

# THE MAGIC OF DISNEY

**ACCESSIBLE TO ALL** 

A REPORT ON DISNEYLAND® PARIS'
COMMITMENT AND ACTIONS TOWARD
INCLUSION AND ACCESSIBILITY







## Providing wonder and magic for all of our guests

At Disneyland Paris, we believe magic should be something everyone can experience. Every day, we work to make sure all our guests - no matter their needs - can enjoy everything Disney has to offer. Our goal has always been to make sure that everyone feels at home in our Parks, without exception.

Whether it's through our specialized program that lets guests with disabilities tailor their visit to their own level of comfort, or our continued efforts to foster an inclusive environment for our Cast Members, we're making progress together.

Every decision we make is guided by this commitment, with the safety and comfort of all in mind. Thanks to this collective effort, we're proud to welcome more guests with different needs and ensure our teams feel supported and included.

For us, the challenge goes beyond addressing current needs. We're building a future where Disneyland Paris will be even more accessible, breaking down barriers and making sure that every experience is within reach for everyone. This commitment is at the core of our vision, and we continue to explore new ways to move forward.

I'm excited to invite you to learn more about the steps we're taking to make Disneyland Paris a place where everyone feels truly welcome and included.

Natacha Rafalski, Présidente, Disneyland Paris

### **KEY FACTS**

A commitment since 1992

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1993 : Signature of the first Disability Agreement for work inclusion and implementation of Disney-land Paris' Mission Handicap



Both Disney Parks have received the "Tourism and Handicap" state brand since July 2004 for their compliance with French accessibility standards



The French Guide and Assistance Dog Association recognized Disneyland Paris with an "Accessibility Trophy" in 2023 for its actions to support guests



A "Favorite" Award from the "Tourism and Handicap" brand for Mickey and the Magician show in French Sign Language



More than **230,000** access cards provided in 2024 to welcome guests with disabilities and long-term illnesses



