# **Bring&Buy Rules**



The Bring&Buy rules are valid from DoKomi 2024.

If you have any further questions please send an email to bringandbuy@dokomi.de or ask a member of the Bring&Buy helper team at DoKomi directly.

# **Opening hours:**

	Sale	Acceptance	Collection
Friday:	3:00 p.m. – 6:00	1:00 p.m 5:00	3:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
	p.m.	p.m.	
Saturday:	12:00 p.m 6:00	10:00 a.m 5:00	12:00 a.m 5:30
	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Sunday:	10:00 a.m 2:45	10:00 a.m 12:00	10:00 a.m 4:00
	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.*

<sup>\*</sup>No collection possible between 2:30 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.

- 1. We will extend the collection times automatically and without notice if there are still visitors queuing to collect their belongings at 4 p.m. on Sunday.
- 2. We reserve the right to adjust the opening times if necessary depending on the current situation. We will inform you about possible changes via display or announcements during DoKomi.
- 3. As an active part of DoKomi you rarely find time to visit the Bring&Buy. We therefore offer **all exhibitors and members of the DoKomi helper team** special times during setup on Friday and dismantling on Sunday. You can receive further information via email: <a href="mailto:bringandbuy@dokomi.de">bringandbuy@dokomi.de</a>

#### **General information:**

- 4. Payments and payouts are only made in <u>cash!</u>
  Payments by card are not possible.(1)
- 5. There may be changes to the processes during DoKomi for organizational reasons.

#### **PURCHASE:**

- 6. All items must be paid for at the booth where they are displayed.
- 7. Access to the items for those aged 18 and over is only granted upon presentation of a valid photo ID.

The following rules only apply to visitors who want to sell their items via Bring&Buy!



# **SALE:**

# Acceptance:

- 8. A maximum of 20 items can be submitted per person.
- 9. The times for acceptance can be found in the section opening hours on <u>page</u>  $\underline{1}$ .
- 10. You need a Bring&Buy number to drop off your items. This number is issued exclusively by the Bring&Buy team!
  - 10.1. Only one Bring&Buy number is issued per person.

# 3 ways to get a Bring&Buy number:

-> 1. **Online**: Request via email: <u>bringandbuy@dokomi.de</u>

Please note: We need your full name and your valid email address

- -> 2. **During the event:** At the entrance of the Bring&Buy at the number allocation.
- -> 3. **Past events:** The Bring&Buy number from DoKomi 2020 on are still valid and may be used again

THE NUMBER ALLOCATION WILL START AGAIN FROM 2025!

11. A sticker with the Bring&Buy number, the item number according to your list and the stated price must be attached to each item. Example:

11.1. All materials required for labeling the lists and items will be available at DoKomi while stocks last!

<u>Tip:</u> Please use stickers that stick well if you prepare your price labels at home. Experience has shown that paper clips or Post-Its do not hold up well and have to be recreated. Adhesive tape damages the paper surfaces of your manga.

- 12. Only amounts starting from €0.50 and increasing in 50 cent increments are permitted. (Not €1.99)
- 13. Items that are aged 18 and over must be marked separately. E.g.:





- 14. Only items that relate to the areas of DoKomi will be accepted.
  - 14.1. including anime, manga, games, cosplay and the topic of Japan in general
  - 14.2. cosplay weapons must comply with the Convention rules.
  - You can find more information at:

https://www.dokomi.de/de/veranstaltung/regeln

- Questions about this to: waffencheck@dokomi.de
- 14.3. You can find a list of items that are excluded from sale in a rough overview below our rules. (No-list)

<u>Tip:</u> If you are unsure or have any further questions, please contact <u>bringandbuy@dokomi.de</u> or the helper team at the event.

#### 15. We generally reserve the right to exclude items from sale without giving reasons!

- 16. The items can only be accepted with a completed Bring&Buy form. The following must be taken into account:
  - 16.1. The grey fields may only be filled in by Bring&Buy helpers.
  - 16.2. The Bring&Buy form must be presented in landscape format in A4
  - 16.3. The Bring&Buy form must be filled out completely and legibly. This especially applies to the address line!
  - 16.4. The Bring&Buy form may only be filled out in black or blue ink.
  - 16.5. Only the currently valid Bring&Buy form will be accepted.
  - 16.6. The Bring&Buy form <u>must be submitted</u>, otherwise the sales can't be assigned and a payout is **not** possible.
- 17. Items must not be wrapped in cling film to prevent damage. Adhesive tape or gift ribbons are also not permitted.

