Step 2: Buy Your Fare
Take advantage of our best travel value and purchase an Individual Independence Pass or a Family Independence Pass (good for one family of up to 5 people traveling together). Both provide unlimited travel on SEPTA buses, trolleys, subways, and regional rail, for one whole day, for one low fare. Think of all the places you can travel worry free.

The first time you use the pass, the operator will punch the month and day. After that just show your validated pass when you board other vehicles and continue on your way.

The One Day Independence Pass is available at many locations, including SEPTA Headquarters at 1234 Market Street, SEPTA Regional Rail Ticket Offices, The Independence Visitor’s Center at 6th & Market Streets, major newsstands at downtown street intersections, or advanced sales online at shop.septa.org

Paying cash does not offer the best travel value, but if you must, please remember a one way fare for the bus, trolley, and subway is exact change only.

Step 3: Enjoy Your Ride
With fare in hand, sit back and let us be your travel guide. If you’re taking a bus, please signal the driver when you want to get off by pulling the cord above the windows or pressing the signal button. Please remember to exit by the rear doors.

If you’re riding on the Market Frankford or Broad Street Lines listen for stop announcements or read the next stop display above the windows; on Regional Rail the Conductor will announce the next stop.

Riding SEPTA
Easy as 1-2-3

Map Your Trip

Our map shows some of the most popular downtown visitor destinations and the SEPTA routes that serve them.

Begin planning your Philadelphia adventure by locating an attraction on the map and finding the SEPTA routes at or near your destination. Then find where to catch your SEPTA ride. Bus stops are marked with route signs on poles or bus shelters and the front of the bus will tell you the route number.

SEPTA has many bus routes but there are just a few that you need to know – 4, 16, 17, 21, 32, 33, 38, 42, 47, 48, 57. Buses are indicated on the map by route number with an arrow showing the direction of travel.

In Center City look for the green SEPTA “lollipop” for the entrances to the Market Frankford and Broad Street Lines.

Traveling to Philadelphia by plane? Take our Airport Regional Rail Line right from your arrivals terminal to any one of our Center City stations – University City, 30th Street, Suburban Station, or Market East.

Philadelphia is known for its world class attractions – the Benjamin Franklin Parkway museums, Avenue of the Arts theaters and concert halls, and the cradle of our nation’s history at Independence Hall and Independence National Historical Park. These are just a few of the treasures we want to share with you. So if you are looking for a convenient, low cost way to explore the City – hop aboard SEPTA – we can take you there.
Attractions

Center City Philadelphia Street & SEPTA Transit Map

1. Penn's Landing
   - Delaware River Waterfront
   - Independence Seaport Museum/Grand Plaza/Riverlink Ferry
   - Routes: MFL, 17, 21, 33, 42, 48

2. Christ Church
   - 2nd & Market Sts
   - Old City Restaurants/Shops
   - Routes: MFL, 17, 33, 48, 57

3. Independence Mall Area
   - 5th & 6th on Market St
   - Visitor's Center, Constitution Center
   - Historic Liberty Bell Center, Independence Hall
   - National Museum of American Jewish History, Betsy Ross House,
   - Franklin Court, Franklin Square Attractions, Lights of Liberty 360,
   - Historic Philadelphia Center, Philadelphia History Museum
   - at the Abbot Kerr
   - Routes: MFL, 17, 21, 33, 38, 42, 48

4. African American Museum in Philadelphia
   - 7th & Arch Sts
   - Routes: MFL, 47, 48, 17, 33

5. Convention Center Area
   - 12th & Market Sts
   - PA Convention Center, Reading Terminal, the Gallery, Chinatown
   - Greyhound Bus Terminal
   - Routes: MFL, 17, 33, 38, 48

6. City Hall
   - Broad & Market Sts
   - City Hall Visitor's Center, Masonic Temple, PA Academy of Fine Arts
   - Routes: MFL, BSL, 4, 7, 16, 33, 38, 48

7. Love Park / Suburban Station
   - 16th & JFK Blvd
   - Routes: MFL, BSL, 17, 32, 38, 48

8. Parkway Museums District
   - Benjamin Franklin Pkwy at 18th St
   - Franklin Institute, Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University,
   - Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter & Paul, Sister Cities Park Attractions,
   - Rodin Museum, Barnes Foundation
   - Routes: 32, 33, 38

9. Philadelphia Museum of Art
   - Benjamin Franklin Pkwy & Kelly Drive
   - Fairmount Water Works, Boathouse Row, Acacia Garden
   - Routes: 38

10. Please Touch Museum
    - 4231 Avenue of the Republic
    - Fairmount Park
    - Routes: 38

11. Philadelphia Zoo
    - 34th & Girard Ave
    - Routes: BSL to Route 15 Trolley

12. Avenue of the Arts Theatres & Concert Hall
    - Broad St
    - Kimmel Center, Merriam Theatre, Academy of Music, Wilma Theatre,
    - Suzanne Roberts Theatre
    - Routes: BSL, 4

13. South Philadelphia Sports & Entertainment Complex
    - Broad St & Pattison Ave
    - Route: BSL, 4

14. South Street
    - Front St to 10th St
    - Dining, Shopping, Entertainment
    - Routes: 47, 67

15. Italian Market
    - 9th St & Washington Ave
    - America's oldest outdoor market
    - Route: 47