

LICENSED TAXI CABS - TABLE OF FARES

The driver must, unless he has reasonable excuse, accept any hiring if the destination is inside the Borough of Reading. If the hiring ends outside the Borough, you must be charged a fare based on this table unless a fare or rate of fare is agreed **before** the start of your journey.

FARE TABLE	
TARIFF 1 - (For hirings between 6.00am and 10.00pm each day)	
£2.60 (minimum charge shown on meter)	For the first 300 yards (274.32 metres) or 2 minutes 36 seconds
20p	For each additional 133 yards (121.61 metres) or 45 seconds, or part thereof of miles.
TARIFF 2 - (For hirings between 10.00pm and 6.00am each day)	
£3.60 (minimum charge shown on meter)	For the first 309 yards (282.55 metres) or 2 minutes 36 seconds
20p	For each additional 156 yards (142.65 metres) or 42 seconds, or part thereof for the next 2 miles
	For each additional 142 yards (129.85 metres) or 42 seconds or part thereof, for the next 2½ miles
	For each additional 135 yards (123.44 metres) or 42 seconds or part thereof, for the remaining distance

1. ADDITIONAL PASSENGERS - 20p per each <u>additional</u> person (ie excluding the hirer)	£1.00 max (manually added to final fare)
2. For any hiring beginning or ending within the following periods 6.00pm to midnight on CHRISTMAS EVE & NEW YEAR'S EVE. All of CHRISTMAS DAY, BOXING DAY, NEW YEAR'S DAY, and any other public holiday	Please note: A surcharge of 50% of the usual fare is <u>automatically</u> calculated and shown on the meter
3. Fouling of vehicle exterior £10.00 Fouling of vehicle interior £40.00	Both payable to driver immediately
4. Credit and debit cards - All major Debit and Credit Cards are accepted. No additional charge is made for this service.	
COMMENTS OR COMPLAINTS about your driver or cab should be sent to the Licensing Section, Civic Centre, Reading RG1 2LU with the number of the driver's badge, which the driver must be wearing and the licence plate number of the cab. You may also notify this office by telephone on 0118 937 3762 between 9.00am and 5.00pm Monday to Friday.	

ALL LOST PROPERTY enquiries should be made to Thames Valley Police, Reading Police Station, Castle Street, Reading on 0845 8505505



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