

# Do you need a TV Licence?

## You need to be covered by a TV Licence to:

- a) watch or record live TV programmes on any channel, and
- b) download or watch BBC programmes on iPlayer.

This could be on any device, including a TV, desktop computer, laptop, mobile phone, tablet, games console, digital box or DVD/VHS recorder.

If you do any of the above without a valid licence, you risk prosecution and a maximum penalty of up to £1,000\*, plus any legal costs and/or compensation you may be ordered to pay. You will also still have to buy a TV Licence if you need one.

To find out more, go to [tvlicensing.co.uk/info](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/info)

**Please see 'How to buy a TV Licence' below for different ways to pay.**

\*The maximum fine is £2,000 in Guernsey.

### Only watching non-UK satellite programmes?



You still need a licence, even if you only watch or record programmes broadcast from outside the UK.

### Moved home recently?



If you have moved home and have a licence for your old address, please tell us by visiting [tvlicensing.co.uk/moving](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/moving) or by calling 0300 790 6044.

### Don't need a licence?



You don't need a TV Licence if you never watch or record live TV programmes on any channel or device, and never download or watch BBC programmes on iPlayer.

Please tell us you don't need a licence by going to [tvlicensing.co.uk/noTV](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/noTV), calling 0300 790 6044 or writing to Customer Services, TV Licensing, Darlington DL98 1TL. We may confirm this with a visit.

If you have sight problems, you can get this information by email or in Braille, large print or audio by calling 0300 790 6076.



If you are deaf, hard of hearing or speech impaired, we support the Next Generation Text (NGT) Service. For more information see [tvlicensing.co.uk/accessibility](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/accessibility)

## How to buy a TV Licence.

A colour TV Licence costs £169.50 (£57.00 for a black and white licence). There are lots of different ways to pay – choose the one that suits you best:



**PayPoint** – you can pay for a TV Licence by cash or debit card. Find your nearest outlet at [paypoint.com/locator](http://paypoint.com/locator) or if you live in the Channel Islands or Isle of Man, you can visit your local post office.



**TV Licensing payment card** – you can pay for your TV Licence weekly with payments from £6.50. Please call **0300 555 3456**.



**Credit/debit card** – you can make a single payment with a debit or credit card, including Maestro, Delta, Visa, Visa Electron or MasterCard. Pay online at [tvlicensing.co.uk/payinfo](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/payinfo) or call 0300 790 6044.



**Direct Debit** – you can spread the cost of your licence by choosing from our range of Direct Debit options. Find out more at [tvlicensing.co.uk/payinfo](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/payinfo) or call 0300 790 6044.



**By post** – send a cheque for the full TV Licence fee payable to 'TV Licensing', writing your name, address and postcode clearly on the back of the cheque. Send it to TV Licensing, Darlington DL98 1TL. Please do not send cash.

## Could you get a concession?



**Are you, or is someone you live with:**

### • Aged 75 or older, and receiving Pension Credit?

You can apply for a free TV Licence. You need to be receiving Pension Credit in your name, or this can be in your partner's name if you are a couple and living at the same address.

**74 years old and receiving Pension Credit?** You can apply for a free TV Licence now, plus a short-term licence to cover you until your 75th birthday.

If you live in the Channel Islands or Isle of Man, different conditions may apply.

### • Blind (severely sight impaired)?

You may be eligible to apply for a 50% concession. You can complete and print out an online application form at [tvlicensing.co.uk/blind](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/blind) and send it to us along with a copy of your document of blind registration or a certificate from your ophthalmologist. You'll also need your licence number, phone number and cheque payment. Please post to TV Licensing, Blind Concession Group, Darlington DL98 1TL.

For more information on concessions, go to [tvlicensing.co.uk/concessions](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/concessions) or call **0300 790 6044**.

