

Budget Blinds

Franchise Summary

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Category: Home Improvement/Maintenance Services

Subcategory: Window Treatments

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Franchise Fee: \$49,950

Royalties: 3.5% of Gross Revenue

Cash Investment: \$70,500

Total Investment: \$100,500 - \$211,750

Net Worth: \$250,000

VetFran: Yes

Home-based: Yes

SBA approved: Yes

Master Franchise / Area Developer Opportunity: No

Founded: 1992

Franchised: 1994

Additional Details

Budget Blinds trains individuals to own and operate a home-based business that sells and installs window coverings, via a well-equipped mobile showroom. As the largest provider of custom window treatments in North America, Budget Blinds capitalizes on its buying power to provide our franchisees with the best mix of products, vendors, pricing and warranties in the business, resulting in an appointment close rate over 65%. With a strong national advertising program, award winning business coaching, and a strong Item 19, Budget Blinds is a match for almost everyone. We have everything from solo operators all the way to large Executive run models, and the only things necessary to be successful is a professional work ethic, a desire to succeed, and a willingness to follow a system that has been proven over 30 years.

Budget Blinds is pleased to announce its VETFRAN participation. Budget Blinds will discount \$15,000 off of the franchise fees.

WHY Budget Blinds?

Recession Resistant
Home-Based, Low Inventory
Great Cash Flow, Quick Ramp Up

OUR IDEAL FRANCHISEE

Budget Blinds is looking for franchisees with an entrepreneurial spirit who are team-minded. Self-starters with positive attitudes. Someone who is passionate about customer service and experience. No previous industry experience is necessary.

AVAILABLE MARKETS

US markets available: All except noted below
HOT Regions/Desirable: See Territory Map in downloads
NOT available: See Territory Map in downloads
Canadian Referrals: Yes
International Referrals: No

BACKGROUND

Year founded: 1992
Year Franchised: 1994

FINANCIAL DETAILS

Franchise Fee: Single: \$49,950- \$89,950
Providing earnings guidance in Item 19 in FDD: Yes
Total investment range: **Single Unit:** \$100,500 - \$211,250
Net worth requirement: \$250,000
Royalty: Percentage-based, 3.5% of Gross Revenue
Additional fees: National Ad Fund: \$1,000 US; \$1,500 Canada
Financial assistance available: Yes, In-House Financing of \$30-56K
VetFran program: Yes, Budget Blinds will discount the franchise fees 15%

SUPPORT & TRAINING PROVIDED:

Training and support program details:

Combination of hands-on and virtual initial training covering everything to start strong including administration, office set-up, technology, marketing the business locally, product knowledge and installation. (Travel and accommodations included for any on-site training at our Experience Center in Dallas.)

Cost for Training: \$0

Number of franchises currently operating: 1486
Projected New Units (12 Months): 32
Number of corporate owned franchises: 0

Home Based: Yes
Absentee ownership available: No
Semi-Absentee ownership available: No
Accepting Master Franchisor and Area Developer Referrals: No
Average number of employees required: 2
E2 Visa Friendly: Yes

Lodging and airfare included: Yes
Site Selection Assistance: No
Lease Negotiation Assistance: No

Mentor following training: Yes
Length of mentoring Franchisee: On-going
Training Opportunities: Annual International Convention, Regional Meetings, Online Forums/ Town Halls to exchange best practices with fellow franchisees, Installation Training, Vendor Product Training; On-call support from Regional Operation Managers; On-call Technical Support for supported applications; Marketing Managers available for local area marketing assistance.



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