### E-expenses



Guidance Notes for the new module





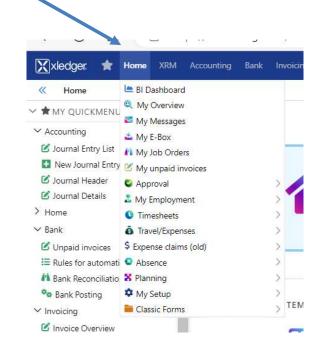
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# **Claiming Expenses**

You can start your expense claim by selecting the "Home" icon OR by hovering the cursor over to the Home option for the drop-down menu

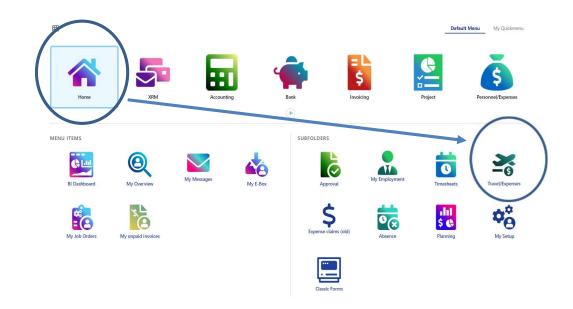




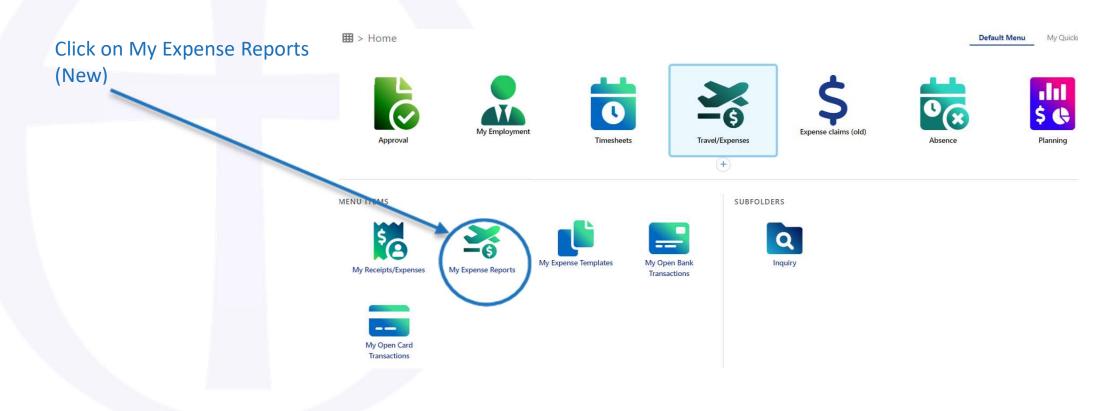
## Startinga new expense claim

Click on the "Home" icon

Then click on Travel/Expenses Icon

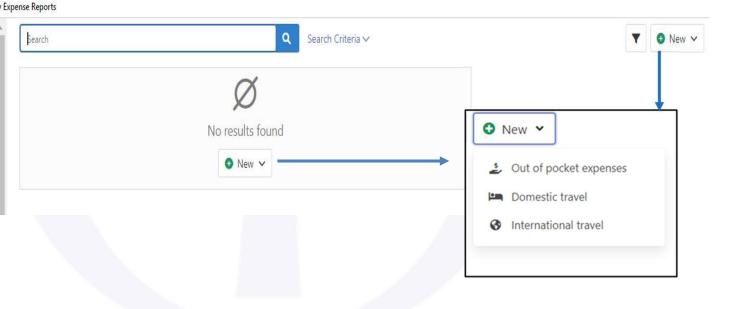


## Starting a new expense claim



### New expense claim

Window for starting your expense claim



Click on "New"

And select from

options in dropdown
box

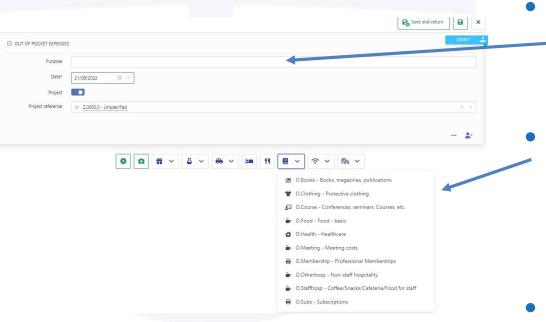
You can use "Out of pocket expenses" for both mileage and non-mileage claims

