

# # MOBILITÉ # GRATUITE AU LUXEMBOURG

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### First anniversary of the introduction of free public transport in Luxembourg (03/01/2021)

On March 1st, 2021, we will celebrate the first anniversary of the introduction of free public transport in Luxembourg.

Indeed, since February 29, 2020, all public transport on the national territory and for all modes of transport has been free, regardless of whether it is the tram, trains or buses. This measure applies to all users: residents, cross-border commuters and tourists.

Regarding the development of the number of passengers since the introduction of free public transport, it is obvious that we have been living in a special situation, also with regard to mobility (lockdown, home office, etc.). It is therefore very difficult to make a reliable statement.

However, the number of tram users electronically recorded monthly/daily is a very important indicator. In fact, as of February 2020, an average of 31,000 passengers used the tram every day. At the beginning of the lockdown in March 2020, that number dropped to 1,400 travelers per day and then gradually increased to 38,000 passengers per day on weekdays in average with peaks of 42,000 people over the past week, although the situation has not yet recovered due to the continued home office in various areas.

During the lockdown in March 2020, as well as in the months that followed, the CFL continued to provide their services to customers as the mobility guarantor of the Grand-Duchy. Despite temporary adjustments to the traffic plan, which was fully restored on 8 June 2020, the CFL trains and buses did not stop running in order to get customers to their destinations. At the end of 2020, the number of customers on board trains was almost 39% lower, compared to the previous year during the same period.

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More information on the website:  
[www.mobilitegratuite.lu/en/faq/](http://www.mobilitegratuite.lu/en/faq/)

To recap the great moments of the day of February 29, 2020, please find below a link to the video *#WeKeepOnRolling* that you are welcome to share on social networks and websites:

#### Long version (2,06 min):

<https://youtu.be/n4mk6eWcSGA>

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kmnWFh0\\_w6BMwCvAZ2e1D2r58N5-a6a5/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kmnWFh0_w6BMwCvAZ2e1D2r58N5-a6a5/view?usp=sharing)

#### Short version (60 sec):

<https://youtu.be/Rv3nP0Ji9xU>

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1E5b\\_OVH9SaK82xaGwx8GfuLQMJjh13Jy/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1E5b_OVH9SaK82xaGwx8GfuLQMJjh13Jy/view?usp=sharing)

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