



Walt Disney World Rider Switch Guide

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Everyone gets a turn — even when someone sits out.

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How Rider Switch Works

- 1 Ask at the entrance.** Bring your whole group — including the non-rider — to the attraction and tell a Cast Member you want Rider Switch.
- 2 Get scanned.** The waiting group's bands or tickets are scanned. The pass appears in My Disney Experience.
- 3 Group 1 rides.** The first group rides (standby or Lightning Lane). The rest wait nearby — grab a snack or a nearby low-key ride.
- 4 Swap and ride.** When Group 1 returns, up to 2 from the waiting group ride via the Lightning Lane entrance — no standby wait.

Two adults required. Someone must stay with the non-rider. Guests 17 and under can't be the supervising adult.

It's free. No Lightning Lane purchase needed — but for pay-per-ride Single Pass attractions (TRON, Rise of the Resistance, Flight of Passage), everyone who rides needs their own paid pass.

Works for more than height. Use it for any guest who won't ride and can't wait alone — nervous kids, a service animal, or an accessibility need.

Magic Kingdom Park

- The Barnstormer
- Seven Dwarfs Mine Train
- Space Mountain
- Tiana's Bayou Adventure
- Tomorrowland Speedway
- TRON Lightcycle / Run

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- Frozen Ever After
- Guardians of the Galaxy: Cosmic Rewind
- Mission: SPACE
- Soarin' Around the World
- Test Track

Disney's Hollywood Studios

- Alien Swirling Saucers
- Millennium Falcon: Smugglers Run
- Rock 'n' Roller Coaster Starring The Muppets
- Slinky Dog Dash
- Star Tours – The Adventures Continue
- Star Wars: Rise of the Resistance
- The Twilight Zone Tower of Terror

Disney's Animal Kingdom Park

- Avatar Flight of Passage
- Expedition Everest
- Kali River Rapids
- Na'vi River Journey



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