<u>Tip:</u> We recommend transparent gift wrapping foil! (2)

- 17.1. Wigs must be securely packaged in clear plastic with a picture and description.
- 17.2. Cosplays must also be provided with a description and size information.
- 17.3. Individual or accessory parts of an item (figure, cosplay, wig) of any kind must be attached to the main item in such a way that they can't be lost.
- 18. A package consisting of several items is counted as one item. Individual sales from the package are <u>not</u> permitted.
  - 18.1. Packages must be packed in such a way that they can't be taken apart easily.
  - 18.2. Packages must be packed in such a way that the contents can be clearly identified. Opaque packages are considered surprise bags and are not permitted.



- 19. A seal of approval will be added to jewel cases by the Bring&Buy team.
- 20. Donations don't need to be noted on the Bring&Buy form.

  <u>Tip:</u> If you'd like to donate items you can leave them on the dedicated shelf at the information desk. Simply put the items there yourself.
- 21. Persons aged 7-13 may only sell items with written parental consent.

#### Collection

- 22. The times for collection can be found in the section opening hours on page 1.
  - 22.1. except on Sunday from 2:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
  - 22.2. The collection ends on Sunday at 4 p.m.\*

    \*(see point 1)
  - 22.3. Collection outside of these times is not possible.
- 23. Collection is only possible with a valid photo ID.
- 24. Collection by a third person is only possible with appropriate authorization which must be **existent before** collection.
- 25. Payouts are only made in <u>cash</u>!
  - 25.1. From a total income of €5, a fee of 10% of the income will be deducted immediately.
- 26. The unsold items must be collected by the sellers themselves.
- 27. Any items not collected will be deemed to have given up ownership. They are therefore considered ownerless and become the property of DoKomi in accordance with §958 of the German Civil Code (BGB).
- 28.ATTENTION! No liability is assumed in the event of theft. Liability is also excluded in the event of any damage in accordance with §305 in conjunction with §309 No. 7b of the German Civil Code (BGB).

  We appeal to the honesty of all visitors!

## <u>VIP</u>

29. Visitors with a VIP ticket can hand in their completed list and items at the Bring&Buy information desk.

<u>Notice:</u> Please find out where your items were dropped off in time before collection.



# **Genereal Data Protection Regulation**

- 30. For organizational reasons only members of the Bring&Buy team have access to personal data if this is necessary for their work!
- 31. We'll delete all personal data immediately if it's no longer needed or the statutory retention period expires.
- 32. Personal data will only be passed on to third parties due to legal obligations, official or court order.
- 33. We don't support trading in personal data.

Our information processing complies with the European Union's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

#### **Background to certain rules:**

# (1) No payment by card:

We can't offer payment by card due to the concept of the Bring&Buy. At least 90% of the proceeds will be paid back to the sellers during the weekend. The effort required to implement this is far too high and therefore unsustainable.

#### (2) No cling wrap:

Because cling wrap is sticky it results in packages sticking together or labels being torn off items. We therefore ask you to avoid using cling wrap and use transparent gift wrapping foil instead. You can get these cheaply from Action and similar stores.

#### We won't accept items in cling wrap or remove them from sale!

Do you know any good alternative to cling wrap or transparent gift wrapping foil? Please let us know via email: bringandbuy@dokomi.de



# No-list! NOT YES-list

#### All items included in this list are excluded from sale on DoKomi:

- Obviously damaged items
- Inoperable/defective items
- Pirated copies/Bootleg
- Items that violate applicable law such as:
  - Dōjinshi depicting sexual acts with minors. Including Shota and Lolita (§184b of the Criminal Code).

This also applies if the child-looking character is of age according to the story!

- Swastikas or signs that are confusingly similar to them. Such as Manji (§86 & 86a of the Criminal Code).
- Weapons and cosplay weapons that violate gun laws.
- Food or perishable goods (e.g. contact lenses)
- Packaged items where it's not clear what is being sold with them.
  - Lucky bags
- Off-topic items without direct reference to an anime or manga.

### Basically excluded, please note the exceptions:

Disney

#### **Exception**:

- Kingdom Hearts
- o Japan limited Disney merchandise
- Disney manga adaptations
- FunkoPop

#### **Exception**:

- FunkoPop from anime/manga characters
- Fan arts without credit to the original artist.

#### Exception:

- o Fan arts with credit to the original artist.
- PC and console games:

#### Exception:

- o Games related to an anime or manga
- or that have an appropriate anime/manga style