



# UNIVERSITÄT LEIPZIG

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## Monthly Season Ticket for public transport, Deutschlandticket and job tickets

If you work for a research institution in Leipzig and travel to work daily by public transport, it makes sense to purchase a Monthly Season Ticket for the Mitteldeutscher Verkehrsverbund (MDV) public transport association. Some scientific institutions offer their employees a **Jobticket** which you can use to purchase a much cheaper subscription. The job ticket gives employees several different options: the MDV ticket or the (supra-regional) Germany ticket as a job ticket. Which option is right for you depends on your commute and personal travel behaviour. We have compiled further information for you in this flyer.

### How much does a Monthly Season Ticket cost?

If you purchase a Monthly Season Ticket on a 12 month subscription, it currently costs 64.90 € per month (Abo Basis). If you only purchase the Monthly Season Ticket for a single month, it currently costs 96.90 €.

If you decide to purchase a Monthly Season Ticket on a subscription, it is transferable and you can also travel with an adult and up to three children free of charge on weekdays from 17:00 to 04:00 and for the entire day at the weekend.

### Where can I purchase a Monthly Season Ticket?

You can purchase the Monthly Season Ticket in the **Service Center in Markgrafenstraße 2** and in the **Mobility Center** in the main train station or on the **LVB customer portal**.

## Job tickets

### What requirements must be met in order to use a Jobticket?

For both the Deutschlandticket as a job ticket and the MDV job ticket, the main requirement for ordering is that you work for an **authority or an organization of the Free State of Saxony** that has concluded a job ticket contract. Please ask your employer about this if necessary. You must also issue a direct debit authorization so that the Jobticket **contributions can be debited** from your private bank account.

## Deutschlandticket as a job ticket

### What benefits does the Deutschlandticket offer me as a job ticket?

The Deutschlandticket as a job ticket is offered at a reduced price of 30% (25% employer subsidy + 5% discount from the job ticket provider), currently €34.30 per month. There is currently no additional service fee.

### How can I apply for the Deutschlandticket as a job ticket?

The job ticket can be purchased from three providers: Dresdner Verkehrsbetriebe (DVB), DB Regio GmbH and Länderbahn GmbH (DLB). The provider can be chosen freely. However, any additional options must be purchased from the respective transport association.

All three providers offer the ticket at the same price of €34.30, even if different prices are sometimes stated in the providers' order instructions. The only difference is the ordering process.

Each provider has its own app and ordering instructions for the Jobticket. For [further information on ordering using](#) Leipzig University as an example, please refer to the table under "3. Ordering" and the following diagrams on the ordering processes.

## Where is the Deutschlandticket as a job ticket valid?

The new ticket includes the services of a [Deutschlandticket](#) and does not include any transport options (additional person, bicycle, dog, family at the weekend, etc.). It is personal and non-transferable.

## Which deadlines do I have to meet?

You can only start travelling on the first of each month. The current [tariff regulations](#) for the Deutschland-Ticket apply to this job ticket. The ticket is offered as a subscription and can be cancelled monthly. **Cancellation must be made by the 10th of each month** to the end of the respective calendar month.

If you already have a job ticket subscription or a Deutschlandticket and would like to switch to the Deutschlandticket as a job ticket, you must first cancel your existing ticket within the regular cancellation period, i.e. by the 10th of the month to the end of the month at the latest, with the respective transport association (not with your employer!). There is no automatic changeover. **Please note: a different cancellation period applies to job ticket subscriptions taken out less than one year ago.**

## MDV ticket as a job ticket

### What benefits does the MDV job ticket offer?

The MDV job ticket costs 23 percent less than the standard Monthly Season Ticket subscription (of which the employer pays 10 percent). Therefore, for employees of Leipzig University a Monthly Season Ticket for the city of Leipzig would cost €46.89 instead of €64.90 (as of 01.08.2023, Abo Basis). You can find the exact price overview in the [price list](#).

### How do I apply for the MDV job ticket?

The electronic application form can be downloaded [here](#). After you have completed and signed the form, **please have it signed and stamped by your employer** and send it to the following address:

DB Vertrieb GmbH  
Postfach 80 03 29  
21003 Hamburg

Alternatively, you can send the scanned application form to the following email address:

[db.abocenter.berlin@deutschebahn.com](mailto:db.abocenter.berlin@deutschebahn.com)

### What deadlines do I have to observe?

You can only order the MDV job ticket for the first day of a respective month. In order to terminate the ticket at the end of the month, the **termination must take place by the 10th of the month**. Please note that you must **order the job ticket at least four weeks before you want to use it**.

If you terminate the agreement before the minimum duration of the agreement (12 months) has passed, you must pay the difference of the standard Monthly Season Ticket. In the event of the termination of the employment/contractual relationship and moving away from Leipzig, among other reasons, the MDV job ticket agreement can be terminated before expiry of the minimum duration of the agreement without having to pay anything back. When moving away from Leipzig the deregistration certificate must be sent as proof together with the termination.

### **Where is the MDV job ticket valid?**

The MDV job ticket is valid on all public transport (local train services, suburban train services, buses, trams) of the partners of the MDV for an unlimited number of journeys within the selected tariff zone(s).

### **What other benefits does the MDV job ticket offer?**

In addition to the MDV job ticket you also receive the **Leipzig Advantage Card** (Leipziger Vorteilskarte) and with it many discounts.

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