

## Why Vanpool?

**Save money.** You can expect to save \$1500 a year in a CalVans vanpool. That's not just pocket change!

**Save time.** You and your passengers set your schedule and your route so you're never without a ride!

**Lose the stress.** CalVans handles all routine maintenance at your location, and if your van needs more extensive work, we'll give you a loaner van. We even offer 24/7 roadside assistance.

**Save wear and tear** on your personal vehicle, and enjoy the ride.

**Go green.** Vanpooling is a fun and painless way to reduce your carbon footprint.

**It's easy to get started.** Visit [www.calvans.org](http://www.calvans.org) or call us at (866)655-5444. We're here to help.

## Public Vanpools Leading the Way

At CalVans, these are the words we live by. As a California public transit agency, we designed CalVans to be economically self-sustaining. So while other vanpool providers are driven by profits, CalVans offers late-model vans at lower prices without sacrificing first-rate customer service.

At CalVans we take our leadership role seriously. Since our founding in 2001, CalVans has grown to include more than 400 vanpools operating throughout California. Visit our website to learn how CalVans can put you behind the wheel.

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**STUDENTS** Take the  
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**Share the ride in a  
CalVans vanpool!**



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# Getting to school just got a lot easier.

## We don't give you a ride. We give you a van.

Put yourself behind the wheel of a late-model, 7, 8 or 15-passenger van. You choose your passengers, your schedule, and your route, making your commute hassle-free. Catch up on your homework or your sleep (if you're not the driver, of course), and leave the car payments to us.

## Leave your car at home.

It's the right thing to do for our planet. Air pollution is directly related to the number of vehicles on our roadways. By vanpooling you can make a big impact on air quality. One full van takes 6 to 14 vehicles off the road. That's a huge step toward a healthier environment.

## Imagine a day without a traffic jam.

By vanpooling, you are playing an important part in making that a reality. Freeway congestion doesn't just cause delays and annoyance—it increases the odds of accidents and injuries, as well. Do your part by ditching your wheels and joining a CalVans vanpool.



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## Lower the cost of higher education.

If the term "starving college student" applies to you, imagine an extra \$1500 in your pocket. Join a CalVans vanpool for rides to and from class, and by the end of the year you will have saved around \$1500.

It's easy to join and chances are you'll find a vanpool perfectly suited to your schedule. If you don't, simply post a request on our website and network with other students looking to form a new vanpool.



## Leave the worries to us.

Have you ever had a perfectly good morning ruined by a car that won't start? With CalVans' 24/7 roadside assistance and replacement vans, car trouble will never keep you from getting to school. All routine maintenance is done on-site, so you never have to take your van in for servicing. We even give you a gas card so you don't have to use your own money and wait for reimbursement. And all of this is included in your low monthly cost.

## NO credit checks. long-term commitments.

We're here to help simplify your commute, not bog you down with unnecessary rules. Qualifying to be a CalVans driver is a simple two-step process: we'll check your driving record, and ask you to get a physical to ensure you're healthy enough to drive yourself and others.

More good news: CalVans does not lock you into a long-term contract. When the school year is over (or for whatever reason you no longer need the van), simply return it to us and pay only for the days you used it. When school starts up again, your van will be waiting for you. It's that simple!

## What are you waiting for?

Check the CalVans website ([www.calvans.org](http://www.calvans.org)) to see if there's a seat available in a vanpool currently operating in your area. If there are no available seats, it's easy to start your own CalVans vanpool. Find five or more friends who are interested in sharing the ride, plus a driver who's 21 or older. Then go to [www.calvans.org](http://www.calvans.org) and click "Form One" to suggest a route, or call the CalVans office at (866)655-5444. No hassles, guaranteed.

*Tired of scrambling for a ride to school? Ditched your car because of gas prices? Or just wanting to live a more eco-friendly life? CalVans can help. Check us out today at [www.calvans.org](http://www.calvans.org) or (866) 655-5444.*