**5.89%** Cast Members with disabilities in 2024



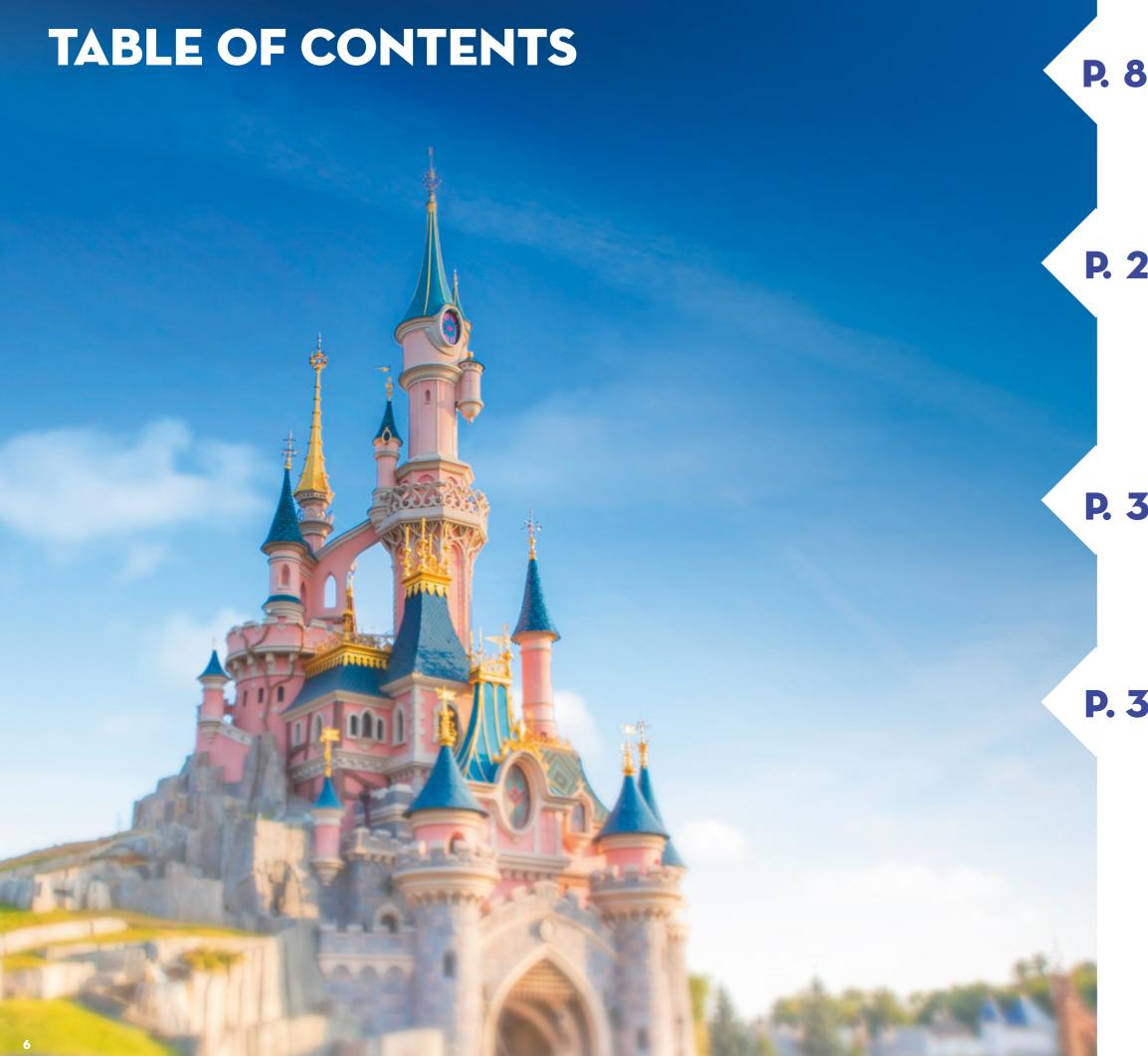
More than 1,000 new hires

of Cast Members with disabilities as of December 31, 2024



**All Cast Members** in direct contact with guests receive training to welcome guests with disabilities





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### PART 1

#### **OUR ACCESSIBILITY APPROACH**

Putting guest autonomy at the forefront

At Disneyland Paris, we are constantly pushing ourselves to go further in ensuring magic is accessible to everyone. Since 2004, the resort has received the Tourism and Handicap state brand for its compliance with French accessibility standards.

In 2024, Disneyland Paris provided more than 230,000 access cards to welcome guests with disabilities and long-term illnesses, as part of the MagicALL program. Disneyland Paris is further evolving its approach to accessibility for continued improvement, and as part of our compliance with the government's Programmed Accessibility Agenda we have invested to make our destination even more accessible.

With the knowledge and experience gained in more than thirty years of welcoming guests with disabilities, and the constant dialogue with experts and organizations, the company ensures that priorities are integrated into every aspect of the resort's infrastructure, its guest services, and in the company's relationship with its Cast Members.

Disneyland Paris no longer determines access to attractions based on disability categories, but allows guests to evaluate their own autonomy to determine which attractions they can experience. As part of this transformation, we have widened access to attractions for guests with disabilities.

To ensure the success of this approach, and increase the number ofattractions accessible to guests with disabilities, we continue to make additional investments in the training of our Cast Members, and we continuously improve procedures for boarding and evacuating attractions with our safety and rescue teams.

This approach to accessibility enables us to provide a range of offers and services that are constantly optimized to create an accessible environment for our guests with disabilities at every step of their customer experience. From booking through to after-sales service, and even during their stay, our guests are supported and provided with services and offers adapted to their needs, to make their experience as magical as possible.

### IN A NUTSHELL...

Focus on guests' self-reported autonomy

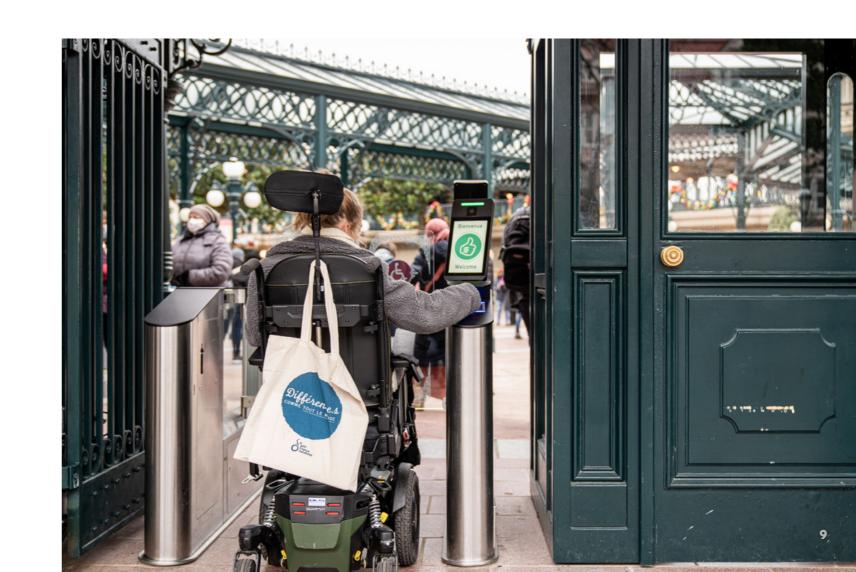
Increase the number of accessible attractions by revising priority and easy access conditions and evacuation procedures

