

SeaWorld Orlando Accessibility Guide

We're glad you're here! This guide provides an overview of services and facilities available for guests with disabilities who are visiting SeaWorld® in Orlando. We are committed to providing a safe and enjoyable environment to all guests. Please refer to Guest Services if you have any questions.

At SeaWorld® Orlando we have programs in place to assist guests with disabilities. Our Ride Accessibility Program (RAP) matches the individual abilities of our guests to the requirements of each ride. When enrolled in the RAP, disabled guests will be able to participate in our Special Access Program which assists guests in enjoying attractions throughout the park as some queue lines are not accessible to mobility-impaired guests. These programs are described below.

NOTICE: The information in this guide is subject to change without notice. Please feel free to visit the Guest Services for current information on accessibility and services. You may also contact a team member regarding accessibility prior to boarding a particular attraction.

Ride Accessibility Program (RAP): Is designed to allow guests to fully participate and enjoy our parks while keeping in mind the safety requirements of our rides and attractions. The program was developed based on the requirements of the manufacturer and by evaluating the physical and mental attributes required to safely ride each ride and participate in our other attractions. It is our policy to allow anyone to ride our rides and enjoy our attractions so long as they meet all of these requirements and such that it does not present a potential hazard to the guests or others.

Special Access is designed to allow our guests to enjoy our attractions without waiting in line if the guest is not able to do so as a result of his/her disability. Guests will be placed in a Virtual Queue which equals the estimated wait time at that respective location. Guests have the ability to enjoy other attractions throughout the park during this time and then proceed to the specific attraction at the estimated time.

The following procedures will be of assistance when utilizing our Ride Accessibility Program throughout the park:

1. Please **enroll in our Ride Accessibility Program at Guest Services** where you will receive a list of the rides and attractions and the requirements for riding and enjoying each. Once you have enrolled in the RAP, you will be able to utilize our Special Access program.
2. Proceed to the ride entrance of the respective attraction with your RAP sheet and request a boarding time from the entrance team member. These attractions include Antarctica: Empire of the Penguin®, Manta®, Mako® Kraken®, Journey to Atlantis®, Turtle Trek®, Sky Tower, and Wild Arctic®. If the entrance is not staffed, you may proceed to the ride exit to request a boarding time. The time provided on your RAP sheet will be based on the current estimated wait time.
3. We suggest you take a moment to enjoy our other attractions throughout the park while you wait in the virtual queue system.
4. For our smaller attractions we ask that you proceed to the ride exit/entrance (marked with disabled access sign) and inform the team member that you wish to ride. You may be asked to wait 1-2 ride cycles prior to boarding.
5. Only the number of guests listed on the RAP sheet (Guest utilizing RAP and a maximum of 5 additional) are able to board with the guest needing special access. Other party members will be required to use the ride entrance.

Please note: The guest with the disability must ride in order for their party to take part in our Ride Accessibility Program.

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General Park Information

Service Animals

Service Animals are welcomed at SeaWorld Parks & Entertainment facilities. Service animals are limited to dogs and miniature horses that have been individually trained to do work or perform tasks for the benefit of an individual with a disability.

Service animals must remain on a leash or harness and/or under the control of its handler at all times and be house broken. If at any time your service animal's behavior is out of control, you will be asked to remove your service animal from the premises. Service animals must remain a reasonable distance from the Park's resident animals.

Although assistance animals are discouraged from riding any ride, your assistance animal will be permitted on:

- Wild Arctic®
- SkyTower
- Paddle Boats
- Sea Carousel
- Ocean Commotion
- Jazzy Jellies

"Break" Area for Service Animals

For your convenience, a Service Animal "Relief Area" is located at the Pet Care Center located at the Front Gate.

Guest Services

Guest Services is located next to the Information & Reservation Counter just inside the Park Entrance.

Parking

Parking is provided directly in the parking lot near the main entrance. Most spaces for guests with disabilities are accessible to vans. Courtesy wheelchairs are available for access from the parking lot to the wheelchair rental location.

Wheelchair Rental

Wheelchairs and electric convenience vehicles (ECV's) may be rented near the front of the park from the shop called "STROLLERS" on the right side of Guest Services. Wheelchairs and ECV's are rented on a "first-come, first-served" basis. Reservations must be made at least 3 days in advance of the planned visit. Reservations can be made on-line at <http://seaworldparks.com/seaworld-orlando> or by calling 1-888-800-5447. Guests may also use their own wheelchairs or ECV's. Guests using wheelchairs may join any admissions line to enter the park.

Segway

SeaWorld Parks & Entertainment® is committed to providing guests a safe and enjoyable experience. Because of different pathway configurations and terrain, as well as large crowds that includes small children and strollers; we regret that we cannot permit the use of two-wheeled, self-balancing electric vehicles such as Segways. We are pleased to offer other forms of personal transportation, including electric convenience vehicles, 4 wheeled stand-up electric convenience vehicles and standard wheelchairs and we encourage you to contact Guest Services with any questions you may have.