For "Domestic travel" you would need to enter a start and end date

(We are not anticipating any claims for international travel)

### A new claim form

#### Name your expense and select expense type

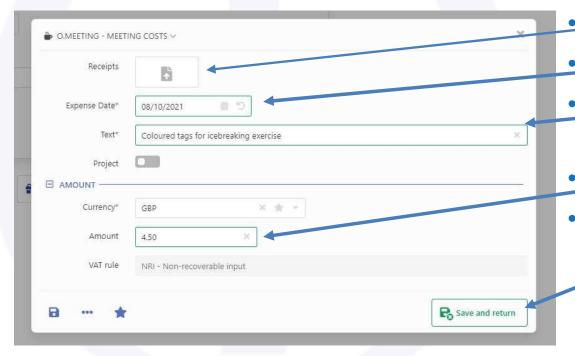


Enter 'Purpose' of the expense claim e.g. Sep 2022 expenses

Select appropriate expense from these icons or click of for a drop-down descriptive list of choices

• Click • to attach a receipt

### **Example of Out of Pocket expense claim**



Click here to add copy of receipt

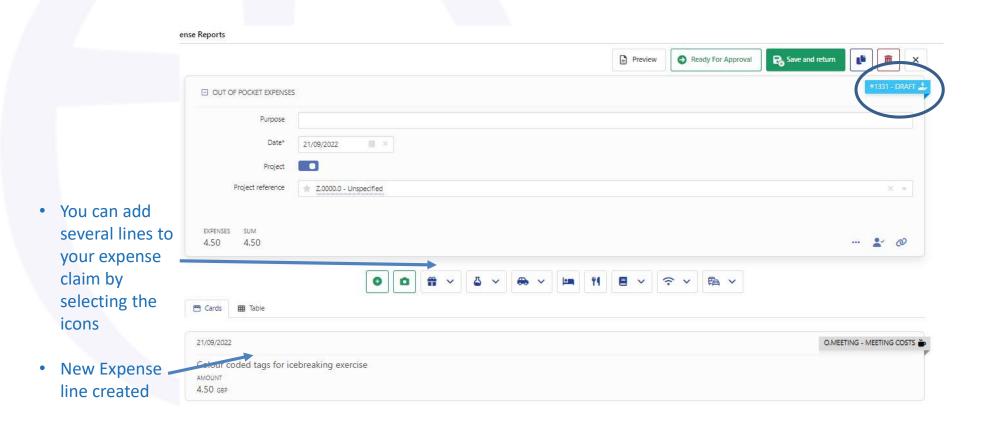
Enter date the expense incurred

Add details of purchase to help line manager in approving the claim

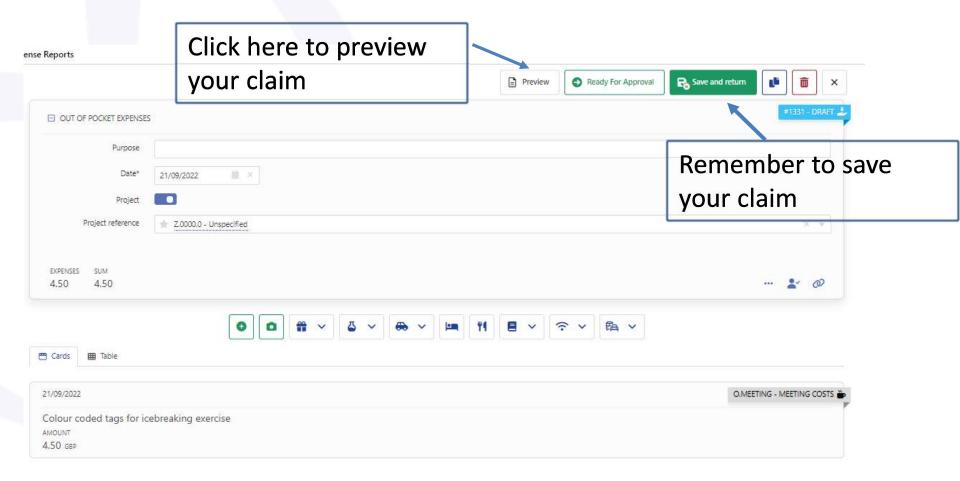
Enter the amount being claimed

Save and return for the draft expense claim to appear in the expense reports screen