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Provide the choice for guests with disabilities to be accompanied on attractions or not

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Provide a 25% discount for guests with disabilities presenting official documentation and for one potential accompanying careperson



# INFORMING GUESTS OF ACCESSIBILITY MEASURES

Thanks to our dedicated "Guest Accessibility" team, Disneyland Paris offers a range of services to accommodate guests with disabilities during their visit.

Access to practical information about dedicated services for people with disabilities is available in accessible forms, to prepare for their visit to Disneyland Paris with peace of mind.

Our website offers practical information, available in seven languages, where guests can access and download accessibility maps of the Disney Parks as well as accessibility guides and a version adapted for the visually impaired and blind, as well as the "Blue Book" for those on the autism spectrum or with cognitive impairments and their carers.



We also aim to comply with accessibility standards. In addition, Disneyland Paris has created an image bank representing attractions and experiences at both parks for use by guests who have difficulties communicating. It is available for free download on the resort's website.

Information is also available from our telephone helpline and at the entrance of each of our attractions. Our guests can also apply for their

Priority Card online before their visit, using the questionnaire provided.

Through our reservation office, specifically vis a special e-mailaddress, guests with disabilities can:

- Book accessible rooms,
- Be put in contact with suppliers to rent medical equipment in advance,
- Find out about the Priority and Easy Access Cards that we offer,
- Access after-sales service in French Sign Language, cued speech or simultaneously transcribed language.

From adapted transportation options to every aspect of the experience in our parks, restaurants, hotels and shops, Disneyland Paris' comprehensive accessibility approach aims to provide a seamless journey for our guests.

This process of continuous improvement extends to both our guests and our partners, including tour operators and approved travel agencies.



#### **ACCESS CARDS**

#### **PRIORITY CARD**

The Priority Card allows guests and up to four accompanying guests to experience priority access to attractions, meet and greets, entertainment offerings and check out in shops, restaurants, and information offices. As part of the resort's accessibility approach, guests are no longer required to provide details on their condition when requesting a Priority Card. However, all guests with disabilities will be asked to fill out a questionnaire to determine their level of autonomy corresponding to a color code.

According to the color code ranging across five levels of autonomy, Cast Members working at attractions will know exactly how to accommodate the guest in terms of boarding and evacuation. Guests will have to present a Mobility Inclusion Card or another official document attesting toa disability. Medical certificates are no longer accepted. Guests with official documentation andone carer can benefit from a 25% discount for entry to both of our parks.

#### **EASY ACCESS CARD**

This card allows a guest and up to four accompanying guests to have facilitated access to attractions. Only those with long-term diseases (ALD), included in the list of 30 disabling long-term diseases recognized in France and able to present proper documentation showing an official diseasenumber, may obtain an Easy Access Card. No specific information on their medical condition is required.

# FOR ARRIVAL BY TRAIN OR BY CAR, ADAPTED TRANSPORTATION ALLOWS EASY ACCESS TO THE RESORT

The Marne-la-Vallée – Chessy RER and TGV stations have services and adapted equipment for people with disabilities.

Upon arrival at these stations, guests are welcomed by a free shuttle service with wheelchair-accessible vehicles, and seating reserved for guests with disabilities is available at Disney Parks and Disney Hotels, with the exception of Disney's Davy Crockett Ranch. Accessible minibuses are available on request for guests with oversized wheelchairs.

Accessible parking spaces are available for guests with vehicles upon presentation of a Mobility Inclusion Card (parking notice) or a European Parking Card.

# UPON ARRIVAL AT THE PARKS, ADAPTED FEATURES SIMPLIFY ACCESS

A soon as they arrive, guests with disabilities can obtain a Priority Card or Easy Access Card that allows them, among other things, to access attractions through specially designed entry ways. These cards can be found at park entrances priority desks or at hotel reception and concierge service areas.