## 您需要电视许可证吗？

### 有了电视许可证，您可以：

- a) 观看或录制任何频道的直播电视节目，以及
- b) 在 iPlayer 上下载或观看英国广播公司 (BBC) 的节目。

电视许可证适用于任何设备，包括电视、台式电脑、笔记本电脑、手机、平板电脑、游戏机、数码盒和 DVD/VHS 录像机。

如果您在没有有效许可证的情况下做出上述行为，您可能面临被起诉和最高 1,000\* 英镑罚款的风险，以及可能被勒令支付任何法律相关费用和/或赔偿金。如果您需要电视许可证，那么您必须购买。

如欲了解更多详情，请访问 [tvlicensing.co.uk/info](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/info)

请查看下方的‘如何购买电视许可证’，了解不同的支付方式。

\*根西岛的最高罚款为 2,000 英镑。

### 只观看非英国的卫星节目？

即使您只观看或录制英国境外播放的节目，您还是需要许可证。



### 最近搬家了？

如果您已经搬家了，而您已拥有针对旧地址的许可证，那么请您通过访问

[tvlicensing.co.uk/moving](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/moving)  
或拨打电话 0300 790 6044  
告知我们。



### 不需要许可证？

如果您从来不观看或录制任何频道和设备上的直播电视节目，也从未在 iPlayer 上下载或观看英国广播公司 (BBC) 的节目，那么您不需要电视许可证。



如果您不需要电视许可证，请通过访问  
[tvlicensing.co.uk/noTV](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/noTV)，  
拨打电话 0300 790 6044  
或写信至  
Customer Services,  
TV Licensing,  
Darlington DL98 1TL 告知我们。  
我们可能会去您家拜访以确认情况。

如果您的视力有问题，您可以通过电子邮件获得此信息，或此信息的盲文、大字版本，或拨打电话

0300 790 6076

获得关于此信息的音频。

如果您耳聋、耳背或有语言障碍，我们支持下一代文本 (Next Generation Text, NGT) 服务。详情请参见 [tvlicensing.co.uk/accessibility](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/accessibility)



### 如何购买电视许可证。

彩色电视的电视许可证为 169.50 英镑（黑白电视的电视许可证为 57.00 英镑）。支付方式多种多样，请选择最适合您的支付方式：



**PayPoint:** 您可用现金或借记卡支付电视许可证费用。

请访问 [paypoint.com/locator](http://paypoint.com/locator) 以找到距您最近的支付点，如果您住在海峡群岛或马恩岛，则可前往当地邮局支付相关费用。



**电视许可支付卡:** 您可以按周支付电视许可证费用，每周支付金额自 6.50 英镑起。请拨打电话 **0300 555 3456**。



**信用卡/借记卡:** 您可以使用 Maestro、Delta、Visa、Visa Electron 或 MasterCard 等借记卡或信用卡一次性付清费用。请访问 [tvlicensing.co.uk/payinfo](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/payinfo) 或拨打电话 0300 790 6044 进行在线支付。



**直接借记:** 您可以从我们提供的直接借记选项中选择一种分期方式来支付许可证费用。请访问 [tvlicensing.co.uk/payinfo](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/payinfo) 或拨打电话 0300 790 6044 了解更多详情。



**通过邮寄支付:** 邮寄支付所有电视许可证费用，收款人为‘电视许可公司’的支票，并在支票的背面清楚地写明您的姓名、地址和邮编。请将支票邮寄至 TV Licensing, Darlington DL98 1TL。请不要邮寄现金。

### 您能否享受优惠？



您或者与您共同生活的任何人是否：

- **75 岁或以上，并领取退休金补贴？** 您可以申请免费电视收视许可证。您应为以您本人名义或以同居伴侣名义领取退休金补助的人员。
- **74 岁，并领取退休金补贴？** 您现在可以申请一份免费电视收视许可证，以及一份短期许可证，有效期至您的 75 岁生日。如果您生活在海峡群岛或马恩岛，可能会适用不同的条件。
- **盲人(视力严重受损)？** 您有资格申请 50% 费用减免。您可以在 [tvlicensing.co.uk/blind](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/blind) 上填写在线申请表并打印出来，将其与您的盲人登记证复印件或者眼科医生开具的证明一起发送给我们。您也需要提供您的许可证号码、电话号码和支票付款。请邮寄至 TV Licensing, Blind Concession Group, Darlington DL98 1TL。

关于优惠的更多信息，请前往 [tvlicensing.co.uk/concessions](http://tvlicensing.co.uk/concessions) 或拨打电话 **0300 790 6044**。



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