

**[ MIA MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 37, June 11, 1986 ]**

**GUIDELINES ON STUDENT FARE DISCOUNTS**

Pursuant to the policy the government to help students meet the Impact of Increased costs by giving discounts on transportation fares, and in order to have uniform implementation thereof, the following guidelines on student fare discount are hereby promulgated:

**I  
Coverage**

*A. Students*

1. All students enrolled in elementary, secondary and collegiate institutions of learning be these academic; technical, or vocational, which are recognized/supervised by the Ministry of Education, Culture, and Sports, are entitled to a student discount.
2. Students of dance schools, driving schools, culinary arts, short-term courses of a similar type, and the like, are not included In the benefits herein granted.

*B. Public Utility*

All public water transport utilities engaged in passenger services shall grant student fare discounts to bona fide students herein defined.

**II  
Student Fare Discount**

1. The student fare discount shall be fifteen (15%) percent of the rates presently authorized under MARINA Order dated 11 April 1986 (MIA Case No. 85-3186).
2. Student fare discounts, however, apply only to non-cabin passage.

**III  
Effectivity and Availment**

1. As previously stipulated, the fare discount for students shall be effective only for the period that the student is enrolled.
2. To enjoy or be entitled to the fare discounts, the student must present: