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## **Government scrappage scheme**

From 18 May to March 2010, you may be able to get a £2,000 discount off the price of a new car or small van if you are trading in an old car or small van for scrap. The scheme may end before March 2010 if its fixed budget runs out.

You will need to check with your local dealer to see if they have joined the scheme.

The dealer will check that your vehicle and the new vehicle that you want to buy both meet the rules of the scheme. They include that the old car or van that you are trading in must have been first registered in the UK on or before 31 July 1999 and must have been registered to you continuously for at least twelve months before the order date of the new vehicle. More information about the scheme is available on the Directgov website at [www.direct.gov.uk](http://www.direct.gov.uk) under Motoring.