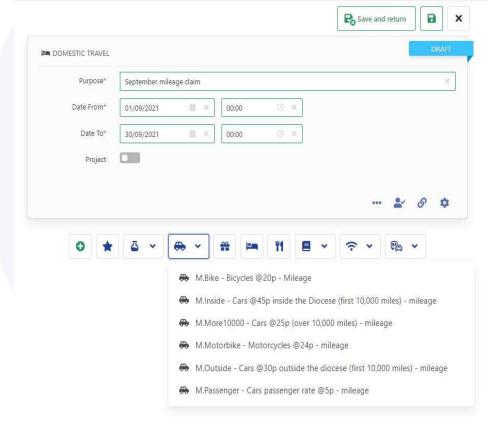
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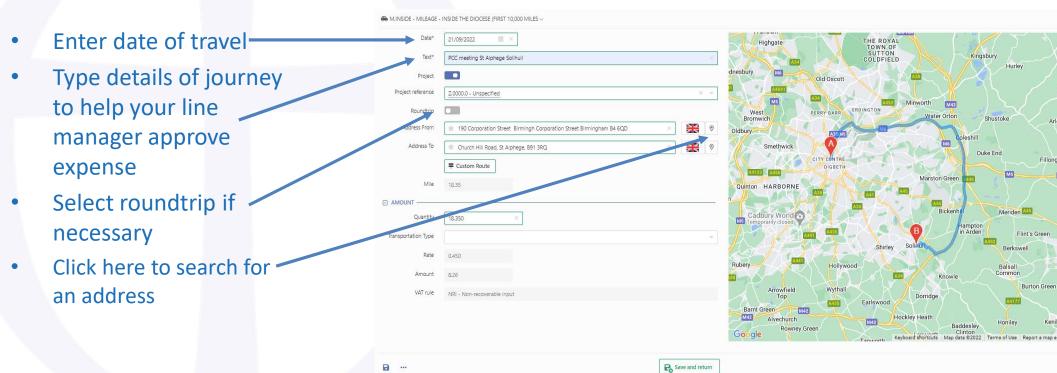


## **Example of Mileage Claim**



- Click on the car icon and select mileage category
- This will determine the mileage rate you will be paid
- You will be taken to a new window to enter travel details

# Mileage claim screens (1)

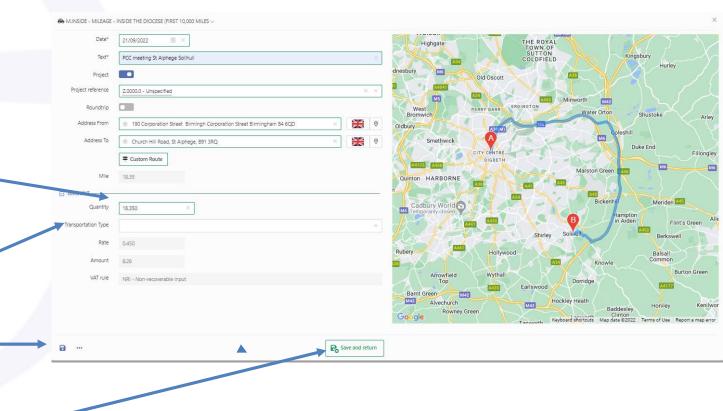


# Mileage claim screens (2)

- NB: If the route given is different from the one used, you can edit using custom route and/or manually adjust the mileage here in the quantity box
- <u>Remember to adjust for</u> <u>normal commute</u>
- Select mode of transport from drop down list
- Save and more icons appear hover for more info