Restrooms

All restrooms are accessible to guests using wheelchairs and are marked with the wheelchair symbol throughout the park. Companion restrooms are located at:

- Main entrance next to “Exit Gifts” gift shop
- SeaSide Restrooms Next to Emporium Gift Shop
- Journey to Atlantis® Plaza area
- Shark Encounter®
- Baby Care Center in Shamu’s Happy Harbor®
- Seafire Inn Restaurant
- Voyagers Restaurant

First Aid

SeaWorld® Orlando’s First Aid facilities are located behind Stingray Lagoon® in Key West and in Shamu’s Happy Harbor®, near the Sea Carousel. Both are staffed by Registered Nurses and/or Emergency Medical Technicians. Team Members throughout the park can call for assistance upon request.

Restaurants

While dining at our restaurants, please be aware that most venues offer cafeteria-style service. For guests with special dietary needs, we offer a variety of allergy friendly options throughout our park. You may stop by Guest Services, or any of our meal facilities, to receive an Allergen Card with more detail on our Allergy Friendly program and culinary options for those guests with allergies. For questions before you visit, please contact us at www.seaworldparks.com/seaworld-orlando. We also suggest you visit meal facilities during non-peak hours or ahead of meal time so that you can be efficiently assisted and served.

For any of our guests that cannot wait in long lines, are unable to access the cafeteria lines or have special dietary needs, please go straight to the cashier (or restaurant hostess) upon arrival and ask to speak with a supervisor for assistance.

Gift Shops

All gift shops are wheelchair accessible. Please ask any Team Member for assistance. “Package Pick-up,” available at all gift shops, provides guests the opportunity to shop throughout SeaWorld and have their purchases sent to Shamu’s Emporium (near the Main Entrance) for pick-up later in the day.

Ride Access Information

At SeaWorld® Orlando, safety is the only consideration that takes precedence over fun! Thrill rides, by their very nature, create forces and speeds that may not be acceptable or tolerable to some guests and may cause injury to some riders with known or unknown pre-existing conditions.

Many theme park rides incorporate safety systems designed by the manufacturer to accommodate people of average physical stature and body proportion. These systems may place restrictions on the ability of an individual to safely experience the ride. In general, you should ride only if you are in good health. Do not ride if you know or suspect you may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart, neck or back problems, motion sickness, recent surgery, or any other medical condition that may be affected by the features of the ride. You should not ride if you have any impairment or condition that would prevent the intended use of seating and safety restraints as provided or inability to follow any safety requirement.

In order to ride, guests must be able to maintain the proper riding position throughout the ride and brace themselves upright in their seat, keeping their head upright and their back against the seatback. Guests must be able to use the restraint device properly and be able to hold on tight and keep their hands, arms, legs, and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests must be able to demonstrate a willingness and ability to comply

with verbal and written rider requirements. The rider requirements and health restrictions are listed at the entrance of each ride.

Guests with casts or braces will be restricted from riding certain rides where the cast or brace may present a hazard to the guest or others. Please consult with our Guest Services staff or a ride attendant for more information or if in doubt about your ability to safely experience a ride.

SeaWorld® team members can offer assistance steadying a guest transferring to or from a wheelchair. They may not lift or assist in lifting anyone using a wheelchair. All guests must be able to board a ride themselves or with help from a member of their party.

The maturity level of any rider must be considered prior to riding.

Height Requirements

Height requirements are posted at each attraction. Your child may be measured at the height check station located at Guest Services located next to the Information & Reservation Counter just inside the Park Entrance. All guests, including those using wheelchairs, must meet the height requirement.

Casts, Braces, And Walking Boots

Guests with any cast including a forearm cast, lower leg cast, full arm cast, full leg cast, or braced arm cast will be restricted from riding certain rides and should refer to the **Individual Ride Information** section of this guide for more information. Guests with walking boots and knee braces will be able to ride as long as the boot or brace fits comfortably in to the ride unit and meets the proper ride requirements. Walking boots are not permitted on Manta.

Prosthetic Devices and Amputations

Guests with any type of prosthesis may be restricted from riding certain rides. If permitted, riders must ensure it is properly secured before riding any ride and should refer to the Guest Services to determine their specific ability to ride any ride. Please reference the Individual Ride Information section to determine specific ride accessibility.

Riders of Size

In order to ride, all seatbelts, lap bars, and shoulder harnesses must be positioned and fastened properly.

Due to rider restraint system requirements, riders of size may not be accommodated on some of our rides. Larger guests may experience difficulty on Antarctica: Empire of the Penguin®, Manta®, Mako, Kraken®, Journey to Atlantis®, Shamu's Happy Harbor® rides and Wild Arctic®. Test seats are located at the ride entrance of Manta, Mako, and Kraken and we recommend utilizing these before entering the ride queue. Our team members may assist you by asking you to try out the seat.

Ride Escorts

Ride escorts may be required due to mechanical problems, weather conditions, or power interruption. If a ride escort is required, guests may need to negotiate stairs from the highest point of the ride and down steeply inclined catwalks or steps.

