

## Oyster card

In my local community the need is the transport .The problem is that we need transport so that we can go from place to place as we like, and make it faster and more efficient and easy to travel.

. Oyster cards meet the needs by making it faster, and quick for people my community to go where they want.

## About oyster card

Oyster card is my community's smartcard. It can store your season ticket or Pre Pay ticket.

Oyster cards can be used more than once, when your ticket expires, simply buy another ticket on the same Oyster card, and also when your Pre Pay runs out, just top it up. . Oyster cards are the same size as credit cards but contain an aerial and a small microchip that holds the memory. the attached Ariel stores information about the ticket .In my community at Tube stations, touch your Oyster card on a card reader at the start and end of your journey, in buses always touch your Oyster card on the card reader as you go inside the bus. The tickets are sold differently. Oyster card are available to adults and holders of valid Student Oyster photo cards in my community

## Oyster card used in my community

In my community the oyster card are used to make my communities transport fast and efficient and quick to travel from place to place in my community , and also it can speed travel by reducing the number of people paying cash to bus drivers and the number of times people in my community go to the ticket office so they can get there ticket so they can proceed with there journey.

How do people in my community use oyster cards? They use oyster cards at tube stations and buses. In trains how they use it is that you always touch your oyster card on a card reader at your journey. In buses you always touch your oyster card flat on the card reader as you begin your journey.

### How oyster card meets the needs

This technology meets the needs by making it faster and more efficient and easier for our community to travel where ever they want in my community. oyster cards have helped harrow's Transport problem by making people in my community who use buses and trains to use it fast and more quicker and also oyster cards help harrow's community by allowing under 16s to go on the buses and trains for free and to produce less traffic when parents have to take there children to school on the rush hour.

### Is the technology effective

I think that this technology is effective, because it has meet all the needs that my community needs to improve on .

The advantages for oyster card:

- Greater convenience
- Easy to travel
- Good service
- Less traffic to line up to get on the bus
- Relaxed on the journey
- More security for your ride ( meaning that less fraud on oyster card )

The disadvantages for oyster card:

- It very easy to slip up and get charged the full fare because the system might not work
- The name oyster sound disturbing to me
- The card reader can not respond to the oyster card
- Pre pay can cost a lot (oyster cards )
- Worry about having your travel details recorded