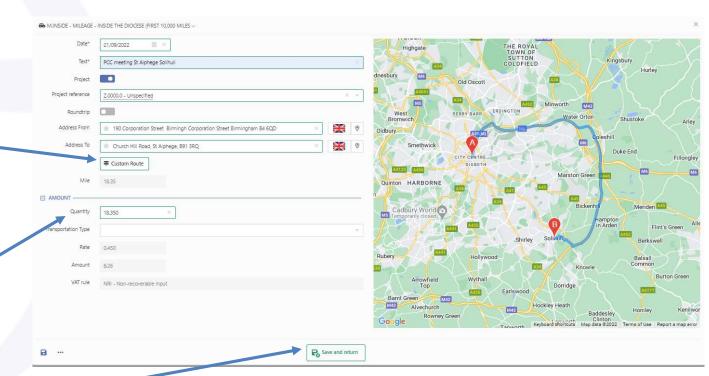


Save and return to go back to report screen



# Mileage claim screens (3)

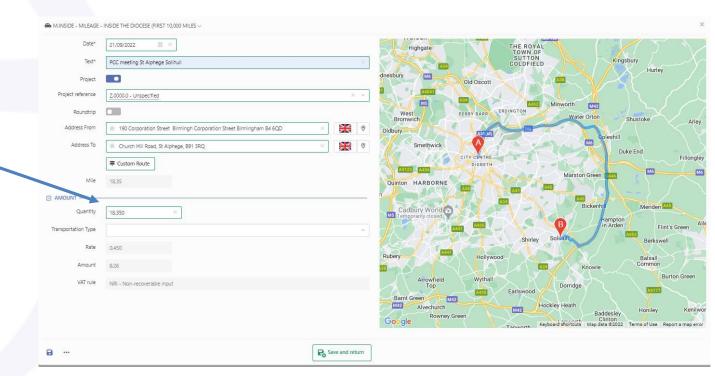
- If you have used a different route use the 'custom route' option to change (please add reason for changing the number of miles in the text box above)
- You can also manually adjust the mileage here in the quantity box
- Save and return to go back to reports screen



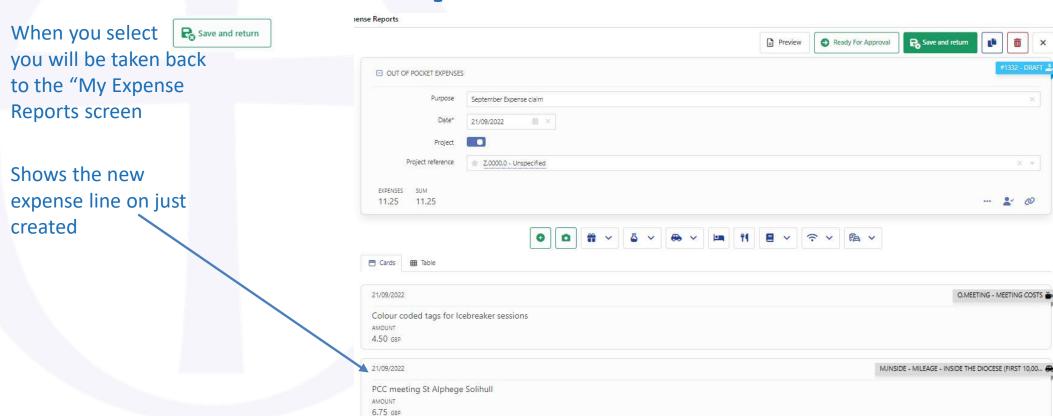
# Mileage claim screens (4)

#### NB:

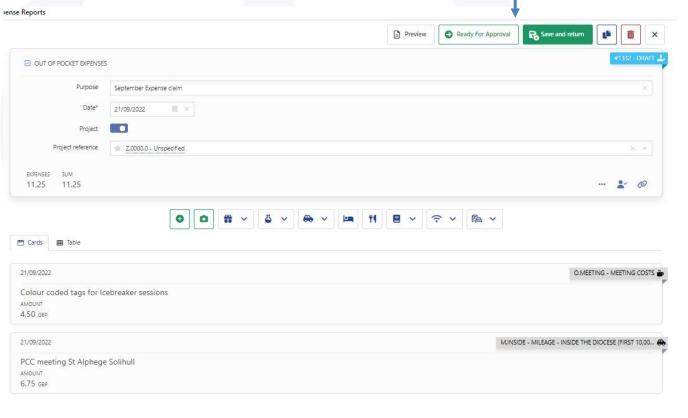
Remember to deduct
 the mileage for your
 normal commute
 (home to the Citadel)
 from the mileage being
 claimed on your
 expenses



