

Some Facts about Transport Provision in Rutland

1. RCC currently purchases over £18,500 worth of tickets from other authorities to transport children. The majority of these are attending schools/colleges outside Rutland.
2. The Council currently receives c£14k from selling spare places on school transport.
3. The County Council currently transports young people out of County to Melton, Kettering, Bourne, Peterborough and Stamford. Some of these places are accessible by public buses or trains (e.g. Melton and Peterborough by train from Oakham; Peterborough by public bus from Oakham, Uppingham and various villages; Stamford by public bus from Oakham, Essendine and Uppingham) and the home to school/college transport duplicates these routes.
4. RCC's contribution to VAR is for the organiser of the transport. It does not subsidise the actual transport.
5. RCC's transport team commissions 39 services for adult social services and the People Directorate commissions services as well. In addition both the Places and the People Directorates commission SEN transport.