

## More information on the VBB-Firmenticket

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Your local transport authority is available to help your employer conclude the contract. You can find your local contact point at [vbb.de/firmenticket](http://vbb.de/firmenticket).

## Benefits of using the VBB-Firmenticket:

-  You save time and effort buying tickets.
-  You are always mobile. Even in your free time. 365 days each year. Around the clock.
-  You travel at a cheaper rate because you profit from the employer contributions and ticket discounts.
-  You can enjoy the benefits of the family-friendly accompanying passenger rules (up to four additional people).
-  You are taking an active stand in reducing carbon emissions and combating climate change.
-  You always have a valid ticket in the form of a VBB-fahrCard with you.
-  Less parking spaces at your place of work. Parking costs can be reduced.
-  Hassle-free payment through bank debit.

## Fare information for the VBB-Firmenticket

- VBB-Firmentickets are valid around the clock. 365 days each year. For as many trips as you please.
- Like the VBB-Umweltkarte, the VBB-Firmenticket can be collected in any of the zones where the ticket is valid.
- Tickets are issued with a subscription on a monthly or yearly basis.
- Family-friendly accompanying passenger rules apply. Up to four additional people can travel on the ticket, only one of those can be older than 14 years (Monday-Friday from 8pm, all day on Saturdays, Sundays, on 24 and 31 December, and on bank holidays). A pram, luggage and a dog are also included.
- VBB-Firmentickets are personal tickets (like the VBB-fahrCard) and, as such, are non-transferable.
- You have the same entitlements to other transport and travel offers as with a VBB-fahrCard.

## Good to know

Please speak to your employer if you are interested in getting a VBB-Firmenticket. They can conclude a contract for a VBB-Firmenticket with a transport authority.

You already have a subscription for a VBB-Umweltkarte and your employer is concluding a contract for a VBB-Firmenticket? Then it is free to cancel your current subscription and changing to the cheaper VBB-Firmenticket is easy. Just bring relevant proof to the transport authority where you signed your contract.

In order to conclude a contract, both your employer and the transport authority require certain information. Please fill out the subscription form your employer will hand you.

Your employer will also pass on further information on the VBB-fahrCard to you. Use the VBB-Fahrplanauskunft and the VBB „Bus & Bahn“ app to find information on timetables, fares and local transport in Berlin and Brandenburg.

## The VBB-Firmenticket now offers even better value.

Save with the business bonus, enjoy a relaxing commute – for work or free time.

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Want to get to work without traffic and hassle with parking? Stress-free and cheap? Then the new VBB-Firmenticket is for you. The best thing about it: Now employers can also contribute towards VBB-Firmenticket costs. Ask about it at your place of work.

**Your employer can set up VBB-Firmentickets with as few as five participants.**

### Other advantages

- compared to a VBB-Umweltkarte subscription: If an employer contributes a minimum of € 10 each month, the local transport authority will offer a further discount of € 4 per month for each employee.
- If an employer contributes € 15 monthly, the local transport authority will double their monthly discount to € 8 per employee.
- This makes for a really great deal. Whatever the zones you require, you will save at least € 14 or € 24 when compared to the VBB-Umweltkarte subscription. That makes for yearly savings of € 168 or € 276.
- Employers also have the option to raise their individual contributions to make the tickets even cheaper.

This was all made possible when, from 1 January 2019, the tax relevant limits on deductible employer contributions for public transport were lifted\*. The employer contributions will be listed on your payslips as well as on your tax statements. These contributions can no longer be submitted as travel costs and are now instead linked to the commuter allowance\*\*.

\* Source: In accordance with §3 Paragraph 15 Einkommenssteuergesetz 2019 (German Income Tax Act)  
 \*\* This information is not a substitute for expert advice from your tax adviser or local tax office.

### Tariff examples

**VBB-Firmentickets with the compulsory employer contribution, subscription with monthly debit (12/12)**

Town with public trans. Type I	31.80	26.50	22.50	<b>12.50</b>	18.50	<b>3.50</b>
VBB-All zones	201.50	167.92	163.92	<b>153.92</b>	159.92	<b>144.92</b>
Berlin ABC + 1 LKR (rural zone)	134.00	111.67	107.67	<b>97.67</b>	103.67	<b>88.67</b>
2 LKR (rural zones) or 1 LKR + 1 Town	104.00	86.67	82.67	<b>72.67</b>	78.67	<b>63.67</b>
1 LKR (rural zone)	89.00	74.17	70.17	<b>60.17</b>	66.17	<b>51.17</b>
Brandenburg a.d. H., Cottbus, Frankfurt (O) AB	39.90	33.25	29.25	<b>19.25</b>	25.25	<b>10.25</b>
Potsdam AB	41.40	34.50	30.50	<b>20.50</b>	26.50	<b>11.50</b>
Berlin ABC	100.50	82.67	78.67	<b>68.67</b>	74.67	<b>59.67</b>
Berlin AB	81.00	63.42	59.42	<b>49.42</b>	55.42	<b>40.42</b>
<b>Example of a subscription with monthly debit / EUR</b>	Tariff VBB-Umweltkarte Monthly Ticket	Tariff VBB-Umweltkarte Subscription (12/12)	Tariff less € 4 public trans. discount	Tariff less compulsory employer contribution of € 10 = Cost to employees	Tariff less € 8 public trans. discount	Tariff less compulsory employer contribution of € 15 = cost to employees

You save **168 EUR** per year

You save **276 EUR** per year

### Here's how it works