## New Expense claim



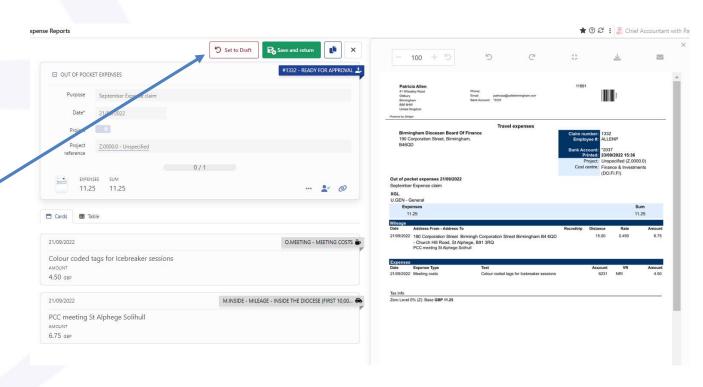
### My Expense Reports



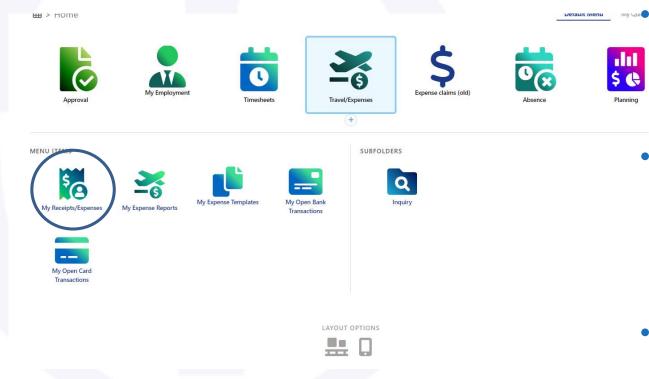
- Hover over the icons at the top right hand corner of the screen for a brief description of the available options to you and select as appropriate
- Remember to select ready for approval when you have added all of your expenses

## Ready For Approval

- You can recall an expense claim if you need to edit the claim.
- Select "Set to draft" give a brief
   explanation and
   save
- This will take you back to the draft version of the claim



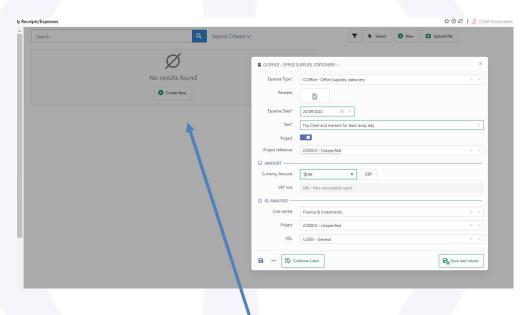
## My Receipts/Expenses

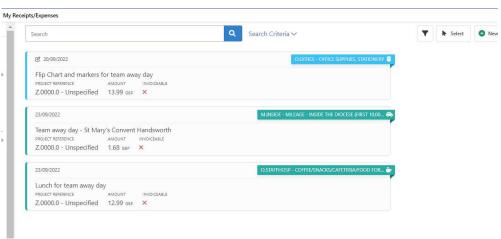


Use this Option from the Home/Travel/Expenses menu to collate items for your claim.

- Items posted from the Xledger App are also stored here until you create a claim or expense report.
- NB This does NOT create an expense claim!

### My Receipts/Expenses - Collating





- 1. Create new
- 2. Select from list
- 3. Complete as necessary

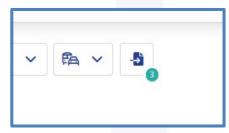
This list can be edited at a later date OR

