas, parking and maintenance costs.
- Get access to the carpool-only parking lot!
- Must be a current student, faculty or staff member to participate.
- Check out this <u>Ride Match Info</u> for details.

### **It's Free to Participate!**

**Current Students:** Complete the Student Ride Match Interest Form to sign up!



**Current Faculty/Staff:** Complete the Faculty/Staff Ride Match Interest Form to sign up!





Carpooling

### Carpool Preferential Parking

- You can always find parking on campus if you carpool!
- Utilize the RideMatch Service to find fellow carpoolers.
- Save money, reduce carbon pollution and avoid parking headaches.
- More info at <u>https://parking.humboldt.edu/carpool</u> <u>ing</u>.

Are you tired of driving to campus and not being able to find a parking space? Would you like preferential parking on campus? Do you want to do your part to reduce greenhouse gas emissions?



It's as easy as 1, 2, 3

valid General or Staff/Faculty Parking Permit
seconds at the Parking Kiosk
or more people in your car



For complete program guidelines, please visit our website at www.humboldt.edu/parking/carpoolprogram



### **Telecommute Program**

- Employees may telecommute with approval from their supervisor.
- For more information and to apply, go to <u>https://hraps.humboldt.edu/cal-poly-humboldt-telecommute-program</u>.





### **Virtual Ride Board for Long Distance Trips**

Complete the Virtual Going home for Or are you driving Ride Board form and break and need and want to split we'll connect you with a ride? costs for the others heading your way! trip? Sacranento Santa Rosa Virtual Ride Board San Fr form: CALIFORNIA **Bakersfield** 

#### Long Distance Trips

### Homeward Bound Express Bus

- Provides students with discounted and direct round-trip transportation from Arcata directly to San Francisco or Los Angeles.
- More information and getting tickets: http://parking.humboldt.edu/homewa rd-bound-program.

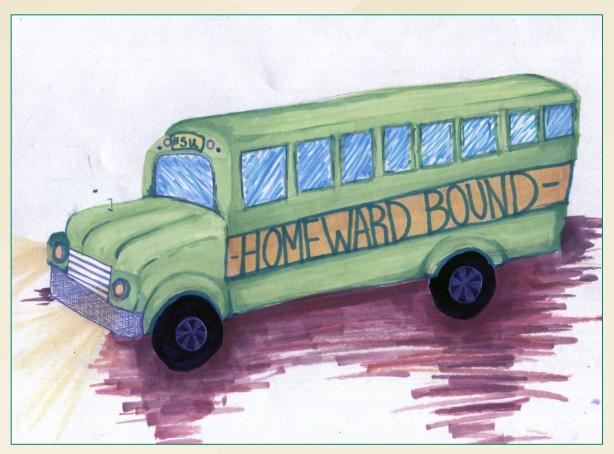


Illustration by Abigail LeForge for The Lumberjack, https://thelumberjack.org/2018/03/07/homeward-bound-bus-wont-break-bank/





#### Long Distance Trips

### Amtrak Train and Bus Services

- Save time, gas and money by taking the bus and train to and from campus.
- Amtrak buses depart/arrive on campus and connect to train service.
- Comfortable seating and free Wi-Fi.
- Student discounts!
- For more information, routes and schedules, <u>https://www.amtrak.com/san-joaquin</u> <u>s-train</u>.

