

The School Student Transport Scheme (SSTS) Appeals Panel is an independent body comprised of representatives from the Department of Education and Communities and parent groups.

The panel independently reviews Transport for NSW's decisions on SSTS eligibility for cases where special circumstances may apply. These relate to situations where a family experiences substantial issues in transporting a child who has been deemed ineligible for SSTS travel.

The panel does not review decisions relating to:

- · the mode of transport or the route approved for eligible students
- · the application of the straight line distance test
- the walking distance test conducted by Transport for NSW

SSTS eligibility criteria

To be eligible for subsidised travel students must meet **one** of the following criteria:

Primary students (Years 3-6)

- must reside 1.6 kilometres or more straight line distance from the school attended, or
- need to walk 2.3 kilometres or more by the most practicable direct route to the nearest physical entry of the school

Secondary students (Years 7-12)

- must reside 2.0 kilometres or more straight line distance from the school attended, or
- need to walk 2.9 kilometres or more by the most practicable direct route to the nearest physical entry of the school

Under SSTS, subsidised travel is only available between a student's home address and the school attended.

Details					
Student name:					
School:					
Year:		Date of birth:	day 🛛	month	year
Home address:					
Suburb:		Postcode:			
Telephone No.:	Mobile No.:				
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Reason(s) for appeal

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Details of any attached supporting documentation				

Declaration

Parent/Guardian's name:

I certify the information provided in this appeal is true and accurate. I understand information found to be false or no longer applicable may result in subsidised travel being withdrawn.

Date:

Signature:

Please email your application to: sstsappeals@transport.nsw.gov.au

> or post to: SSTS Appeals Panel PO Box K659 Haymarket NSW 1240

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