

Cheapest Time to Book Flights Readiness Score Kit

Great Price Flights v9.6 - booking readiness score, final pre-booking decision criteria, proof capture plan, and validation checklist.

Use this kit as the final gate before clicking through to compare or book flights. It is guidance only; always verify live fares, baggage, seats, transfer costs, fare rules, and final checkout terms.

1. Readiness Score Inputs

Input	Why it matters
Timing checked	Confirms the user reviewed seasonal timing, route timing, or calendar checkpoints.
True fare calculated	Confirms base fare plus bags, seats, transfers, timing friction, and rules risk.
Alternatives compared	Confirms Date Grid, Price Graph, nearby airports, or deal board was used.
Fee risk checked	Confirms baggage, seat, airport, transfer, and basic-economy risks were reviewed.
Fare rules checked	Confirms refund/change/cancellation rules fit the trip.
Trip pressure	Fixed, holiday, and family trips should book earlier when the fare is fair.

2. Score Meaning

Score	Meaning	Action
85-100	Ready to compare/book	Click through if schedule, fare rules, and total cost are acceptable.
65-84	Almost ready	Fix the missing item before booking.
40-64	Keep comparing	Use the calendar, deal board, or hidden-fee checker.
0-39	Not ready	Do not book yet unless the trip is urgent.

3. Final Pre-Booking Workflow

- Use quick answer blocks and route timing guidance.
- Generate a booking timeline if you have a travel date.
- Use the fare watch log for one fare or the deal board for multiple fares.
- Check hidden fees, baggage, seats, transfers, and fare rules.
- Run the readiness score before clicking a booking CTA.

4. Proof Screenshots to Add Later

Proof slot	Suggested screenshot
Readiness score result	flight-readiness-score-result-real.jpg
Timing proof	flight-booking-calendar-result-real.jpg
True fare proof	flight-base-fare-vs-true-cost-real.jpg
Alternative proof	flight-deal-board-result-real.jpg
Hidden fee proof	flight-hidden-fee-check-real.jpg
Fare rule proof	basic-economy-restriction-real.jpg

5. Validation Checklist

- Readiness score works.
- Action plan generator works.
- Decision hub works.
- Deal board works.
- Fare watch log works.
- Flight booking calendar works.
- Route timing estimator works.
- Booking window tool and fare decision score work.
- PDF opens and downloads.
- Standalone readiness-score page loads.
- Real screenshots are redacted, compressed, captioned, and lazy-loaded after upload.