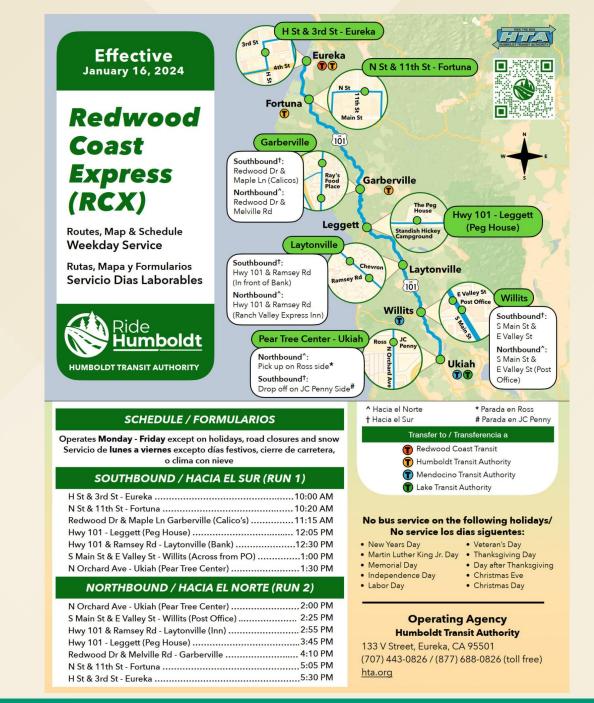




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### **Redwood Coast Express**

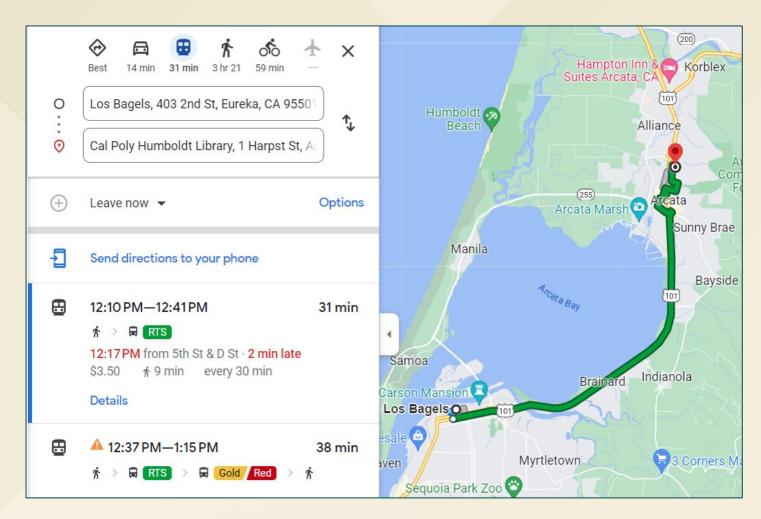
- Low cost express bus from Eureka to Ukiah in Sonoma County!
- Operates Monday Friday except on holidays, road closures and snow
- For more information, route and schedule, visit the Humboldt Transit Authority website, <u>https://hta.org/</u>.



#### > Other Trip Planning Resources

### **Google Maps**

- Choose driving, bus, walking or bicycling.
- Choose departure/arrival times.
- Send Directions to your phone.
- https://www.google.com/maps.



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> Other Trip Planning Resources

### Commuter Cost & Carbon Emissions Calculator

- Quantify the financial and environmental costs (or savings) of your commute.
- <u>https://gsp.humboldt.edu/websites/</u> <u>ComuterCostCalculator/</u>

#### CAL POLY HUMBOLDT

Commuter Cost & Emissions Calculator

Created by the Cal Poly Humboldt Office of Sustainability

Miles from your home to Cal Poly Humboldt:

9

Average number of days you drive to work per week (0 to 7):

4

Average miles per gallon for your vehicle:

36

Average price you pay per gallon of gas:

6

Average monthly parking cost (<u>Students</u>, Faculty/Staff):

315

Calculate

Related Cost Variable is from AAA catalog

Carbon variable is from the U.S. Energy Information Administration, 19.64 pounds of carbon dioxide per gallon of standard gasoline.

Created by Dr. James Graham on behalf of the Cal Poly Humboldt Office of Sustainability.

#### > Other Trip Planning Resources

### **Free One-on-One Commuter Consultation**

For students, faculty and staff, our team is available for one-on-one commute consultations to help you assess your options and answer your questions.

### 15 minute virtual consultation with our Commute Specialist.

- Discover faster and safer routes
- Save money and time
- Fight climate change with an eco-friendly commute

### To schedule your free consultation, email <u>commuterclub@humboldt.edu</u>

- Specify days and times you are available (M-F, 9-4pm)
- A Transportation Specialist will reply with the ZOOM link



