

Government Public Transport Fare Concession Scheme for the Elderly and Eligible Persons with Disabilities

**\$2**

# 60+ Hong Kong residents (including eligible persons with disabilities) must use JoyYou Card to enjoy \$2 Scheme



It's time to get your JoyYou Card



JoyYou Card Webpage



**Hong Kong residents (including eligible persons with disabilities) aged 60 or above**

**Hong Kong residents (including eligible persons with disabilities) aged 60 or above must apply for JoyYou Card to enjoy \$2 Scheme**

Each eligible applicant will only be issued with one JoyYou Card

## Anonymous Elder Octopus and ordinary Personalised Octopus are not covered under \$2 Scheme

- From 25 August 2024, eligible beneficiaries must use either JoyYou Card<sup>1</sup> or Personalised Octopus with "Persons with Disabilities Status"<sup>2</sup> to enjoy the \$2 Scheme. Hong Kong residents aged 60 or above (including eligible persons with disabilities), and those reaching the age of 60 in three months, can submit application for JoyYou Card. Each eligible applicant will be issued with one JoyYou Card only.

<sup>1</sup> JoyYou Card is applicable to Hong Kong residents (including eligible persons with disabilities) aged 60 or above

<sup>2</sup> Personalised Octopus with "Persons with Disabilities Status" is applicable to eligible persons with disabilities aged below 60

- There is an expiry date for the "Persons with Disabilities Status" encoded on the Personalised Octopus of eligible persons with disabilities. Eligible persons with disabilities aged 60 or above have no need to apply for renewal of the "Persons with Disabilities Status" after switching to a JoyYou Card.

- Eligible persons with disabilities aged below 60 can continue to enjoy the \$2 Scheme using the Personalised Octopus with "Persons with Disabilities Status".

Card replacement is not required.



## How to apply for a JoyYou Card



Via Octopus App

or

By posting the application form

Applicants should send the completed application form with a copy of their Hong Kong identity card and a 1.5 x 2 inch colour passport photo (with white or plain light colour background) taken within six months by post to the address specified on the application form. JoyYou Card will be mailed to the correspondence address in Hong Kong given by eligible applicants within four weeks upon receipt of the required information and documents.

## Distribution Points of Application Forms

Customer Service Centres of MTR stations\* (except Racecourse Station)

Home Affairs Enquiry Centres of Home Affairs Department\*

Licensing Offices of Transport Department\*

District Elderly Community Centres, Neighbourhood Elderly Centres and Social Centres for the Elderly subvented by the Government\*

Community Support Service Units for Persons with Disabilities subvented by the Government\*

Social Security Field Units of the Social Welfare Department\*

Estate Offices under Hong Kong Housing Authority\*

Hong Kong Housing Society (Rental Estates, Cheerful Court, Jolly Place and The Tanner Hill Management Office)\*

Download from JoyYou Card webpage\*\*  
[www.octopus.com.hk/joyyou/en](http://www.octopus.com.hk/joyyou/en)

\* With return envelope, the consolidated list of distribution points is available on JoyYou Card webpage.

\*\* Postage paid by applicants

## Application Fee

- The HKSAR Government subsidises the administrative fee for the first application of eligible beneficiaries.
- No activation of JoyYou Card is required. It can be used after topping up with an amount higher than HK\$50 via Octopus add-value channels. The initial top-up amount will include a refundable deposit of HK\$50.

## Public Transport Modes and Services under \$2 Scheme



MTR

Domestic MTR services, including Light Rail and MTR Bus (Northwest New Territories)

(Excluding the Airport Express, East Rail Line services to and from Lo Wu, Lok Ma Chau and Racecourse Stations, and first-class service of East Rail Line)



Franchised Buses

Franchised bus routes of Kowloon Motor Bus, Citybus, Long Win Bus and New Lantao Bus

(Excluding "A" and "NA" routes to the airport, racecourse routes, new long-haul services and the routes on a pre-booking and group hire basis)



Ferries

Designated ferry services

(Excluding deluxe class services)



Green minibuses

All green minibuses routes



Red minibuses

Designated services of red minibuses and kaitos approved by the Transport Department to join the \$2 Scheme



Kaitos

A logo of the \$2 Scheme will be displayed at the approved red minibuses and kaitos joining the Scheme



Tram

All tram routes



## Transfer the services on the existing Octopus to JoyYou Card with "Easy Transfer" Service

JoyYou Card holders can transfer the HK\$50 deposit and the remaining value, services and offers from an existing Octopus to JoyYou Card with "Easy Transfer" service at "Octopus Service Points" at designated MTR stations or shopping malls.



About "Easy Transfer" service



Location of "Octopus Service Points"

## Enquiry

### For details of JoyYou Card applications

- JoyYou Card webpage : [www.octopus.com.hk/joyyou/en](http://www.octopus.com.hk/joyyou/en)
- Hotline : 2266 2222



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### For details of the \$2 Scheme

- Labour and Welfare Bureau website : [www.lwb.gov.hk](http://www.lwb.gov.hk)
- Transport Department website : [www.td.gov.hk](http://www.td.gov.hk)
- Enquiries : 1823



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