

# BUS TRAVEL SCHEME (ARRIVA)

## What is this?

- A new offer on a wide range of bus tickets via Arriva – flexi day and weekly tickets available
- What are Flexi tickets? – these are pre-loaded day tickets which can be used within a 6 month timescale from the point of purchase
- The tickets are initially bought online and a ‘Smart’ card is sent out with the tickets pre-loaded on them
- Tickets can then be topped up online via the University of Bolton link <https://www.arrivabus.co.uk/university-of-bolton> when required, using your Arriva account and then added to your existing card
- Remember, these tickets can be used for ANY journey, not just getting to and from work!
- This gives greater flexibility on tickets, meaning it will meet the needs of non-bus users and people who may require short term tickets
- Offers on alternative to parking in the town centre

## Why should I purchase these rather than standard bus tickets?

- You will receive a special discount which you cannot access on the bus or via the Arriva M-Ticket app – ranging from 15-20% off a normal priced ticket
- A flexible card option meaning no need to worry about scrambling for cash when boarding the bus

## FAQs

- To ensure the discount can be applied – please choose the most relevant ‘SMART’ product when adding to your basket and then enter the specific discount code!
- Other FAQs around smart cards, including delivery times for the initial purchase can be found here - <https://www.arrivabus.co.uk/bus-tickets/arriva-connect/arriva-connect-faqs/>

