# Stagecoach Cumbria & North Lancs. and University of Cumbria

## **Corporate Travel Scheme Guidance**

From Monday 21<sup>st</sup> August, students at University of Cumbria will have the ability to purchase exclusive tickets for travel on Stagecoach services in and around Cumbria.

#### How does it work?

- Download the Stagecoach Bus App for free from the App Store or Google store
- Click the link below on a laptop or desktop to be taken to the Stagecoach website: <u>https://www.stagecoachbus.com/corporate-</u> <u>travel-partner/1090c84b25f5437680fe7e62889ff79d</u>
- Scroll down and press the "Get the Stagecoach Bus App" button and scan the QR code with your smart phone.
- Create an account using your university email address and the discounted range of tickets will be available for you to choose from
- Purchase a ticket using a credit or debit card, Apple Pay or Google Pay
- Activate your ticket and show it to the Driver when boarding the bus

You will also need to show your University of Cumbria student ID when boarding the bus.

You can find out more about our Mobile App here: <a href="https://www.stagecoachbus.com/app">https://www.stagecoachbus.com/app</a>

#### What tickets will be available?

Term tickets and Annual UniRider tickets will be available, valid within the North West Gold MegaRider zone.

These tickets are valid on all Stagecoach services in the North West, excluding the N1 service.

Tickets can be used on all Stagecoach services in Cumbria and as far as Dumfries on the 79 and Newcastle Upon Tyne on the 685 service. Tickets can also be used on all Stagecoach services in Lancashire (excluding Stagecoach Manchester services). For full validity details see Ts&Cs on the Stagecoach website.

#### How much will they cost?

Ticket Name	Price
North West Gold Annual UniRider	£500.00
North West Gold Term 1 UniRider	£210.00
North West Gold Terms 2/3 UniRider	£310.00
	(available late
	November 2023)

All important – the link to access the special discounted tickets: <u>https://www.stagecoachbus.com/corporate-travel-</u> partner/1090c84b25f5437680fe7e62889ff79d

Contact for queries: corporate.ticketing@stagecoachbus.com

#### The Small Print:

- Buy on your mobile phone for travel only on Stagecoach buses in the chosen zone
- Once purchased, your ticket must be activated within 3 months. If it is not then the ticket will expire and can not be used. No refunds are available.
- Valid at all times until 0400 the day after expiry.
- Not valid on night buses
- Travel is only permitted where evidence of a valid ticket can be provided to the driver as you board the vehicle. It is your responsibility to ensure your phone battery has enough power to last your journey(s) - no power means no visible ticket and travel will be refused. If you are not able to power your phone to show your ticket to the driver then you will be required to purchase another ticket for your journey from the driver as you board.

## FAQs

#### Q: Are these available to all customers through the app?

**A:** No, these tickets and prices are only available to our corporate travel partners through the app.

## Q: Can I buy tickets for my family and friends at a discount?

**A:** No, these tickets are only available to University of Cumbria students and can't be shared with others.

## Q: How can I find out which bus I need?

**A:** Visit <u>www.stagecoachbus.com</u> and use the Journey Planner function to find out. Alternatively use the Journey Planner on our App.