Guests requiring assistance during the ride escort may be escorted last in order to expedite the ride escort process. Only one mobility-impaired guest may ride the attraction at one time, unless they are in the same family. Please inquire about specific procedures prior to boarding a particular attraction.

Oxygen Tanks

Due to the dynamics and certain characteristics of the rides, oxygen tanks are not permitted on any ride except Sky Tower. Oxygen tanks are permitted in theatres, exhibits, and other enclosed facilities. Oxygen Concentrators may be permitted on some rides as long as they can be secured and meet the loose article requirements for a particular ride.

Before Experiencing A Ride Please Note All Safety Warnings Both Verbal And Written For Each Ride, Such As:

- Please wait for all rides to come to a complete stop before attempting to board.
- Please exercise caution in boarding each attraction, watching your head and step.
- Once you are seated, please secure your seatbelt, lap bar, or shoulder harness and keep them fastened until the ride comes to a complete stop.
- Face forward and remain seated in an upright position. Hold on until the ride comes to a complete stop.
- Keep all parts of your body inside the ride at all times.
- Shoes are required on all rides. Loose fitting shoes may be removed before riding Manta, Kraken, and Flying Fiddler.
- You are responsible for your personal property.
- Finish food and beverages before boarding.
- No smoking while in line or while riding. Smoking is prohibited, except in designated areas, which are listed on the park map.

Definitions

Every ride entrance lists height requirements and special instructions regarding the ride. SeaWorld Orlando uses the following terms:

Supervising Companion: A supervising companion is someone who physically and mentally meets all the requirements to ride the ride themselves, is 14 years of age or older, and exhibits the maturity of someone 14 years of age or older.

Accompanied By: Whenever a guest needs accompaniment, the accompanying person must meet all the ride requirements, as well as assist the guest. This includes helping the guests in the boarding and exiting of the ride, assisting the guest in maintaining postural control while riding, and assisting the guest down stairs, catwalks, or ladders in case of a ride escort.

Hand-held Infant: A hand-held infant is a child who is unable to walk to the ride unit independently or maintain independent seated postural control.

Functioning Extremity: A functioning extremity is a limb over which a person has control. A prosthetic device is considered a functioning extremity.

Ability to hold on or brace: Ability to use one's arms to maintain a grasp on an assist bar and support one's body during normal and emergency procedures on a ride and to use one's legs to brace to maintain a seated position during the forces of the ride.

Ridership Criteria

The ability for a disabled guest to ride certain rides or attractions is evaluated based on criteria which may include manufacturer's requirements and other safety considerations. Some of those may include the following:

Ability to maintain the proper riding position throughout the ride. The guest must have the body and spinal control to maintain the proper riding position throughout the ride without the aid of other people or devices and be able to maintain the proper riding position even during bumping or other characteristic movements of the ride.

Weight distribution to allow the restraint device to function as designed. The weight distribution of the guest's body must not interfere with any of the ride or attraction's safety and restraint devices as they were designed.

Control of upper torso – including head and neck. The guest must have sufficient muscle control to support their head, neck and upper torso in the proper position during the ride or attractions designed dynamic motions.

Ability to hold on with one functioning hand. A functioning hand is an upper extremity or prosthesis with fingers that have the ability to grasp the restraint device and exhibits good grip control; the ability to brace and is strong enough to maintain the proper riding position throughout the duration of the ride.

Ability to hold on with two functioning hands. Ability to hold on with two functioning hands as described above.

Ability to hold on with one functioning arm. A functioning arm is an upper extremity or prosthesis that has the ability to arm-grip the restraint device by wrapping the arm around the restraint device and is strong enough to allow the guest to maintain the proper riding position throughout the duration of the ride.

Ability to hold on with two functioning arms. Ability to hold on with two functioning arms as described above.

Ability to brace self with one functioning leg. Guest must have one functioning leg, natural or prosthetic, for bracing their body during the course of the ride or attraction.

Ability to brace self with two functioning legs. Guest must have two functioning legs, natural or prosthetic, to be used for bracing their body during the course of the ride or attraction and maintaining balance when entering and exiting a ride or attraction.

Minimum of two functioning extremities. Guest must have a minimum of two functioning extremities, natural or prosthetic (two arms, two legs, or one arm and one leg), to brace themselves during the ride and assist in entering and exiting the ride or attraction.

Minimum of three functioning extremities. Guest must have a minimum of three functioning extremities, natural or prosthetic (two legs and an arm or two arms and a leg) to allow the guest to brace in a tripod manner during the ride.

Ability to enter and exit the ride without endangering self or others. Guest must be able to enter and exit the ride without jeopardizing themselves or others and to assist with their own evacuation, if necessary. This may include entering through an exit or having someone aid him or her in boarding. If a guest has to be lifted in and out of a ride unit, they must be accompanied by a supervising companion who is accustomed to doing this. For the safety of ride or attraction operators and the guest, our operators are instructed not to perform this function, other than in children's ride areas.

Appropriate Observed Conduct. Guest must demonstrate appropriate observed conduct by indicating a willingness and ability to understand, participate in, and follow all rider requirements. Appropriate observed conduct may include but not be limited to, maintaining the proper riding position, attention to and compliance with safety instructions, proper use of restraints and safety equipment and a willingness to participate in the attraction.