Our guests also have access to the parks' accessibility maps and accessibility guides, with all essential information about the accessibility for each attraction. Guests may also request their Priority Card online in advance of their arrival and pick it up at Disneyland Paris.

In addition, Annual Pass holders can also obtain access cards specific to their needs that are valid for the duration of their Annual Pass.



#### **FOCUS ON ATTRACTION ACCESSIBILITY**

"Our dialogue with Disneyland Paris is continuous, which pushes the subject forward. When I realized, a few years ago, that families were being separated because certain attractions could not board more than one disabled person at a time, for example, we agreed to sit around the table and find a solution. As is often the case, the reasoning was linked to safety. With that in mind, Disneyland Paris worked to modify its ride vehicles and especially by hiring more rescue workers in case of evacuation. Families and groups hicle, making them accessible only to those able can now enjoy the rides together! This is the reason why accessibility at Disneyland Paris is one of the best in Europe, if not THE best. A person with disabilities can truly have an unforgettable experience there. Taht's the gaol. "

#### Michaël Jeremiasz,

Paralympic wheelchair tennis champion

Year after year, Disneyland Paris teams work to improve accessibility to attractions. The goal is simple: to enable as many people as possible to experience the magic of Disney with autonomy, safely.

Some of our attractions are designed to allow wheelchair users either to transfer from their wheelchair to the accessible seat or to board the vehicle while in their wheelchair. Some attractions still require guests to be able to walk a short distance between the wheelchair and the ride veto transfer. In our ongoing commitment to improvement, some experiences have been adapted to welcome non-transferable wheelchair users as well. For example, the Disneyland Railroad now features a specially designed wagon to facilitate guests boarding without transferring from their wheelchair.

Guests with mental, visual and hearing impairments can also access all attractions in both parks.

Additionally, guide and assistance dogs are allowed in 40 shows and attractions and audio description will also be expanded allowing guests with visual impairments to experience our attractions, restaurants and themed lands in even more autonomous ways.

#### **ACCESSIBILITY AND SAFETY**

The safety of our guests is our top priority. With that in mind, the access conditions to each attraction are determined according to strict safety requirements. The evacuation procedure is different for each attraction. For some, it may consist of walking along corridors or climbing down a ladder alone, or even moving through tight and dark spaces. Sometimes, it may require spending several minutes at a higher elevation. The Cast Members from our rescue and evacuation teams are regularly trained to handle guests with all types of disabilities.

Each attraction is subject to an in-depth audit conducted with the help of Fire Rescue Operations Cast Members employed by Disneyland Paris. Access and evacuation conditions for certain levels of autonomy are decided upon following this audit, with the safety of our guests as the top priority.





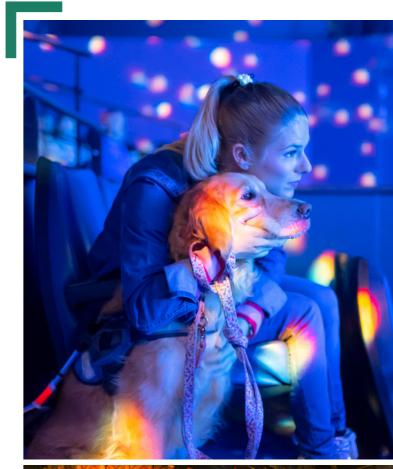
#### INNOVATIONS IN ADAPTED ENTERTAINMENT

The entertainment offerings at Disneyland Paris are designed to be enjoyed by all of our guests. Places are reserved for guests with disabilities in theatres and during parades, allowing them to make the most of these magical moments.

A special effort has also been made so that shows are accessible to as many people with hearing impairments as possible, with the vast majority of our performance venues being equipped with an audio induction loop for the hearing impaired.

Maximizing the accessibility of our approach has steered us towards new ideas to develop inclusive, innovative shows. As an example, Mickey and the Magician, is offered in French Sign Language narration. Meanwhile The Lion King: Rhythms of the Pride Lands incorporates a sign language song performance by deaf performers. To enhance the sensory experience for deaf and hard-of-hearing guests, vibrating vests are now available in select theatres, translating sound onto the skin via vibrarions. Offered free of charge upon presentation of a priority card (subject to availability), Disneyland Paris is the first theme park in Europe to introduce vibrating vests in its theatres.

