

Obtaining VAT Receipts from Supermarkets, Shops and online Purchases

Some supermarkets and shops do not issue VAT receipts as a matter of course. They issue a till receipt with a VAT number on it, but it is not acceptable to the VAT inspector when we as a club try to reclaim the VAT paid. In these cases you need to obtain a proper VAT receipt usually from customer services.

You only need to do this if you have brought Vatable goods for the rally, Food is not generally vatable so the till receipt is fine to send in with your rally accounts.

Sweets for Children and peg / raffle prizes will normally be Vatable so we would need a VAT receipt to reclaim the VAT.

Supermarkets and shops that don't issue a VAT receipt

Sainsburys – Vatable items have * next to them, for a VAT receipt you need to ask for one at customer services. This is usually hand written.

Tesco – Vatable items have * next to them, for a VAT receipt you need to ask for one at customer services. This is usually a print out after they scan your till receipt

Asda - Vatable items have V next to them, for a VAT receipt you need to ask for one at customer services. This is usually hand written.

Homebase – Vatable items have * next to them, for a VAT receipt you need to ask for one at customer services. This is usually hand written.

B&Q – Ask for a VAT receipt before anything goes through the till. You should then be provided with one.

Supermarkets and shops that do issue a VAT receipt

Co-op, Morrisons, Aldi, Lidl, Makro, Staples

Online purchases

If you purchase items online you do not normally receive a VAT receipt. Check the suppliers website for details on how to obtain a VAT receipt. As an example Amazon provide them within your account, but only if it was shipped direct from Amazon and not for a Marketplace order. For Marketplace orders you will need to contact the seller directly.

This information is correct as at December 2014.