

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION IN THE U.S. GUIDED WORKSHEET (PARTICIPANT VERSION)

PART I: AGREE OR DISAGREE

Identify if you agree or disagree with the following statements. Circle the correct answer.

1. Owning a car is not expensive in the U.S. and you can expect to purchase a car quickly.

Agree



Disagree



2. Your Resettlement Agency will give you information about local public transportation soon after you arrive.

Agree



Disagree



3. Public transportation in the U.S. varies from place to place and you can expect every city or town to have buses, subways, and commuter trains.

Agree



Disagree



4. In the U.S. there are no laws to regulate walking and biking.

Agree



Disagree



5. Ride sharing and taxis are more expensive than public transportation options and are generally not recommended for daily use.

Agree



Disagree



6. If you purchase a car, you will be required to get a driving test and license to operate it.

Agree



Disagree



PART II: DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Use the **Fact Sheet** or **Podcast** to answer the following questions.

1. What are three major types of public transportation in the U.S.? Are you required to pay for public transportation?

PART II: DISCUSSION QUESTIONS, CONT.

2. How might your experience on public transportation change if you travel during rush hour (a time during each day when traffic is at its heaviest, usually twice a day, in the morning and evening, the times during which most people travel to and from work.)?

3. What can you do to remain safe when walking in your community?

4. What are some responsibilities of owning a car? Will you be able to purchase a car immediately after you arrive?