In addition to the basic physical and mental requirements defined above, each ride is evaluated relative to specific temporary conditions which may prevent a guest from safely riding a particular ride. Some of the specific conditions evaluated include:

- Cervical collar or neck brace
- Broken collar bone
- Full arm cast
- Braced arm cast
- Lower arm cast
- Full leg cast
- Lower leg cast
- Bilateral abduction leg casts (brace between legs)
- The suitability of safely carrying hand-held infants on each ride

Individual Ride Information

The following descriptions are designed to give you information on the type of actions caused by various rides along with their unique physical restrictions. If you enrolled in the Ride Accessibility Program, follow the directions listed under each ride below.

Antarctica: Empire of the Penguin®

Our epic attraction, Antarctica: Empire of the Penguin®, transports you into the icy world of the penguin like never before. Experience the mysterious land through the penguins' eyes on a first-of-its-kind family ride, and then walk among them in their 30-degree world.

Ride Access: Mobility impaired guests who would like to experience this attraction should see the team member at the attraction entrance. Guests using wheel chairs or ECV's must transfer from their wheelchair or EVC into the ride vehicle. There is a non-rider option that bypasses the ride for guests who do not want to experience the ride portion. Non-rider will be required to use the standard queue line.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be 42 inches tall to ride the "Wild Expedition". Guests between 42 inches tall and 48 inches tall must be accompanied by a supervising companion (at least 14 years old). Guests 48 inches in height or taller may ride unaccompanied.

Guests less than 42 inches tall may ride the "Mild Expedition". Handheld infants may experience the attraction via the non-rider experience.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, sensitivity to strobe effects, prone to motion sickness, have a heightened sensitivity to dark enclosed places or any other impairment or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the

normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride. Guests who are sensitive to cold temperatures shall not ride or enter the exhibit area.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain seated upright, keeping their back and shoulders against the seat back, and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. In addition, guests must be able to brace themselves with at least two functioning extremities. Guests who do not have two functioning legs must have sufficient lower extremities to be secured by the seat belt and must be able to maintain independent postural control during the ride. Guests with a broken collarbone or neck brace must not ride. All casts must fit comfortably inside the ride unit. Please review all restrictions on the sign at the attraction.

Assistance Animals:
Not permitted.

Journey to Atlantis®

Journey to Atlantis® is a unique roller coaster-type water ride that travels through a dark, tall building with sharp turns, high speeds, and sudden drops and stops. In addition to these dynamic motions, Journey to Atlantis also involves a free floating boat vehicle that has motion subject to water flow and movement. Riders will get very wet and possibly soaked. Special effects include strobe lights and fog.

Ride Access: Mobility-impaired guests that would like to ride this attraction should see the team member at the attraction main entrance. This ride utilizes a virtual queue system on busier days and you may be given a return time to ride. At the provided time, the guest should proceed to the Quick Queue® entrance, to board the ride. Please see a team member for assistance and loading instructions.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be at least 42 inches tall to ride. Guests between 42 inches tall and 48 inches tall must be accompanied by a supervising companion.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, sensitivity to strobe effects, prone to motion sickness, have a heightened sensitivity to dark enclosed places or any other impairment or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain seated up straight, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests must be able to grip with one functioning hand, brace with one functioning leg and have a minimum of three (3) functioning limbs. Guests with a cervical collar or neck brace, broken collar bone, full arm cast, braced arm cast, or full leg cast must not ride. All other casts must fit comfortably inside the ride unit. Guests must have the ability to enter and exit the ride without endangering self or others. Please see a team member at the ride if you have questions.

Assistance Animals:
Not permitted.

Kraken®

Kraken® is a floorless roller coaster with a 151-foot tall lift, steep drops, sharp turns, speeds up to 65 miles per hour and seven inversions. The seats are open-sided and ride on a pedestal high above the track. Riders' feet dangle with no coaster car surrounding them.

Ride Access: Mobility-impaired guests that would like to ride this attraction should see the team member at the attraction main entrance. This ride utilizes a virtual queue system on busier days and you may be given a return time to ride. At the provided time, the guest should proceed to the Quick Queue® entrance, to board the ride. Please see a team member for assistance and loading instructions.

Guests using wheelchairs must transfer from their wheelchair to the ride vehicle. Guests entering through the exit will be directed to seats in rows 2 through 7. If front and back row seating is preferred, at least one member of the group must wait in the standard front or back row queue.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be 54 inches tall to ride.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, sensitivity to strobe effects, prone to motion sickness, fear of heights or any other impairment or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain seated upright, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace, broken collarbone or any arm or leg cast will not be permitted to ride. Guests with any type of arm or hand prosthesis should ensure that it is properly secured and will remain in place in spite of forces experienced during the ride. Prosthetic legs are not permitted. Guest with any amputation should see a team member for assistance and may be required to wear a separate harness. Guest with a double leg amputation above the knee shall not ride.

