

SCHEDULE

A BUS BUDDY TODAY!

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THE BASICS

LEARN TO RIDE THE BUS

1

Welcome Aboard GMT

Taking the bus is an affordable, safe, reliable, stress-free, and convenient way to access your destinations.

2

A GMT Bus Buddy Is...

an experienced travel companion available to train passengers. They help build confidence in riding the bus and traveling independently.

3

Learn From A Bus Buddy

A bus buddy volunteer is knowledgeable about routes, schedules, fares, and policies. They teach the do's and do not's of riding the bus and prepare you for the 'what ifs' and help you ride the bus with confidence. Best of all ... it is customized to meet your needs.

4

Request a Bus Buddy

Anyone interested in becoming more comfortable and confident with riding the bus can request a bus buddy through GMT.

5

Complimentary Service

The bus buddy program is a complimentary service for our passengers and only takes a couple of minutes to schedule.

6

Availability

Bus buddies are available during regular GMT service hours. We ask that you please schedule 48+ hours in advance, by calling or e-mailing Jordan Posner at GMT.

BECOME A VOLUNTEER

1

Welcome Aboard GMT

GMT is recruiting passionate public transit users to help support riders build confidence and bus riding skills.

2

A GMT Bus Buddy Will...

accompany a rider and explore GMT's transit system together.

3

Teach

As a bus buddy, you will teach a rider how to read bus schedules, navigate different GMT routes, manage fare payment, boarding and disembarking safely. Answer questions and run through scenarios; customizing the training to meet the riders needs.

4

Time Commitment

The volunteer schedule is flexible and will be arranged depending on your availability.

5

Become a Bus Buddy

GMT in collaboration with Neighbor Rides, an initiative of United Way of Northwest Vermont, is looking for bus buddies to volunteer and give back to the community. We will train all bus buddies prior to working one-on-one with passengers. With a volunteer commitment, you will receive a complimentary bus pass!

If interested in volunteering, please call or e-mail Jordan Posner at GMT.