

Independent Travel Training

Information for Students,
Parents and Carers



WHO IS IT FOR?

Travel training is for learners with special educational needs aged between 14-19 years old. This enables them to use public transport and travel independently on journeys to school, college, work experience and internships.

HOW IS IT DONE?

Learners will work one to one with a specialist travel trainer who travels with them until they have the necessary skills and confidence to make the chosen journey independently. The training takes place over a minimum of 3 sessions, up to a maximum of 6, at a time to suit the needs of the learner.



WHAT IS COVERED?

- Road safety awareness
- Journey planning
- Using public transport
- Travel routes & timetables
- Personal safety
- Contingency planning



For more information on this free of charge service contact:

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WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

For Learners, Parents and Carers

Increased confidence, self-worth and independence

Decreased reliance on specialist transport and parents/carers

Improved contribution at school

More opportunities to go out with friends and join clubs

More opportunities to go to college or find a job

For School and Colleges

More confident and independent learners

Improvements in communication and social skills

Potential financial savings on transports costs