Guests with chest dimensions 52" or greater may not be able to fit the seat restraint system. Please see a team member at the ride entrance for assistance.

Assistance Animals: Not permitted.

Mako®

Mako® is a hyper-coaster with a 200-foot tall lift. The ride accelerates to speeds of up to 73mph and features a series of banking turns and multiple air time hills. There are no inversions on Mako. There are four seats per row with seven rows per train. Riders are secured in a single lap restraint that must meet a minimum locking position in order for a guest to be permitted to ride. All coaster seats and restraints are the same size. A test seat is available at the ride entrance for your convenience. Please see the team member at the ride entrance for assistance.

Ride Access: Mobility-impaired guests that would like to ride this attraction should see the team member at the attraction main entrance. This ride utilizes a virtual queue system on busier days and you may be given a return time to ride. At the provided time, the guest should proceed to the Quick Queue® entrance, to board the ride. Please see the team member for assistance and loading instructions.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be 54 inches tall to ride.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, sensitivity to strobe effects, prone to motion sickness, fear of heights or any other impairment or medical

condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain seated upright, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace, broken collarbone or any arm or leg cast will not be permitted to ride. Guests must be able to grip with one functioning hand and have a minimum of two (2) functioning limbs. Leg prosthetics are not permitted. An additional full body harness is available for guests with amputations or guests who may not have full extremities. Guests must ask a team member for assistance to determine if all applicable rider requirements are met to use the full body harness.

Assistance Animals: Not permitted.

Manta®

Manta® is a flying roller coaster with a 140-foot tall lift. Gliding, swooping and diving up to nearly 60 miles per hour through four (4) inversions. The seats are suspended under the track and rider's feet are supported by a harness during the ride. Before departing the loading area, the seat then transitions into a horizontal flying position for the duration of the ride.

Ride Access: Mobility-impaired guests that would like to ride this attraction should see the team member at the attraction main entrance. This ride utilizes a virtual queue system on busier days and you may be given a return time to ride. At the provided time, the guest should proceed to the Quick Queue® entrance, to board the ride. Please see the team member for assistance and loading instructions.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be 54 inches tall to ride.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, sensitivity to strobe effects, prone to motion sickness, fear of heights or any other impairment or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain seated upright, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace, broken collarbone or any arm or leg cast will not be permitted to ride. Guests with any type of arm or hand prosthesis should ensure that it is properly secured and will remain in place in spite of forces experienced during the ride. Guests must be able to grip with one functioning hand and have a minimum of two (2) functioning limbs. Leg prosthetics are not permitted. Guest with amputated leg(s) above the knee may ride with the use of a separate three-point harness. A guest with a single or double leg amputation below the knee may be permitted to ride with use of a separate three-point harness and an individual leg(s) restraint. A guest with single arm amputation may ride provided the guest has one (1) functioning hand and two (2) functioning legs. Guests with chest dimensions 52" or greater may not be able to fit the seat restraint system. A test seat is available for use at the ride entrance. Please see a team member at the ride entrance for assistance.

Assistance Animals: Not permitted.

Paddle Boats

The Paddle Boats attraction consists of individual, free floating, flamingo-shaped boats. The attraction is available for an additional charge for a twenty (20) minute period. The boats are paddled with foot pedals similar to a bicycle and guided individually with a tiller. One rider must be able to reach the pedals and pedal the boat sufficiently. The boats are subject to several degrees of motion dependent upon water movement and wind. All riders must wear a properly fitted and secured life vest.

Ride Access: Guests using wheelchairs will be required to transfer from their wheelchair to a lift stabilized paddle boat. Guests will be required to travel down a ramp from the life vest area to the dock and then walk a short distance to the boat. Guests traveling in ECV's should transfer to the courtesy wheelchair provided near the life vest station prior to going onto the dock.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be 56 inches tall or accompanied by a supervising companion. Hand-held infants are not permitted.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, prone to motion sickness, or any other impairment or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain sitting up straight, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace or broken collarbone will not be permitted to ride. All casts must fit inside the boat. At least one guest in the boat must be able to grip with one functioning hand and brace with one functional leg. All guests must be able to effectively use the personal flotation devices provided at the ride. At least one guest must be able to pedal the boat sufficiently.

Assistance Animals: Permitted (provided the guest and animal fit comfortably and safely inside the boat).

Shamu's Happy Harbor®

Shamu's Happy Harbor is a children's interactive play area made up of several different activities. Each area and/or element may have its own requirements and accessibility options. Hand-held infants are not permitted on any of the elements. Assistance Animals are welcome in Shamu's Happy Harbor, but are restricted from entering most individual elements.

Flying Fiddler

The Mini-Drop Tower moves upward and downward in a gentle bounce motion. The tower has two ride vehicles positioned on opposite sides of the tower

Ride Access: Guests using wheelchairs should enter the standard queue and must be transferred into the ride vehicle. Please see a team member at the load platform with any questions.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be at least 42 inches tall or accompanied by a supervising companion at least 14 years old to ride. No hand-held infants.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain sitting up straight, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace or broken collarbone, full leg casts or braced arm cast will not be permitted to ride. All other casts must fit inside the ride vehicle. Guests must have two functioning extremities to participate at this attraction. Please see a team member if you have questions.

