



Introducing...the new
Student Assistance Fund
RTD BUS PASS



Nathan Yip
Foundation

NATE'S PASS

Nate's Pass is being provided to you by The Nathan Yip Foundation, a local non-profit organization founded in 2002, by Denver residents Jimmy and Linda Yip, after they tragically lost their only child, Nathan, in an automobile accident. Nathan, 19 years old, was a freshman at Lehigh University in Pennsylvania. Since Nathan's death, the Yips have built a foundation in his name to provide educational access, empowerment and ongoing support to youth throughout the world. Nathan's legacy lives on in the many projects, like Nate's Pass, funded in his name.

Please read carefully and fill out legibly

NATE'S PASS
Student Assistance Fund Reduced Teen Bus Pass
2016-2017

A limited number of RTD bus passes will be available on a monthly basis through the Student Assistance Fund office.

The following policy will be strictly followed.

1. Students must have a current school year SAF contract on file in the SAF office-room 130.
2. Student's family must qualify under the RTD income guidelines. Reduced fare bus passes will be sold for \$20 per month in room 130. CASH ONLY.
3. Attendance requirement: The SAF staff will look at student's attendance each month. If a student has 8 or more PERIODS of unexcused absence in the prior month, the student **WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS PROGRAM.**
4. Grades may be used as a criteria for bus pass eligibility, an F grade can disqualify you.
5. Bus passes will be distributed to qualified students on a first come first serve basis. We may run out of bus passes.
6. Students will be added to the bus pass eligibility list after all completed forms are returned to the SAF office-room 130.
7. This program is funded by The Nathan Yip Foundation a local nonprofit that seeks to provide educational access, empowerment and ongoing support to vulnerable youth throughout the world, giving them the tools to become productive, contributing citizens within their communities.

A completed application enrolls a student in the SAF reduced rate RTD program. This does not entitle a student to a bus pass as access to this program is earned by good attendance and good grades.

I have read and understand the above policy.

Student signature	Date	Parent Signature	Date
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Print student Name-	Student ID Number
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This program is administered by the Student Assistance Fund volunteers.



**Student Assistance Fund
2016-2017**

**RTD NON-PROFIT AGENCY REDUCED FARE PROGRAM
CLIENT CERTIFICATION FORM**

Client Certification Statement:

I certify that I meet the Gross Monthly Household Income Eligibility Guidelines of the RTD Nonprofit Program, which are listed below. I understand that if my gross monthly household income is more than the amount listed below, I am not eligible to receive any RTD fare products from this agency that were acquired through the RTD Nonprofit Program.

I understand that I may permanently lose my eligibility for failure to comply with these requirements.

Student Name (Please Print) Student ID #

Parent Signature verifying household income Date

**Gross Monthly Household Income Eligibility Guidelines:
(Applicable to All Reduced Fare Program Agency Clients)**

(Effective from July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017)

<i>Persons in Family or Household Size</i>	<i>Gross Monthly Household Income</i>
<i>1</i>	<i>\$1,832</i>
<i>2</i>	<i>\$2,470</i>
<i>3</i>	<i>\$3,108</i>
<i>4</i>	<i>\$3,747</i>
<i>5</i>	<i>\$4,385</i>
<i>6</i>	<i>\$5,023</i>
<i>7</i>	<i>\$5,663</i>
<i>8</i>	<i>\$6,304</i>
<i>Each Add'l Member Add</i>	<i>+662</i>

**Student Assistance Fund- SAF
Application 2016-2017**

Today's Date _____ Graduating Class (circle one) **2017** 2018 2019 2020

Student _____ ID # _____
(Print Name)

Student Cell Phone _____

Parent/Guardian _____
(Print Name)

Address _____ city _____ zip _____

Phone: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

Is East High your home school? YES NO My home school is _____

Has the Student Assistance Fund helped you before? _____ # of Years _____

Are you taking an ADVANCED PLACEMENT or College Level class? YES NO (circle one)

Do you qualify for the Free & Reduced Lunch program? YES NO (circle one)

The Student Assistance Fund staff will be checking student's attendance. Attendance is an indication of desire for success. The goal of the program is to provide resources for students to be academically successful at East High School. Success requires attendance.

The Student Assistance Fund is a program funded and administered by the East Angel Alumni & Friends Foundation, a non-profit organization supporting educational excellence at East High School. It is administered by volunteers. Participants understand that this is not a DPS or East High School program. Participation in this program is by CHOICE! Students who qualify for federal support programs should contact the East High School Social Worker.

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date