Ready for import into your Expense Report

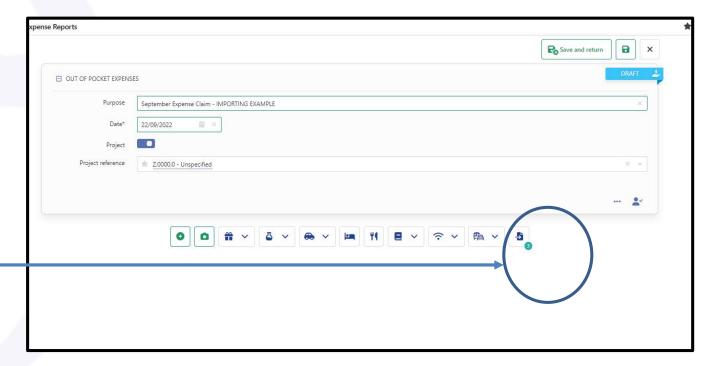
#### **My Expense Report**

Follow Slides 3 to 6 to start a new expense claim/report

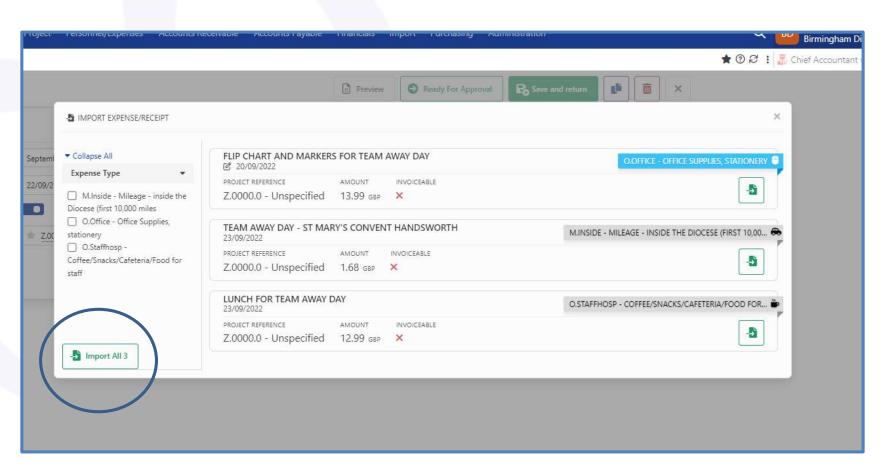
 The items saved in My Receipts/Expenses are now available for importing



 Select to Import Expense/Receipt in the lower left hand corner of the new window, select "Import All 3" (depending on how many are stored)



## **Importing Expense Items**

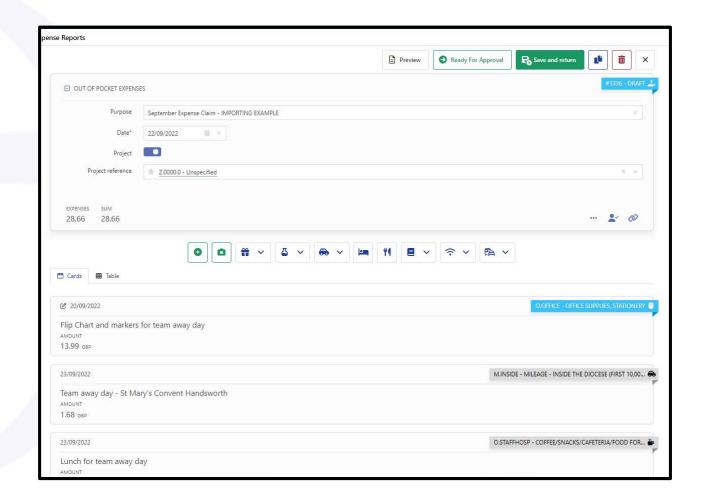


### **Importing Expense Items**

You can now save your claim for editing later

OR

Set to Ready for Approval (see slides 16 to 17)

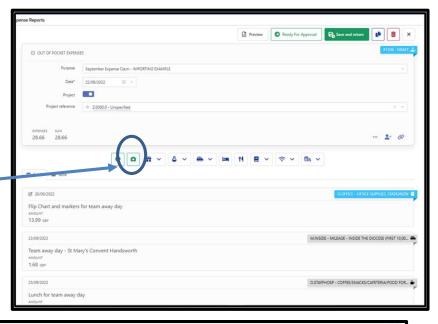


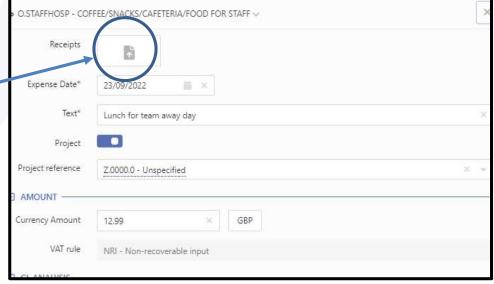
#### **ATTACHING RECEIPTS**

Remember to attach receipts for items purchased either from the main expense report screen

