Cash Discount Implementation Checklist

Ensure that your advertised/shelf price for each product or service does NOT include the 5% cash discount. To do that apply this formula to the cash price of each product or service (cash discount price * 1.05, rounded to 2 decimal points)

Educate your staff on how to present the program to customers. This is NOT an additional charge for paying by credit card. The cash discount program offers an *incentive* for choosing to pay with cash

Program your POS system to itemize receipts showing a separate line item when the cash discount is applied, for example:

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THE BEAN HOUSE CAFÉ

123 Main Street

Springfield, USA
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Date: 09/25/2025 Receipt #: 20457 Cashier: Anna

Item Qty Price

Latte (12 oz) 1 \$4.16

Blueberry Muffin 1 \$3.12

Subtotal \$7.28
Cash Discount (5%) -\$0.36

TOTAL (Cash) \$6.92

TOTAL (Card) \$7.28

Payment Method: Cash

Thank you for your business!

Remember! The Shelf/Advertised Price applies to ALL non-cash payments, including both credit and debit cards. The discount is for CASH payments only.

Remember! The program must be applied consistently across all card brands (Visa, Mastercard, Amex, Discover, etc.). You cannot charge the higher shelf price for one brand and the cash price for another.

Display Cash Discount Signage Prominently at Check Out! We prepared one for you!

Attention Customers

As an incentive to our customers, we offer a 5.00% discount for paying in cash.

Thank you for your business!

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