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New College Annual Bus Pass 2025/26 – Year 12 (New Students)

Dear Students, Parents and Carers,

We are writing to advise you on the next steps required should you wish to use the transport provision supplied by the college. The cost of the annual college bus pass will be £450 for the academic year 2025/26. For the year after, 2026/27, the cost of the annual college bus pass will be £500.

At £1.24 per journey, the college bus pass remains very good value, with each journey being approximately 30% cheaper than a single journey ticket on a regular service bus.

We have flexible payment options to support students and families purchasing a bus pass. Your payment options to buy a pass for 2024/25 are:

- 1. A single payment of £450 paid at enrolment
- 2. A payment of £250 to be made by enrolment and further payment of £200 made by Tuesday 30th September.

Payment must be made via our online shop which can be found at https://nclt.collegestore.uk/. During the forthcoming Offer Holder Days in July, students will be informed how to register for the shop, payments for buses and other college services can then be made once students have completed enrolment in August. Stations will be set up at enrolment where students are able to login and make payments on the system, we are a cashless college and all payments will need to be made via the online shop. Please note that the college has the right to allocate students alternative suitable routes depending on the availability of buses across the network. You will receive confirmation of the route assigned at Enrolment Day. Please visit https://ncdoncaster.ac.uk/travel/ where you will find the most up to date information regarding bus routes and timings.

Financial support is available to all students who have successfully applied for a bursary, and who meet the family household income criteria. This can be used to help cover the costs of transport to and from college, equipment and other course related expenses. Please see our website for further details and advice on how to apply for the bursary: www.ncdoncaster.ac.uk/supporting-you-financially.

All students must pay the first instalment of £250 on enrolment day, unless their bursary application has been approved. You can apply for your bursary from Monday 16th June and all applications received before Sunday 20th July will be processed in time for enrolment. Bus passes will not be issued without either first payment or an approved bursary application.

The demand for bus passes is very high and we recommend that students wishing to travel by New College buses pay as early as possible.











Please note refunds will only be issued if a student withdraws from college, please see dates below.

By 30th September 2025 100% refund (of the amount paid)

By 31 October 2025 50% refund (of the £450)

From 1 November 2025 No refund

Information regarding the collection of bus passes will be shared with students on the first day of term. Students will need to show their online shop receipt to collect their pass.

Students will not be permitted to travel by college bus unless they have made at least one payment by the agreed dates outlined in this letter.

Yours Faithfully

Scott Faulkner

Assistant Principal





