

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TEMPORARY HOLIDAY SHIPPING PRICE ADJUSTMENT

The United States Postal Service (USPS) has announced a temporary price adjustment for the 2026 holiday shipping season.

The temporary rates would go into effect at **12 a.m. CT on October 4, 2026, and remain in place until 12 a.m. CT on January 17, 2027.**

Retail:

Priority Mail and USPS Ground Advantage: Zones 1-4

- \$0.50 increase for Zones 1-4, 0-3 lbs.
- \$0.80 increase for Zones 1-4, 4-10 lbs.
- \$1.25 increase for Zones 1-4, 11-25 lbs.
- \$3.90 increase for Zones 1-4, 26-70 lbs. and Oversized.

Priority Mail: Zones 5-9

- \$1.00 increase for Zones 5-9, 0-3 lbs.
- \$2.10 increase for Zones 5-9, 4-10 lbs.
- \$4.30 increase for Zones 5-9, 11-25 lbs.
- \$9.10 increase for Zones 5-9, 26-70 lbs.

Priority Mail Flat Rate:

- \$2.10 increase for Large Flat Rate Boxes.
- \$1.00 increase for all other Flat Rate Products.

USPS Ground Advantage: Zones 5-9

- \$0.75 increase for Zones 5-9, 0-3 lbs.
- \$1.40 increase for Zones 5-9, 4-10 lbs.
- \$2.75 increase for Zones 5-9, 11-25 lbs.
- \$7.50 increase for Zones 5-9, 26-70 lbs. and Oversized.

Priority Mail Express: Zones 1-9

- \$1.40 increase for Zones 1-4, 0-3 lbs.
- \$2.35 increase for Zones 5-9, 0-3 lbs.
- \$2.45 increase for Zones 1-4, 4-10 lbs.
- \$6.30 increase for Zones 5-9, 4-10 lbs.
- \$5.05 increase for Zones 1-4, 11-25 lbs.
- \$11.70 increase for Zones 5-9, 11-25 lbs.
- \$12.70 increase for Zones 1-4, 26-70 lbs.
- \$20.80 increase for Zones 5-9, 26-70 lbs.

Priority Mail Express Flat Rate:

- \$2.35 increase for Flat Rate Envelopes.

Commercial:

Priority Mail and USPS Ground Advantage: Zones 1-4

- \$0.40 increase for Zones 1-4, 0-3 lbs. and Cubic Tiers 1-3.
- \$0.65 increase for Zones 1-4, 4-10 lbs. and Cubic Tiers 4-5 (PM), 4-9 (GA).
- \$1.05 increase for Zones 1-4, 11-25 lbs. and Cubic Tier 10 (GA).
- \$3.15 increase for Zones 1-4, 26-70 lbs. and Oversized.

Priority Mail: Zones 5-9

- \$0.85 increase for Zones 5-9, 0-3 lbs. and Cubic Tiers 1-3.
- \$1.75 increase for Zones 5-9, 4-10 lbs. and Cubic Tiers 4-5.
- \$3.85 increase for Zones 5-9, 11-25 lbs.
- \$9.10 increase for Zones 5-9, 26-70 lbs.

Priority Mail Flat Rate:

- \$1.75 increase for Large Flat Rate Boxes.
- \$0.85 increase for all other Flat Rate Products.

USPS Ground Advantage: Zones 5-9

- \$0.55 increase for Zones 5-9, 0-3 lbs. and Cubic Tiers 1-3.
- \$1.05 increase for Zones 5-9, 4-10 lbs. and Cubic Tiers 4-9.
- \$1.75 increase for Zones 5-9, 11-25 lbs. and Cubic Tier 10.
- \$7.70 increase for Zones 5-9, 26-70 lbs. and Oversized.

Priority Mail Express: Zones 1-9

- \$1.40 increase for Zones 1-4, 0-3 lbs.
- \$2.35 increase for Zones 5-9, 0-3 lbs.
- \$2.10 increase for Zones 1-4, 4-10 lbs.
- \$5.55 increase for Zones 5-9, 4-10 lbs.
- \$4.90 increase for Zones 1-4, 11-25 lbs.
- \$10.50 increase for Zones 5-9, 11-25 lbs.
- \$12.55 increase for Zones 1-4, 26-70 lbs.
- \$18.20 increase for Zones 5-9, 26-70 lbs.

Priority Mail Express Flat Rate:

- \$2.35 increase for Flat Rate Envelopes.

Parcel Select: (all entries)

- \$0.40 increase for 0-3 lbs.
- \$0.50 increase for 4-10 lbs.
- \$0.80 increase for 11-25 lbs.
- \$2.35 increase for 26-70 lbs. and Oversized

The complete Postal Service price filings with prices for all products can be found on the PRC website under the Daily Listings section at prc.gov/dockets/daily. For the Shipping Services filing, see Docket No. CP2026-10. The Postal Service provides additional resources to assist customers regarding the price changes. These tools include price lists, downloadable price files and Federal Register Notices. This information will be available on the Postal Service's Postal Explorer website at pe.usps.com/PriceChange/Index.