

1. Answer the questions:

1. How do you usually travel to school?
2. How long does it take you to get to school?

2. Read the text about transport in London. Is the Zip Oyster photocard for adults or for children?

Transport for London

UNDER 18 TRAVEL

The cheapest way for children to travel is to use a Zip Oyster photocard.

With a Zip Oyster photocard:

- 16-17 year olds can travel at half adult-rate on all TfL services and most National Rail services in London
- 11-15 year olds can travel free on buses and trams and travel at half adult-rate on all other TfL services and most National Rail services in London
- 5-10 year olds can travel free on all TfL and most National Rail services in London

If you live in the UK, please allow a week for your application to be processed. If you live outside the UK, you need to apply at least 4 weeks before you arrive in London.

Mayor of London, 'Transport for London', <https://tfl.gov.uk/fares-and-payments/travel-for-under-18s>,
(access date: December 8, 2016.)

3. True or False?

1. Using a Zip Oyster photocard is the cheapest way to travel for children.....
2. When you are 17 you don't have to pay for using TfL services.
3. When you are 13 you don't have to pay for travelling by tram.
4. If you live in Poland, you need to wait three weeks to get the Zip Oyster photocard.....

4. Work in pairs and answer the questions:

5. How much do you have to pay for public transport in your town?
6. Where can you buy the bus tickets in your town?
7. What is your favourite means of transport? Why?
8. How would you call a special travel photocard for children in your town?

Answer Key

Reading task 2: for children

Reading task 3:

1. True
2. False
3. True
4. False