Additionally, thanks to the Audiospot application, some shows are now available with audio description in both French and English, allowing those with visual impairments to discover and rediscover fan favorites shows.





# ACCESSIBILITY IN OUR PARKS



#### SPECIFIC MEASURES FOR OUR **ACCESSIBILITY IN OUR SHOPS**

Our shop accessibility policy encourages customer interaction and ease of movement both in the spaces themselves and while paying at the registers.

"Double-sided" registers adapted for wheelchairs on both the guest and the cashier sides are being installed in our shops, which are also equipped with fitting rooms for guests with disabilities. Some shop registers are also equipped with audio induction loops for guests with hearing impairments, allowing for better interaction between our guests and their cashier.

In addition, all of our guests can benefit fromour Shopping Service which allows them to collect their purchases at the end of the day or have them delivered to our Disney Hotels, for purchases of 50€ or more before 3pm. Thisservice aims to allow our guests to enjoy the Disneyland Paris experience without holding all of their collectibles and souvenirs for the full day.

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#### **OTHER MEASURES IN PLACE**

parks, hotels, and now in select attractions, such as Phantom Manor, providing detailed narration of the environment across our destination and experiences.

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In addition, Disneyland Park is now equipped with a dedicated changing area for guests with disabilities and special needs in the First Aid Center.

Audio description is available throughout our This private area is available for guests who need a space to provide care for adults or children three years or older with a disability, equipped with a lift, an adjustable bed and bathroom facilities that meet the standards for people with reduced mobility.



# ACCESSIBILITY IN OUR HOTELS

Accessibility receives the same level of attention as every other aspect of our guests' journey, including our hotels, which are an integral part of the Disneyland Paris experience.

Each renovated hotel features equipment that is adapted to accommodate people with disabilities. This equipment is being rolled out at all hotels.





- Most receptions areas are equipped with accessible counters and Access Cards can also be issued by reception and the concierge service.
- Some Disney Hotel lobbies and restaurants also have audio description services for blind and visually impaired guests. This offering will soon be available at all Disney Hotels.
- ◆ A freely accessible version of the Virtuoz guidance system, Virtuoz Maxi, is available at Disney Hotel New York – The Art of Marvel, offering guests an overview of the hotel and its surroundings.



- ♦ floor-level showers,
- device kits for the hearing impaired,
- braille dot on each key not fitted with RFID,
- ◆ large-button telephones and remote controls,
- welcome kit for assistance and guide dogs.







### SWIMMING POOLS IN MOSTHOTELS PROVIDE:

- manual wheelchairs for use in wet areas,
- swimming pool lifts,
- accessible toilets and changing rooms,
- crates for guide or assistance dogs,
- rooms with access to nearby first aid.



# TRAINING OUR CAST MEMBERS TO WELCOME THOSE WITH DISABILITIES

We have 19,000 Cast Members. While some of them have been with the company for a long time, others have just joined us. No matter their tenure, all of our Cast Members are made aware of accessibility considerations in order to welcome our guests and to respond to any needs that they may have. This training policy applies across the board at Disneyland Paris, from career development to system improvements.

Many Cast Members are offered various training modules covering the welcoming of guests with disabilities, accessibility procedures, special features of the accessible registers in shops and restaurants, and specific offers provided by customer service advisors at the Central Reservations Office.

As today, more than 9,500 Cast Members have completed new accessibility training, which includes raising awareness of Disneyland Paris' accessibility policy and training on welcoming guests with disabilities. The course enables Cast Members to learn about different types of disabilities, learn more about the services available for guests and understand best practices designed to make their experiences even more magical.

The training program is growing and adjusting all the time, with the aim of improving our procedures and infrastructure according to the latest industry standards and needs expressed by guests with disabilities. In 2024, Cast Members in direct contact with guests will be trained - or retrained - and educated in the various types of disabilities, in the implementation of best practices designed to facilitate and make the experience of our guests even more magical, as well as in the various services available to them.





### PART 2 ACCESSIBILITY **AND OUR CAST MEMBERS**

**Promoting the inclusion of Cast Members** with disabilities

Disneyland Paris' human resources management policy firmly supports the integration of its Cast-Members with disabilities through the efforts of a dedicated in-house team known as Mission Handicap. In 1993, the first company agreementon employee accessibility was signed. Since the opening, eleven agreements have been signed, with the most recent in July 2025, with new initiatives in favor of recruiting, integrating and supporting Cast Members with disabilities throughout their careers.

