



## APPLICATION FOR THE YCAT DISCOUNT CARD

This application is for a DISCOUNT card for the regular/fixed route service, **NOT** the paratransit/door-to-door service. If you are unsure which service you would like to apply for, please call our office (928) 783-2235, option 1. Discount card is not for use on Turquoise Route 10. The cost for the **Discount ID is \$3.00.**

If you are eligible, you will be notified by mail or phone, you would then need to schedule an appointment to take your picture. ID will usually be received the same day. To be eligible for a YCAT Discount Card you must be: at least sixty-five (65) years of age, have a disability that makes using YCAT extremely difficult or be a student between 5-18 years old **without a student ID**. Do not apply for this YCAT Discount Card if you have an ID listed below. You may use these other cards to purchase discounted monthly pass or pay for discount fares.

**YOU DO NOT NEED A YCAT Discount Card**, if you have one of the following:

- Persons with Disabilities: YCAT OnCall Card, Medicare Card or Persons with Disabilities ID card issued by another transit agency
- Seniors (65+ yrs.): State ID card, passport showing date of birth or a Senior ID card issued by another transit agency
- Students (5-18 yrs. old): Current Student ID

Just present the ID listed above to receive a discount when riding YCAT or purchasing bus passes.

### STEP 1. TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL APPLICANTS (PLEASE PRINT)

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street/P.O. Box City Zip

Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City Zip

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### STEP 2. TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL APPLICANTS. CHECK ONE BOX ONLY

- A. Senior - 65 and older – Attach a photocopy of birth certificate or passport showing date of birth with application. No other steps necessary.
- B. Person with a Disability – Have steps 4 and 5 filled out by your physician or certifying agency.
- C. Students (5-18 years old) without a school ID – Attach proof of enrollment (request from school) and complete step 3.

### STEP 3. STUDENTS ONLY

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the information in this application is true and correct. I understand that falsification of the information may result in denial of service. I understand that in some cases it may be necessary to contact a professional to determine eligibility.

Print Name of Parent/Guardian or Applicant if over 18 years old: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name of Parent/Guardian or Applicant if over 18 years old: \_\_\_\_\_

**IF YOU HAVE A DISABILITY – PLEASE CONTINUE TO THE OTHER SIDE!**

Please complete form and mail to:  
2715 East 14<sup>TH</sup> St, Yuma, AZ 85365,  
Email to: [info@ycipta.az.gov](mailto:info@ycipta.az.gov) or  
Fax to: (928) 783-0309

**This section must be filled out by physician or certifying agency.**

The following **MUST** be completed for persons with disabilities applicants **ONLY**.

**STEP 4. Please explain disability completely.** A description of the disability and a complete explanation of **HOW** the disability makes riding **YCAT** difficult must be included. **By itself, a diagnosis or simple description of the disability is not sufficient.** The explanation must be completed by your physician, independent living counselor, physical therapist, social worker, or human services agency representative, who will also need to sign in Step 5.

**Examples:** Vision impairment makes it difficult to board buses because applicant can't locate bus stops  
Cognitive disability makes it hard to remember directions which makes trip planning difficult  
Dialysis causes extreme sensitivity to temperature which makes waiting at a bus stop difficult

What is the disability and how the disability makes riding YCAT difficult:

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Please select 1- Condition is:  Permanent  
 Temporary - from: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 5. Does the applicant require physical assistance from an attendant getting on/off the bus or need help negotiating the bus service? (Persons with disabilities attendants ride free when assisting passengers on/off YCAT. Fraudulent use of an attendant is considered fare evasion and is against the law.)**

- Yes - The applicant requires the assistance of an attendant.**
- No - The applicant does not require the assistance of an attendant.**

**By signing below, I agree that I have verified and agree with the explanation of disability noted in Step 4.**

_____ PRINT: Name of Certifying Person	_____ Signature
_____ Title	_____ Telephone
_____ Agency/Medical Facility	_____ Address
_____ Date	

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