# Discover Disneyland Park: A 2015 Ultimate Guide for Guests With Physical and Cognitive Challenges

Welcome to the ultimate guide to Disneyland Park! Whether you are a fan of Mickey Mouse, thrilling rides, or magical experiences, Disneyland Park has something for everyone. In this comprehensive guide, we will focus on providing tips and advice specifically tailored for guests with physical and cognitive challenges. We want to ensure that your visit to the Happiest Place on Earth is as accessible and enjoyable as possible!

# The Magic of Disneyland Park

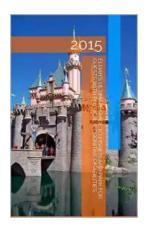
Opened on July 17, 1955, Disneyland Park is the first ever Disneyland theme park created by Walt Disney. It is located in Anaheim, California, and covers 85 acres of magical fun and adventure. The park is divided into two main sections: Disneyland Park and Disney California Adventure Park.

Disneyland Park is where dreams come true. With its famous Sleeping Beauty Castle, iconic attractions, and enchanting parades, this park is a treasure trove of unforgettable experiences. The park consists of eight themed lands, each offering unique attractions and experiences:

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- 1. Main Street, U.S.A.
- 2. Adventureland
- 3. New Orleans Square
- 4. Critter Country
- 5. Frontierland
- 6. Fantasyland
- 7. Tomorrowland
- 8. Mickey's Toontown

# **Accessibilities at Disneyland Park**

Disneyland Park strives to be an inclusive and accessible destination for guests of all abilities. Here are some accessibility services and features that Disney provides to ensure a magical experience for everyone:

# **Guest Assistance Card (GAC)**

The Guest Assistance Card (GAC) is an invaluable resource for guests with physical or cognitive challenges. It provides accommodations such as alternate attraction entrances, reduced wait times, and wheelchair accessibility. To obtain a GAC, visit Guest Relations at the entrance of the park.

#### Wheelchair and Electric Convenience Vehicle Rentals

Disneyland Park offers wheelchair and electric convenience vehicle (ECV) rentals for guests who require mobility assistance. These rentals can be obtained near the park entrance and are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

#### **Accessible Attractions**

Most attractions at Disneyland Park are accessible to guests with physical and cognitive challenges. Disney has gone to great lengths to ensure that everyone can experience the magic of their favorite rides. At each attraction, look for the wheelchair symbol on the park map or ask a cast member for assistance.

#### **Service Animals**

Disneyland Park welcomes service animals who are specially trained to assist guests with disabilities. These animals are allowed in most areas of the park, except for attractions with height restrictions or other safety concerns. Remember to bring appropriate documentation for your service animal.

# **Dining and Allergies**

If you have specific dietary needs or allergies, Disneyland Park offers a variety of dining options to cater to your requirements. From gluten-free to vegetarian, you will find a wide range of dining choices to ensure a delicious and safe dining experience.

# **Planning Your Visit to Disneyland Park**

Before embarking on your Disneyland Park adventure, it is important to plan ahead to make the most of your visit. Here are some tips to help you have a smooth and enjoyable experience:

#### **Purchase Tickets in Advance**

To avoid long lines and ensure a hassle-free entry, it is recommended to purchase your tickets in advance. You can buy them online or through authorized ticket sellers. This way, you can save time and start exploring the magical world of Disneyland Park as soon as you arrive.

### **Create a Flexible Itinerary**

With so much to see and do, it is essential to create a flexible itinerary that allows for breaks and rest periods. Take into consideration the specific needs of your party members and plan accordingly. Be sure to include attractions, parades, and shows that are suitable for guests with physical and cognitive challenges.

#### Make Use of FastPass+

FastPass+ is a system that allows you to reserve a specific time to skip the regular queue at select attractions. This can significantly reduce wait times for popular rides, enabling you to enjoy more experiences during your visit.

FastPass+ selections can be made through the Disneyland Park app or at designated kiosks within the park.

### **Arrive Early or Stay Late**

To make the most of your time at Disneyland Park, consider arriving early or staying late. The crowds tend to be smaller during these times, allowing you to enjoy attractions with less wait time and explore the park at a more leisurely pace.

### **Magical Experiences for All**

Disneyland Park is known for its magical experiences, and guests with physical and cognitive challenges can enjoy many of these delights. Here are some attractions and shows that are particularly well-suited for guests seeking accessible and inclusive experiences:

#### It's a Small World

Journey through different continents and cultures on this beloved boat ride. The attraction is wheelchair accessible, and the soothing music and vibrant animatronics create a delightful experience for all guests.

# **Peter Pan's Flight**

Join Peter Pan and his friends on a magical journey to Neverland. This iconic attraction offers accessible ride vehicles and allows guests in wheelchairs or ECVs to remain in their mobility devices during the ride.

# **Disneyland Railroad**

Take a relaxing tour of Disneyland Park aboard the Disneyland Railroad. The train stations are wheelchair accessible, and you can enjoy breathtaking views of the park from the comfort of the train.

#### Fantasmic!

Immerse yourself in a mesmerizing nighttime spectacular filled with fireworks, live performers, and Disney characters. Fantasmic! offers accessible seating options, allowing guests with physical and cognitive challenges to enjoy the show comfortably.

#### **Memories That Last a Lifetime**

As the day comes to an end, Disneyland Park provides a myriad of entertainment opportunities to make your visit truly unforgettable:

### Fireworks Spectacular

Watch in awe as the night sky is illuminated by a breathtaking fireworks display. Find a comfortable viewing spot and enjoy the magic of the fireworks designed to delight and enchant guests of all abilities.

#### **Character Meet and Greets**

Meet your favorite Disney characters up close and personal. From Mickey Mouse to Cinderella, many characters can be found throughout the park. Keep an eye out for designated character meet and greet locations and prepare for a picture-perfect moment!

### **Disneyland Forever**

Experience the Disneyland Park nighttime show that combines state-of-the-art projections, pyrotechnics, and special effects. Disneyland Forever celebrates the park's rich history and is a dazzling spectacle suitable for all guests.

### **Creating Lasting Memories**

Disneyland Park is a place where dreams come true, and it strives to make every guest's visit as magical as possible. Whether you have physical or cognitive challenges, the accessibility services, inclusive attractions, and unforgettable experiences make Disneyland Park a destination everyone can enjoy.

Follow the tips and suggestions in this ultimate guide to Disneyland Park for guests with physical and cognitive challenges, and embark on a journey that will create lasting memories. Discover the magic, let your imagination soar, and experience the happiness that only Disneyland Park can provide!



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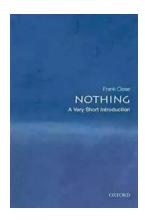
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You'll become the expert with informative facts about each attraction and a detailed, expert review. After a handy, at-a-glance description, you'll learn quick facts about the attraction including location, ride type, and family recommendations. We advise you on when to ride to avoid the heaviest crowds and give you any needed family tips for little ones and senior citizens.

Our exclusive features include a comprehensive disability guide for each attraction, fun History & Trivia sections to help you pass time in line, and information on attraction variations at other Disney Parks around the globe.

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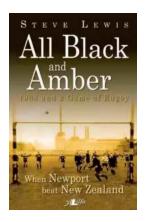
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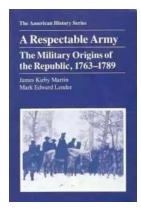
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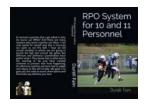
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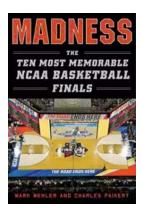
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