

Tesco Bank Cash ISA Key Features

The Financial Conduct Authority is a financial services regulator. It requires us, Tesco Bank, to give you this important information to help you to decide whether our Tesco Bank Cash ISA is right for you. You should read this document carefully so that you understand what you are buying, and then keep it safe for future reference.

What is a Cash ISA?

A Cash ISA is a savings account which allows you to earn interest on money you save, tax free. The value of tax benefits depends on individual circumstances and is subject to change by HM Revenue & Customs (HMRC). When you pay money into a Cash ISA this is known as making a “subscription”. You can only make subscriptions up to a maximum limit each tax year. This is known as the annual “allowance”. The account must be held in your sole name. You can only subscribe to one Cash ISA in a tax year.

What is the annual allowance?

The annual ISA allowance for tax year 2018-19 is £20,000. You can subscribe up to this amount through a combination of Cash ISA, Stocks and Shares ISA, Innovative Finance ISA, Help to Buy ISA or Lifetime ISA. You can only open one of each of these types of ISA each tax year.

Who can have a Tesco Bank Cash ISA?

To subscribe to a Tesco Bank Cash ISA you must be aged 18 or over and be resident in the UK for tax purposes, or, be a Crown employee serving overseas or be married to or in a civil partnership with a Crown employee. For more information about the residency rules, please contact HMRC.

Your right to cancel

You can choose to cancel your Account at any time up to 30 days from the day you receive your Welcome Pack. If you want to cancel during this time, you must call us on 0345 678 5678* to let us know, alternatively, write to us at Tesco Bank, Broadway One, 199 Renfield Street, Glasgow G2 3AX. If you decide to cancel during this time, you can open a new Cash ISA in the same tax year and subscribe up to the full allowance.

Is my money safe?

We are covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS). The FSCS can pay compensation to depositors if a bank is unable to meet its financial obligations. In respect of deposits, an eligible depositor is entitled to claim up to the current FSCS limit for deposits. For further information about the scheme (including the amounts covered and eligibility to claim) please call us on 0345 678 5678*; refer to the FSCS website www.fscs.org.uk or call 0800 678 1100.

Making a complaint

If you wish to make a complaint you can do so by calling us on 0345 678 5678* or by writing to us at Tesco Bank, Broadway One, 199 Renfield Street, Glasgow G2 3AX. If you make a complaint we'll aim to resolve it as quickly as we can. If you're still not happy, you may be able to refer your complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS). You can find out more about FOS by writing to them at Exchange Tower, London E14 9SR or by telephoning on 0800 023 4567. Details are also available from their website, www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk

If you purchased your Account with us online, you may also be eligible to complain using the Online Dispute Resolution (ODR) service. Further information on ODR can be obtained at ec.europa.eu/odr or on the 'Make a complaint' section of the Tesco Bank website. Please note that using the ODR service will not mean that your complaint is resolved more quickly than if you complain to us directly.

*This number may be included as part of any inclusive call minutes provided by your phone operator.

Tesco Bank Fixed Rate Cash ISA – Summary Box

This leaflet sets out key information you should know about the account. It should be read together with the Fixed Rate Cash ISA Terms and Conditions and forms part of our agreement with you.

SUMMARY BOX	
Account name	Fixed Rate Cash ISA.
What is the interest rate?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gross/AER*Fixed for 12 months. Interest will be earned at a daily rate and paid into the account on the anniversary of the account opening. <p>*Gross is the interest rate paid before tax is deducted. Annual Equivalent Rate (AER) illustrates what the interest rate would be if paid and compounded each year.</p>
Can Tesco Bank change the interest rate?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No – your Fixed Rate Cash ISA gives you a guaranteed rate of interest over the fixed term.
What would the estimated balance be after 12 months based on a £1,000 deposit?	<p>The estimated balance would be</p> <p>This is only an example and does not take into account your individual circumstances. The example assumes that no withdrawals are made and any interest earned stays in the account.</p>
How do I open and manage my account?	<p>To subscribe to a Fixed Rate Cash ISA you must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be 18 or over. Be resident in the UK or, if not, be a Crown employee serving overseas or be married to or in a civil partnership with a Crown employee. Complete a Cash ISA Declaration for confirming you are eligible to have a Cash ISA. Not have subscribed to another Cash ISA in the same tax year unless you are going to transfer all of your subscriptions from the current tax year from your existing Cash ISA to your Tesco Bank Cash ISA. Not have exceeded the overall subscription limit for the year. <p>You can apply online and over the telephone;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You can deposit a minimum of £1 with no maximum balance (subject to ISA subscription limits). You must provide a Linked Account. Deposits must be made within first 30 days of account opening (after this no further deposits allowed within the fixed term). You can manage your account online and over the telephone. To manage your account over the phone, you will need to set up telephone security details (which will also be used for online banking). To use online banking or the mobile app you must first register, and create your login details.
Can I withdraw money?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No – withdrawals are not permitted during the fixed term. If you require access to your money the account must be closed or transferred to another provider. This will incur a charge of 90 days' interest which will be deducted from the account balance. At the end of the fixed term we will write to you with options of what you can do with your money. If we do not hear from you your Fixed Rate Cash ISA will become an Instant Access Cash ISA and will earn interest at the ISA Standard Interest Rate (variable). We will send you a copy of the relevant terms and conditions before your term ends.
Additional information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Previous years' subscriptions may be transferred into the account but must be complete within the first 30 days. The account can be cancelled within 30 days of receiving the welcome letter. The current rules for ISAs are subject to change by HM Revenue & Customs and the value of tax benefits depends on individual circumstances.