#### OR

Expand relevant line and upload here





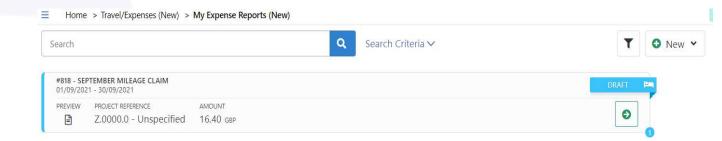
## **Locating Your Expense Claims**

 If you have saved your claim and want to continue editing:

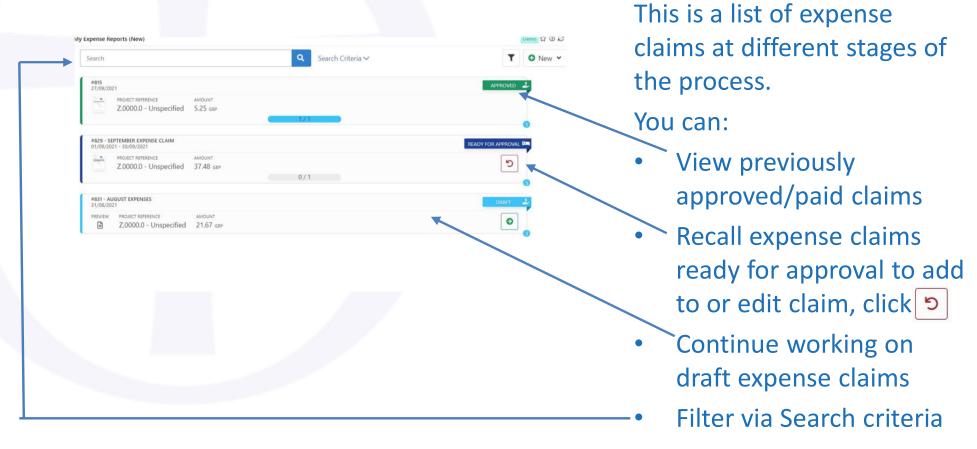
Go to home menu

Home > Travel/Expenses (New) > My Expense Reports (New)

 Refer to slides 3 to 5 for more details



### My Expense Reports



## Edit a Draft Expense Claim

• To edit a draft claim, click on the grey tab to open

Search

You can preview your expense claim by clicking on this icon

Search

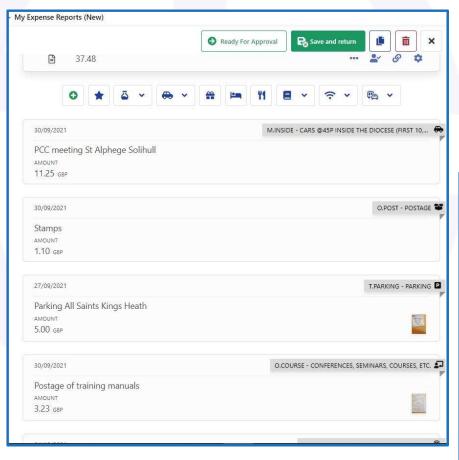
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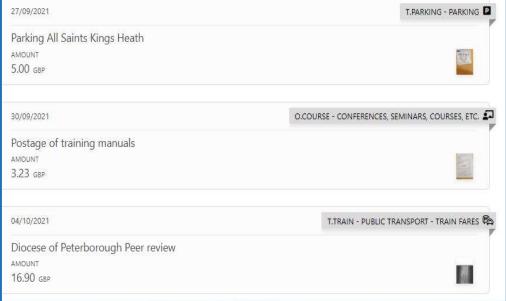
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If your claim is complete, click to submit to your line manager for approval

### An Example of Draft Expense Claim with many line items



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### Points to note

- Please submit expense claims by the 18<sup>th</sup> of the month
- Payment will be made on last working day of the month
- Expenses should be claimed within 3 months of incurring the cost

### **Finance Team Contacts**

- If you have any problems completing your expense claim, please contact one of the following:
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  - Pat Allen <u>PatriciaA@cofebirmingham.com</u>
  - Sonia Hudson <u>SoniaH@cofebirmingham.com</u>