

13,43,695 travelled

in metro in

January

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A total of 13,43,695 passengers travelled in the metro trains in the city in January. According to the Chennai Metro Rail Limited (CMRL), at least 44,96,141 passengers have used the metro service from September 7, 2020 to January 31, 2021.

The maximum number of passengers who took the metro ride last month was on January 27 with 63,699 passengers.

A total of 1,09,505 passengers have used the recently launched QR code ticketing system from September 2020 to January 2021 while 24,80,185 passengers have chosen the travel card ticketing system.

In January, 25,692 passengers commuted with the QR Code ticketing system and 6,30,241 passengers travelled on the travel card ticketing system.

The CMRL has offered 20 percent discount on QR Code ticketing and 10 percent discount on travel cards.

All the entrance gates at all metro stations have been opened for public use considering the convenience of passengers.

Also, all facilities inside the stations such as lifts, escalators and subways connecting the entrance of metro stations are also being opened to benefit the public and metro passengers, it said.