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**Go Metro to Annual Lunar New Year Parade, Festival and Firecracker 10k Run**

Go Metro to celebrate the 106<sup>th</sup> Annual Golden Dragon Parade and Festival as Chinatown rings in the Chinese New Year the weekend of February 12-13.

This year's parade will take place Saturday, Feb. 12 from 2-5 p.m. The Chinese New Year Festival will run Saturday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

A festival car show is also planned on Sunday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Hill and Alpine Streets.

Festival attendees may also participate in the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Chinatown Firecracker 5k/10k Run, Kiddie Run, and 5k Fun Walk on Sunday from 6 a.m. to 12 p.m. To register for these races, visit <http://firecracker10k.org/>.

Metro makes attending all festival activities easy. The Los Angeles to Pasadena Metro Gold Line stops in Chinatown, where events are within walking distance of the station. Additionally, several Metro Bus Lines serve Chinatown: Bus Lines 45, 76, 81, 83, 84, 85, 90, 91, 94, 96, 381, 576 and 705. DASH Lincoln Heights/Chinatown and DASH Downtown buses also serve the area.

One-way Metro fares are \$1.25 and \$3 for an all-day pass. Passes can be purchased on board Metro Buses or at Metro Rail station ticket vending machines.

To plan your trip, use the Metro Trip Planner at [WWW.METRO.NET](http://WWW.METRO.NET) or call 1-800-C-O-M-M-U-T-E.

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