

AIRPORT EXIT

Paphos International Airport (PFO)

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THE ANSWER

Take bus 612 - EUR 2.00 cash to the driver - from the terminal down the seafront into Kato Paphos (last stop the Tombs of the Kings), 25-30 minutes; its sibling 613 serves the upper town at Karavella station.

OSYPAs own announcements name 612 and 613 as the only two lines that run year-round with no timetable changes - everything else in the district shrinks on Sundays and holidays.

Hotel up the hill or catching an intercity? 613 drops at Karavella, the upper-town station, for the same EUR 2.00. Four people, late landing? The legal fixed taxi fare into Kato Paphos is EUR 20 by day / EUR 25 at night for up to 4 passengers, luggage and VAT included - cheaper per head than night buses to Coral Bay prices imply.

EVERY WAY OUT — REAL PRICES

Bus 612 - seafront / Kato Paphos *BEST FOR MOST* EUR 2.00

The airport line down the coast: Kato Paphos promenade and the Tombs of the Kings terminus, roughly 25-30 minutes. EUR 2.00 daytime single in cash to the driver, EUR 3.00 after 21:00 (the Motion scheme's night paper ticket caps at EUR 3.50), day ticket EUR 6.50. Operates year-round unchanged - including Sundays and public holidays. Public timetables show first from the airport about 07:30 and last near 01:00.

Bus 613 - upper town / Karavella station EUR 2.00

Runs the inland road to Karavella, Paphos's upper-town bus station, for hotels on the hill and onward intercity connections. Same fare book (EUR 2.00 / EUR 3.00 night), year-round service; public timetables show the earliest airport departure around 05:50 and the last near midnight.

Official airport taxi (fixed by law) EUR 20-35 by zone

Fares are set in the Official Gazette (... 79/2021), not the meter: Area 1 - Kato Paphos up to the Tombs of the Kings - is EUR 20 day / EUR 25 night for up to 4 passengers (EUR 30/EUR 35 for 5-6); Area 2 - Chloraka to Kissonerga - EUR 25/EUR 30; Area 3 - Coral Bay to west of Pegeia - EUR 35/EUR 40; Polis/Argaka EUR 50/EUR 55; Troodos area EUR 55/EUR 65. Day is 06:00-20:30, night 20:30-06:00. VAT and luggage included, same prices on public holidays, same in both directions.

Limassol Airport Express EUR 10 adult / EUR 5 child

The direct coach to Limassol (about five to seven departures a day, timed to flights) - the only sensible scheduled link since Paphos has no ordinary bus to Limassol from the airport. Book with the operator; free parking at the Agios Georgios Havouzas station.

Ride-hailing (Bolt) app price

App rides run at Paphos airport but sit OUTSIDE the statutory fixed-fare scheme - the price shown at booking governs. Compare it against the EUR 20 printed taxi fare for the same run before judging either.

THE TRAPS — WALK PAST THESE

EUR 20 is Kato Paphos - Coral Bay is EUR 35, and the zone flips at 20:30

Paphos taxi fares are fixed by LAW in three airport zones: Kato Paphos up to the Tombs EUR 20, Chloraka-Kissonerga EUR 25, Coral Bay west to Pegeia EUR 35 - with a EUR 5 night step-up from 20:30. A negotiated 'special' from a rank driver is not a bargain, it is an off-list price: the pricelist warns charging higher OR lower than the fixed charges is illegal. **Do this:** find your zone on the posted airport pricelist and hand the driver the printed figure

The bus doubles its price at 21:00

OSYPAs fare table: daytime single EUR 2.00, after 21:00 EUR 3.00 - while the national Motion ticketing section on the same page caps a driver-issued night paper ticket at EUR 3.50. Expect to pay EUR 3-3.50 for the identical 25-minute ride after nine at night. **Do this:** landed before 21:00? board before it lapses; late arrivals - small notes help, night tickets are issued by the driver

Between roughly 01:00 and 05:50 there is no bus at all

The airport lines stop for the night: last 612 departs near 01:00, last 613 near midnight, first trips around 05:50-07:30 (per public timetables). A 03:00 charter landing has exactly one motorised option on the apron - taxi or app. **Do this:** arriving inside the 4-hour gap? pre-book a transfer at a fixed price, or budget the EUR 25 night taxi

612 and 613 are not interchangeable - pick the wrong one and walk

612 hugs the coast to Kato Paphos / Tombs of the Kings; 613 goes inland to Karavella upper-town station. Seafront hotels and hill hotels are minutes apart on the map but effectively on different lines, and there is no free hop-back between the two town ends for under four singles. **Do this:** match the route number to whether your address is 'Kato' (lower, sea) or upper town before boarding

Holidays collapse the rest of the network - but not the airport lines

OSYPAs runs Sunday schedules on public holidays, and lines that have no Sunday service simply do not run. Only 612 and 613 keep the exact timetable year-round - so onward trips to Polis or the villages after a holiday morning landing can be thin, even though your airport hop is safe. **Do this:** book any same-day onward coach (Polis, Troodos) before travelling on a red-letter date

KNOW BEFORE YOU WALK

- The EUR 6.50 day ticket pays for itself on the fourth single - worth it if you plan beach-and-Tombs hops in one day.
- Paphos district tickets are bought in cash from the driver; a Motion e-wallet charges the same flat EUR 2.00 / EUR 3.00.
- Free passenger-information line for the Paphos network: 8000 5588 (OSYPAs).
- The fixed taxi fare covers up to 4 passengers with luggage and is identical in reverse - an airport departure at 05:30 is EUR 20, not a 'night-collection special'.
- From Larnaca instead of Paphos: all three Paphos zones are ONE fixed taxi fare (EUR 105 day / EUR 125 night up to 4) - staying further out at Coral Bay costs nothing extra on that leg.
- Taxis wait at a designated rank on the right as you leave Arrivals at Level 0, 24 hours - per the airport's own transportation page.

Verified 20 October 2026. Bus fares from OSYPAs Pafos Buses' own tickets page (single EUR 2.00, night EUR 3.00, day EUR 6.50 - with the same page's Motion section capping driver-issued night paper tickets at EUR 3.50) and their news posts naming 612/613 as the only year-round lines with Sunday-schedule holidays; route endpoints from the operator's network description. First/last bus times are approximate, read from published timetable mirrors, not printed on the fare page. Taxi figures are the fixed airport fares set by ... 79/2021 (Official Gazette 19 February 2021, in force since 1 March 2021, carried as current by the Road Transport Department and posted as the airport pricelist on the airport's site). Limassol Airport Express EUR 10/EUR 5 from the operator. Bolt is outside the statutory tariff, so no euro figure is quoted. 'Paphos' is also spelled 'Pafos' officially.

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