Assistance Animals: Not permitted.

Jazzy Jellies

Jazzy Jellies is a tower with eight ride vehicles that spin in a clockwise direction and rise to a height of approximately 30 feet. Guests are also able to spin their ride vehicle manually.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be at least 42 inches tall or accompanied by a supervising companion at least 14 years old to ride. No hand-held infants.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain sitting up straight, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace or broken collarbone, full leg casts or braced arm cast will not be permitted to ride. All other casts must fit inside the ride vehicle. Guests must be able to grip with one functioning hand and brace with one functioning leg. Two functioning hands are sufficient instead of one functioning hand and one functioning leg if the guest has a normal center of gravity and the lower extremities are sufficiently strong enough to maintain the proper riding posture under the dynamic conditions of the ride. Amputation must be at the knee or below. Please see a team member if you have questions.

Assistance Animals: Permitted (space permitting).

Net Climb

There are three levels of nets, platforms, tubes and slides for guests to climb and interact.

Ride Access: There are multiple entrance/exit locations. Each location requires guests using wheelchairs to transfer out of the wheelchair and climb several stairs.

Height Restrictions: Hand-held infants are not allowed in this area.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride

Physical Restrictions: Guests must be able to climb stairs and nets. The ability to climb nets will require guests to walk on uneven surfaces that are subject to swaying and other random movements. Guests who are unable to sit or stand upright independently must be accompanied by a companion. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace, broken collarbone, braced arm cast, full arm cast, and full leg cast or brace between legs will not be permitted to participate. All other casts must fit in the attraction.

Assistance Animals: Not permitted.

Ocean Commotion

Ocean Commotion is a ship-themed ride that rocks back and forth and gently rotates.

Ride Access: Guests using wheelchairs should enter the standard queue and must be transferred into the ride vehicle. Please see the Team Member at the load platform with any questions.

Height Requirement: Guests must be at least 42 inches tall or accompanied by a supervising companion. No hand-held infants.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Requirements: Each rider must be able to remain sitting up straight, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace or broken collarbone, full leg casts or braced arm cast will not be permitted to ride. All other casts must fit inside the ride vehicle. Guests must be able to grip with one functioning hand and brace with one functioning leg. Two functioning hands are sufficient instead of one functioning hand and one functioning leg if the guest has a normal center of gravity and the lower extremities are sufficiently strong enough to maintain the proper riding posture under the dynamic conditions of the ride. Amputations must be at the knee or below. Please see a team member if you have questions.

Assistance Animals: Permitted (space permitting).

Seven Seas Railway

Seven Seas Railway is a family train ride consisting of four (4) train cars that can seat up to twenty (20) passengers including a maximum of six (6) adults. Up to two (2) passengers are secured across the lap with a seat belt.

Ride Access: Guests using standard wheelchairs may remain in their wheelchair and utilize the entrance for wheelchairs to the left of the main entrance. Guests may transfer from the wheelchair to the ride unit. Please see a team member at the load platform with any questions.

Height Requirement: Guests must be at least 36 inches tall or accompanied by a supervising companion. Hand-held infants are not permitted.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Guests must have the ability to sit upright and maintain proper riding position. Guests must have control of upper torso including the neck and head. Guests must be able to hold on with one functioning arm and brace with one functioning leg. Those wearing a neck brace or a full leg cast may not ride. Guests with a double leg amputation above the knee shall not ride unless a well-secured prosthetic device is in place.

Assistance Animals: Permitted on bench seats (space permitting).

Sea Carousel

The Sea Carousel is a marine animal-themed ride that rotates in a counter-clockwise direction while the animals gently move up and down.

Ride Access: Guests using standard wheelchairs may remain in their wheelchair and utilize the entrance for wheelchairs to the left of the main entrance. The Sea Carousel may accommodate one wheelchair per cycle. Please see a team member at the load platform with any questions.

Height Requirement: Guests must be at least 42 inches tall or accompanied by a supervising companion. Hand-held infants may ride on the bench seat if accompanied by a supervising companion.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Guests who wish to ride a sea animal must be able to grip with one functioning hand, have the ability to straddle the sea animal and maintain a proper riding posture.

Assistance Animals: Permitted on bench seats (space permitting).

Shamu Express®

Shamu Express® is a roller coaster; the dynamics of the ride include sharp turns, high speeds, and sudden drops and stops.

Ride Access: Guests using wheelchairs should enter the exit and must be transferred into the ride vehicle. Please see a team member at the load platform with any questions. In addition, guests traveling in ECV's should transfer to the courtesy wheelchair provided at the exit of Shamu Express® prior to going up the ramp.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be at least 38 inches tall to ride. Guests between 38 inches tall and 41 inches tall must be accompanied by a supervising companion.

