20% discount for QR code tickets in metro trains

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TO encourage contact-less ticketing and minimise Covid risk, the Chennai Metro is offering 20 per cent discount on QR code tickets.

The discount is applicable for single journey, return journey, and group tickets in addition to trip passes, a statement from Chennai Metro Rail said. Travel Card Readers have been installed at all stations.

This initiative is aimed at

avoiding queues at metro stations. Passengers can download the CMRL mobile application for booking tickets and receiving the QR codes.

In just three days since the metro train services resumed following the lockdown, as many as 24,354 people travelled in the trains and of them 18,769 used the Smart Card ticketing

system and 637 used the QR code system.

On September 9 alone, a total of 13,980 people travelled in the metro trains, the release added.