

## TICKET CAP

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FOOTY fans attending away games in the English Premier League will pay no more £30 a ticket – after top flight club chiefs agreed on a maximum ticket price.

The popular decision to lower prices of away game tickets was welcomed at a meeting of top flight teams on Wednesday.

It follows criticism from fan groups about the cost of attending away matches. The irate fans pointed out that top clubs will already be set to benefit from a rise in revenue from the 2016-19 television rights, which will soar to £8.3 billion.

Fans of clubs taking on Arsenal will benefit, as the London club had been charging up to £64 in the away end. Now tickets for visiting fans will be more than halved.

Although initially thought that this would lower income for clubs, it will encourage more fans to go to away fixtures.

Additionally, Arsenal will partially subsidize tickets for its fans watching Arsene Wenger's team play away from home.