Loading your U-Pass BC onto your new Compass Card is easy-peasy.

1. Pick up a Compass Card
   UBC students can obtain a Compass Card from the UBC Bookstore!

2. Sign into upassbc.translink.ca
   Select UBC and enter your student ID (pssst: the website is mobile-friendly).

3. Link your Compass Card
   Enter the 20-digit number and 3-digit CVN on the back of your Compass Card.

4. Request your U-Pass BC
   Once your card is linked, go ahead and request your pass. The system will check your eligibility and then load a U-Pass BC onto your Compass Card. It may take up to two days for your request to be processed and a pass to load. So request your U-Pass BC at least 48 hours before you intend to travel.

5. Tap in. Tap out.
   Now you’re ready to travel! Just remember you must tap in and tap out when using transit to validate your fare. Always carry your student ID with you.

6. Request your U-Pass BC each month
   Each month you’ll need to request your U-Pass BC for the following month. You can do this on, or after the 16th. Remember, it may take up to 48 hours for your pass to load, so request it early.

Want a reminder?
Set up notifications to prompt you each month when it’s time to load your pass.