



# An update from Virgin Australia

## Virgin Australia Trade Release

Virgin Australia will increase its additional checked baggage fees by \$5 across all domestic sectors during peak travel periods, effective 28 October 2025. Peak travel periods include school holidays and the peak summer travel season.

See the applicable dates below:

- 12 December 2025 - 27 January 2026
- 3 April 2026 - 19 April 2026
- 20 June 2026 - 26 July 2026
- 19 September 2026 - 11 October 2026
- 12 December 2026 - 27 January 2027

Off-peak pricing applies to all other travel dates. View checked baggage fees and dates [here](#).

This change applies to bookings for travel from December onward and reflects the higher operational costs associated with providing this service during designated high-traffic travel periods, including school holidays and the summer peak season on Virgin Australia Domestic Network.

**If the booking includes peak travel dates but no prepaid baggage was purchased before 28 October 2025, and baggage is added after 28 October 2025, off-peak pricing will continue to apply based on booking date.**

**If the original booking made before 28 October 2025 did not include prepaid baggage and changes are made to the booking to include peak travel dates, peak pricing will apply to any newly purchased baggage.**

For more information, please contact the Virgin Australia Industry Support Team on **13 67 37**.