Medical Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, sensitivity to strobe effects, prone to motion sickness, fear of heights or any other impairment or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain sitting up straight, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace or broken collarbone, full leg casts or braced arm cast will not be permitted to ride. All other casts must fit inside the ride vehicle. Guests must be able to grip with one functioning hand, brace with one functioning leg and have a minimum of three (3) functioning limbs. Two functioning hands are sufficient instead of three functioning extremities if the guest has a normal center of gravity and the lower extremities are sufficiently strong enough to maintain a proper riding posture under the dynamic conditions of the ride.

Amputation must be at knee or below. Guests with any type of prosthetic device must ensure that it is properly secured and will remain in place in spite of forces experienced during the ride.

Assistance Animals: Not permitted.

Swishy Fishies

Swishy Fishies is a ride consisting of six ride vehicles which run clockwise on a circular platform. Guests are able to spin their ride vehicle manually.

Ride Access: Guests using wheelchairs should enter the standard queue and must be transferred into the ride vehicle. Please see the team member at the load platform with questions.

Height Requirement: Guests must be at least 36 inches tall or accompanied by a supervising companion. No hand-held infants.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain sitting up straight, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace or broken collarbone, full leg casts or braced arm cast will not be permitted to ride. All other casts must fit inside the ride vehicle. Guests must be able to grip with one functioning hand and brace with one functioning leg. Two functioning hands are sufficient instead of one functioning hand and one functioning leg if the guest has a normal center of gravity and the lower extremities are sufficiently strong enough to maintain the proper riding posture under the dynamic conditions of the ride. Amputation must be at knee or below.

Assistance Animals: Not permitted.

Water Works

This activity is an interactive water play area with water sprays, dumping bells and water guns.

Attraction Access: Due to the nature of this attraction, wheelchairs are not permitted.

Height Restrictions: None.

Ride Restrictions: None.

Physical Restrictions: None.

Assistance Animals: Not permitted.

Sky Tower

The Sky Tower is a slow-moving, rotating, elevator capsule that provides guests with a scenic overview of SeaWorld Orlando and the surrounding area.

Height Restrictions: Guests must be 48 inches tall or accompanied by a supervising companion.

Ride Restrictions: Guests who have a fear of heights or enclosed spaces should not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Guests who are unable to sit upright independently must be accompanied by a companion.

Assistance Animals: Permitted (provided the animal fits comfortably and safely inside the capsule).

Wild Arctic®

Wild Arctic® is a motion based simulator attraction that replicates a turbulent aerial helicopter flight to the Arctic. A non-motion alternative is available that allows guests to see and hear all elements of the simulator without the motion.

Ride Access: Guests using wheelchairs should enter the regular queue and will be required to transfer to a seat in the ride vehicle. Guests who are unable to transfer and those not meeting the height requirement may bypass the ride portion of the attraction to the non-motion theater. Here guests may view the presentation without the ride dynamics and then proceed to the Wild Arctic® animal area. Please see a team member for assistance.

Height Requirement: Guests must be 42 inches tall to experience the ride portion of this attraction. Guests may bypass the ride portion of the attraction and go to the non-motion theater to view the presentation and then proceed to the Wild Arctic animal area.

Ride Restrictions: For your safety, you should ride only if you are in good health. Guests who know or suspect that may be pregnant, have high blood pressure, heart conditions, neck or back problems, recent surgery, sensitivity to strobe effects, prone to motion sickness, have a heightened sensitivity to dark enclosed places or any other impairment or medical condition that may be affected by the features of this ride or prevent the normal seating or use of the safety restraints as provided, shall not ride.

Physical Restrictions: Each rider must be able to remain sitting up straight, keeping their head upright, their back and shoulders against the seat back and their hands, arms, legs and feet down and inside the ride at all times. Guests with a cervical collar, neck brace or broken collarbone will not be permitted to ride. All casts must fit inside the ride vehicle. Guests must have a minimum of two functioning limbs. Guests with limited upper body strength should see a ride attendant for assistance.

Assistance Animals: Assistance Animals are permitted on the ride, provided the animal fits inside the ride area. Guests may ask a team member to see the ride monitoring equipment in order to determine their own ability and their Assistance Animal's ability to ride safely.

Attraction and Show Access Information

All exhibits are accessible and seating for guests using wheelchairs is available at each stadium and theater. Companion seating is available next to the guest using a wheelchair. Assistance Animals are welcome! While Nautilus Theater, Sea Lion & Otter Stadium and Dolphin Theater have auxiliary entrances, guests using wheelchairs may enter other theaters via the Main Entrances. Contact a Team Member for assistance, if needed. Many of our guests enjoy being splashed during a show in the “**Soak Zone**.” With some preparation, you can share in this experience.

The chilly, man-made salt water can range from 55 to 72 degrees Fahrenheit and is very corrosive to jewelry, electronics and other equipment. All cameras, ECV's, other sensitive equipment and accessories need to be protected. Experienced “**Soak Zoners**” often have ponchos handy. If a guest traveling in a wheelchair wishes to get wet, a Team Member can direct the guest to a “**Soak Zone**.” Please be aware that “**Soak Zones**” are popular and do fill up on a first-come, first-served basis.

