

# Travel with U-OV

Products and fares 2026



## Travelling with balance



Want to travel flexibly? Simply check in and out with your debit card! You don't need an OV-chipkaart and you don't have to top up a balance. You pay per journey by checking in and out. Prefer travelling with your OV-chipcard or the new OV card? The same fares apply.

Travelling on balance		
	Standard	34% discount
Kilometre fare	€ 0.201	€ 0.133
Boarding fare	€ 1.16	€ 0.77

Children aged 4 to 11 and travellers aged 65 and over can travel on balance with a 34% discount.

### How it works:

- Debit card, credit card, mobile or new OV card (OVpay): activate age-based discount and travel at a lower fare. More info: [u-ov.nl/ovpay](https://u-ov.nl/ovpay).
- Personal OV-chipcard: the discount is applied automatically.

## Children up to 11 travel for free

Children up to 11 travel for free on U-OV buses and trams! As long as they travel with a paying adult (18+). More information: [u-ov.nl/kidsgratis](https://u-ov.nl/kidsgratis).

Please note: this applies to a maximum of three children per adult.

## U-OV Max (day)



Do you travel with your debit card, credit card or mobile (OVpay)? With U-OV, you will never pay more than €10.00 per day for all your bus and tram journeys. No registration is required: simply check in and out and travel with U-OV. Are you aged 12 to 18?

Visit [u-ov.nl/max](https://u-ov.nl/max) to see how you can pay no more than €6.50 per day with U-OV.

## U-OV Max (monthly)



Want to travel even more affordably? Activate U-OV Max (monthly) for free via [u-ov.nl/max](https://u-ov.nl/max) or in the **U-OV app**. You will then never pay more than €100.00 per month when travelling with your debit card, credit card or mobile (OVpay). Travel less? Then you pay less. Once you reach the monthly cap, all further travel for the rest of the month is completely free!

Are you aged 12 to 18? After activating U-OV Max, you will pay a maximum of €65.00 per month.

## U-OV Off-Peak Free



Do you often travel outside peak hours? Then U-OV Off-Peak Free is perfect for you! For just €30.00 per month, you can travel unlimited by bus and tram during off-peak hours. You can easily arrange this via [u-ov.nl/dal](https://u-ov.nl/dal) or in the **U-OV app**.

### When are the off-peak hours?

- Monday to Friday: 09:00–16:00 and 18:30–06:30.
- Weekend: from Friday 18:30 until Monday 06:30.

Please note: your check-in time determines whether you travel during off-peak hours.

## Night bus

Going out in the evening? Then you don't have to worry about getting home. Our special night routes operate after regular services stop, so you always have a way to get home.

Check in and out with your debit card, credit card, mobile or new OV card (OVpay). Prefer using your OV-chipcard? That's possible too!  
The fare is clear: every journey on the U-OV night bus costs just €5.00.

Visit [u-ov.nl/nachtbus](https://u-ov.nl/nachtbus) for more information.

## U-OV Star Subscription

Do you prefer a monthly subscription on your OV-chipkaart? Then a star subscription is a good choice. The subscription that suits you best depends on the number of zones you travel through. Are you aged 12 to 18, or 65 and over? Then you receive a discount on your star subscription.

More information about star subscriptions can be found at [u-ov.nl/ster](https://u-ov.nl/ster).

U-OV Star Subscriptions – OV-chipkaart		
	Standard	34% discount
1 star	€ 61.80	€ 40.80
2 star	€ 99.60	€ 65.70
3 star	€ 146.50	€ 96.70
4 star	€ 186.80	€ 123.30
5 star	€ 232.60	€ 153.50
6 star	€ 278.90	€ 184.10

## U-OV Day Ticket and Group Ticket

Easily buy an affordable day ticket in the U-OV app. Buying for multiple people? Your discount increases. If you buy multiple day tickets, a single barcode will appear in the **U-OV app**. Use this to check in and out together on the bus or at the tram stop, so you always travel as a group.

U-OV Day Ticket	
Quantity	Total price
1	€ 10.00
2	€ 18.00
3	€ 24.00
4	€ 28.00
5	€ 30.00



## U-flex

U-flex is flexible public transport. The bus does not run on a fixed timetable, but on demand. U-flex travels from stop to stop using the fastest possible route.

If you book and pay in advance via the **U-OV app**, you pay based on the number of kilometres travelled: a boarding fee plus a price per kilometre. The fares are listed at the start of this folder.

If you book by phone and/or pay in the U-flex vehicle using OVpay or an OV-chipcard, you pay a fixed fare per journey. Your subscription or discount product is also valid in the vehicle.

Want to know more? Visit [u-ov.nl/uflex](https://u-ov.nl/uflex).

Paying in the U-flex vehicle		
U-flex area	Fixed fare	34% discount
Bilthoven	€ 2.30	€ 1.52
Maartensdijk - Lage Vuursche	€ 2.30	€ 1.52
Westbroek - Tienhoven	€ 2.30	€ 1.52
Houten en Schalkwijk	€ 2.90	€ 1.91
Vijfheerenlanden West	€ 4.00	€ 2.64
Vijfheerenlanden Oost	€ 2.30	€ 1.52
Maarsssen - Utrecht Noordwest	€ 2.90	€ 1.91
Vleuten - Haarzuilens	€ 2.30	€ 1.52
Soesterberg - Huis ter Heide	€ 2.30	€ 1.52
Austerlitz	€ 2.30	€ 1.52
Woerden	€ 2.30	€ 1.52
Mijdrecht	€ 2.30	€ 1.52

## Free travel to Stadsschouwburg Utrecht

Do you have a ticket for a performance at Stadsschouwburg Utrecht? Show your theatre ticket and travel for free on all U-OV buses and trams, both before and after the performance.

### The scheme applies as follows:

- Evening performances: from three hours before the start until service ends.
- Afternoon performances: from three hours before the start until four hours after.
- Valid only for performances in Utrecht, not at other locations.
- Not valid on neighbourhood buses, U-flex or night buses.
- Valid during the 2025/2026 season only.

## Free travel to Theater Flint

On the day of your performance, you can travel for free on all U-OV buses and trams. Show your admission ticket when boarding.

### The scheme applies as follows:

- Valid for Theater Flint visitors only.
- Not valid on neighbourhood buses, U-flex or night buses.
- Valid during the 2025/2026 season only.

## Tip: U-OV app

Did you know that travelling by public transport in Utrecht and the surrounding area is easy with the free U-OV app? You get real-time travel information, buy e-tickets, activate OVpay products, stay up to date with special offers, and track your bus or tram.

Visit [u-ov.nl/app](https://u-ov.nl/app).