

Fees & Payments Policy

Sellers are charged an annual user fee plus transaction fees. This Fees & Payments Policy explains your fees and taxes and how to pay them.

This policy is a part of our Terms of Use. By opening a Skagway Studios shop, you're agreeing to this policy, our Terms of Use and our Seller's Policy.

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1. Types of Fees

Selling through Skagway Studios involves the following fees.

Subscription Fees

Made in Skagway members in good standing may opt-in to Skagway Studios at any point during their Made in Skagway membership. The annual fee for a Skagway Studios subscription is \$30/ year, payable when a Skagway Studios page is created and then with your annual Made in Skagway membership fee. Where applicable, Skagway Studios will charge sales tax on your monthly subscription fee for sellers located in the United States.

Transaction Fees

When you make a sale through Skagway Studios, you will be charged a transaction fee of 10% of the price you display for each listing. This transaction fee covers Skagway Studios administrative costs and payment processing fees. If you offer optional personalization for an additional fee, the additional fee for personalization is added to the listing price you display and the total display price is subject to the same transaction fees described in this Section.

See the Taxes section below for more information about whether you are required to include applicable taxes in your listing prices. Transaction fees are deducted from your current balance as each sale occurs, and are reflected in your payment account.

2. Fee Avoidance

Any action by a seller to avoid paying a fee is considered fee avoidance and is strictly prohibited by Skagway Studios. A transaction initiated on Skagway Studios may not be completed off of Skagway Studios. The price stated in each listing description must be an accurate representation of the sale. Sellers may not alter the item's price after a sale for the purpose of avoiding Skagway Studios' transaction fees, misrepresent the item's location, or use another user's account without permission.

Fee avoidance does not include encouraging buyers to purchase your products through your website by listing your company's website on your Skagway Studios page.

3. Paying your Skagway Studios Fees

The subscription fee is due each year with your annual Made in Skagway membership fee. Skagway Studios will automatically deduct transaction fees owed from your payment account. Provided you have sufficient funds in your payment account no further payment action is required. If your payment account does not contain sufficient funds you are responsible for paying any fees owed in full within 15 days of the date of your monthly statement, or the account will be considered past due and will incur an additional 2% late fee/ month on all outstanding balances. If you make a sale while you have an outstanding balance the net sale amount will be applied to your outstanding balance. You may pay your outstanding balance in cash or by check.

Skagway Studios accounts who have an outstanding balance for longer than 2 months will be disabled until payment is received.

Your monthly fee statement summary is available upon request by the 5th of each month, and will detail all sales and fees activity from the preceding month.

4. Seller Revenue Withdraws

The Skagway Development Corporation (SDC) will act as a holding pot for Skagway Studios transactions. SDC will accept funds from buyers for a purchase and hold such funds until a seller has indicated an order is fulfilled by being shipped to the buyer. Once a seller has fulfilled their obligated order, SDC will release funds, less the transaction fee, to the seller upon their request through the seller's account portal.

5. Taxes

Aside from the limited circumstances set out below, you are responsible for collecting and paying any taxes associated with using and making sales through Skagway Studios' services. Skagway Development Corporation, the administrative and marketing body for the Made in Skagway and Skagway Studios programs will issue 1099-K forms to certain sellers to comply with IRS and state requirements.

As a venue, Skagway Studios/ SDC/ Made in Skagway can't provide specific tax advice. It's up to each seller to research their local laws about collecting and reporting taxes for their Skagway Studios sales. Tax regulations can vary greatly by location. If you're unsure how to charge tax, we encourage you to consult an accountant or other experts in your area.

A. Listing your items on Skagway Studios

If you sell physical goods on Skagway Studios, you may utilize our sales tax tool to calculate the tax owed on each sale.

Please remember that Skagway Studios' fees do not include any withholding taxes that might apply. You are required to pay Skagway Studios the full amount of our fees and may not deduct any applicable withholding taxes from that amount.

B. Taxes on Seller Services

Sales Tax on Subscription Fees

Where applicable, state and/or local sales tax will be applied to Skagway Studios subscription fees and transaction fees.