Atlantis Bayside Stadium

Description: Seasonal shows and special events venue.

Access: Seating for guests using wheelchairs is available on the top row of the main promenade. Please see a team member on the promenade for assistance.

Bird Attractions

The birds in the various exhibits throughout the park do not usually respond to the presence of Assistance Animals. If the birds appear to be agitated, please move away as quickly as possible.

Dolphin Cove®

We encourage you to interact with the dolphins at Dolphin Cove. Please be sure to keep your service animal a minimum of six (6) feet from the dolphins.

Dolphin Theater

Description: Venture beyond the horizon where dolphins, birds and spirited performers meet.

Access: Guests using wheelchairs may enter the theatre via either the lower left or right pathways or the center ramp for promenade seating. There are many seats marked “**Soak Zone**.” Do not sit in this area unless you and your belongings are prepared to get very wet. Please see a team member at any entrance for assistance.

Jewels Of The Sea Aquariums

Description: Be surrounded by marine life in this unique aquarium located in the Golden Seahorse gift shop next to Journey to Atlantis®.

Access: This is a walk-through exhibit with access to all areas.

Nautilus Theater

Description: Seasonal shows and special events venue.

Access: Guests using wheelchairs may enter the theater through the left or right entry ramps. Seating is available on both sides and in the rear of the theater. Please see a team member at any entrance for assistance.

Sea Lion & Otter Stadium

Description: Join SeaWorld's sea lions, Clyde and Seamore, in a comedic high school setting has never been more fun.

Access: Guests using wheelchairs may use the ramp to the left of the main entrance or either the lower left or right pathways. Do not sit in the seats marked “**Soak Zone**” unless you and your belongings are prepared to get

very wet. Please see a team member for assistance. As a safety precaution, guests with Service Animals will be directed to available seating away from the sea lions performing.

Seaport Theater

Description: Cats, dogs, birds and even a pig meet you in their seaside town in this action-filled comedy.

Access: Guests using wheelchairs may enter the theater through the left or right entrances. Seating is available along the front row. Please see a team member for assistance.

Shamu® Stadium

Description: Dive into the exhilaration of the sea and see the energy and spirit of the ocean as it envelops you in a multi-sensory celebration of life underneath the sea. The show will entertain, educate and inspire you.

Majestic killer whales join you on a journey into a world that drenches your senses in the vivid colors, vitality and global rhythms of the ocean. Your soul is ignited as our worlds are united...and you realize that we all have the power to make a difference in this planet we share.

Access: Guests traveling in wheelchairs may enter the stadium through the left, right, or center ramps. Seating is available for disabled guests and companions along the promenade and is located in the “**Soak Zone**.” Additional companions may sit in the first row below the promenade in front of their party, if available. Please see a Team Member for assistance or if you prefer to avoid getting wet!

Shark Encounter®

Description: Take a spine-chilling glimpse into the domain of moray eels, barracudas, sharks and venomous fish!

Access: This is a walk-through exhibit with access to all areas.

A moving walkway is the designated exit of Shark Encounter®. As you use the walkway, please exercise caution with your Service Animal. Guests using wheelchairs must be assisted by someone capable of pushing the wheelchair on and off the walkway. A team member will be happy to assist upon request. Please use caution and travel in the center of the walkway. If you choose not to use the moving walkway, please exit the exhibit by returning to the entrance.

Turtletrek®

Description: A Hyper-Real 360° 3D movie experience that completely surrounds the audience. Rescued and/or rehabilitating animals such as endangered Florida manatees and sea turtles can be viewed from below and above the surface.

Access: This is a walk through exhibit that includes a 3D 360° dome theater with access to all areas. Guests that are prone to motion sickness, have fear of the dark or enclosed spaces may not enjoy this experience.

Underwater Viewing at Manta®

Description: Inside the world of Manta®, floor-to-ceiling windows crate mesmerizing face-to-fin encounters with hundreds of rays, as well as thousands of fish and mysterious creatures native to oceans all over the world. Rays and sharks float past guests with fluidity and grace in a view entirely unique to SeaWorld’s guests.

Access: This is a walk-through exhibit with access to all areas.

Hearing Impairment Accommodations

Telephones

A Text Telephone Device (TDD) is located at Shamu's Emporium and Shark Encounter®. Please see a team member for assistance. Public telephones accessible to guests using wheelchairs are provided throughout the park. Some are equipped with volume control.

Assistive Listening Devices

Assistive listening devices are available at Guest Services located at the front of the park.

Sign Language Interpretation

If you are reading this in preparation for your visit, American Sign Language interpretation can be provided at live shows with a minimum of two week's notice. Email SEAguestcorrespondence@SeaWorld.com for reservations. Every effort will be made to provide interpreting services with less than two weeks' notice depending on the availability of the interpreter.

Show Scripts

Scripts for all of our shows are available at Guest Services located at the front of the park.

Contact Information

Questions or Comments? SeaWorld® Orlando strives to ensure all guests, including those with disabilities, have a safe and enjoyable experience. If you have suggestions, comments, or concerns, please stop by Guest Services during your visit or call (407)-363-2400.