The Disneyland Paris workforce is currently made up of 5.89% Cast Members with disabilities. The company has committed to hiring at least 200 additional employees with disabilities between 2026 and 2028.

We will continue to adapt our Cast Members' workspaces and responsibilities to best meet their abilities so they may grow and thrive in a welcoming and inclusive environment.

Disneyland Paris has also signed the Cancerand Employment Charter as a commitment to improve workplace well-being and encourage the return to work of its Cast Members diagnosed with cancer. Identified as a disablingillness, cancer is taken into account when obtaining recognition as a employee with disabilities. Therefore, Cast Members diagnosed with cancer are supported by Mission Handicap with regard to the workplace adjustments recommended by an occupational physician, such as equipment, schedules, and management awareness throughout their entire illness.

Disneyland Paris offers tailor-made solutions, adapted to each individual's needs, in collaboration with occupational physicians, social workers, human resources, the Mission Handicap team and managers. This can include but is not limited to adjustments to working hours, adapted work locations to meet employee needs, part-time work. In 2024, more than one hundred Cast Members with disabilities have benefited from one or more of these solutions.





# INCLUSION THROUGH EDUCATION OF OUR CAST MEMBERS

Disneyland Paris carries out its inclusion policy by educating Cast Members on integrating and accommodating persons with disabilities within the company. Since 2016, Disneyland Paris has provided training to its recruitment professionals and human resources business partners to help them better understand the process of integrating employees with disabilities.

Cast Members with disabilities are offered the opportunity to take the "Living and Sharing your Disability Situation at Work" training course. Our managers are also trained to manage a team including Cast Members with disabilities. In 2021, we launched an e-learning module called "Handiscovery", which can be done alone or in teams and is accessible to all employees to better understand different types of disabilities. This module is supplemented by specific capsules, for example on "Dys" disorders, hearing impairment and chronic illnesses. Since 2023, training programs for managers are available to help them better understand and support employees with disabilities, particularly those on the autism spectrum or experiencing psychological vulnerabilities. To date, 300 managers have completed this program, which continues to expand to new teams.

Along with these training modules, we organize informational events, including workshops and immersive experiences, encouraging Cast Members to engage in discussions on disabilities and accessibility. This happens notably during European Disabled Employment Week and Duo Day, an immersive day for those withhandicaps to discover jobs at the resort – both of which take place every November. Mission Handicap also regularly publishes information on specific disabilities in order to raise employees'awareness.

Alongside training modules, Disneyland Paris organizes year-round awareness initiatives: interactive workshops, immersive experiences, and events encouraging Cast Members to discuss disability and accessibility. Each November, during the European Week for the Employment of People with Disabilities (SEEPH), teams engage directly with employees across sites to present measures supporting both Cast Members and guests with disabilities. Raising awareness and informing our Cast Members is an integral part of our commitment to accessibility.

#### Did you know?

To create an inclusive environment for deaf and hearing-impaired Mickey and the Magician and The Lion King: Rhythms of the Pride Lands performers, all technical, artistic and management Cast Members took part in learning introductory French Sign Language. Translators were also involved in costume fittings and rehearsals so thatour performers could communicate with all team members and feel empowered to take part in these processes.

# ONGOING MEASURES TO ACCOMODATE CAST MEMBERS WITH DISABILITIES

Through our dedicated Mission Handicap team, Disneyland Paris provides a wide range of support measures, including:

- Up to 7 days of paid leave for administrative or medical procedures related to disability status.
- Coverage of relocation costs (up to €5,000) to move closer to the workplace or into housing adapted to their needs.
- Contributions toward hearing aids (€1,000 per device), plus support for batteries, remote controls, and small equipment (€300).
- Financial assistance for wheelchairs (€7,000) and coverage of repairs and small equipment (€1,000).
- Subsidies of up to €6,000 to adapt personal vehicles when essential for commuting.
- ♦ If the Cast Member is obligated, for medical reasons, to use the services of a taxi or special transportation providers for home/work journeys, the cost may be compensated up to a maximum of 5,000 euros over a period of 6 months per year (consecutive or otherwise).
- If an adapted driver's license is required to access
  the Company, Mission Handicap will contribute up to 1,000 euros.

- Cast Members with a grandchild, child, spouse, or parent with a disability may also benefit from specific measures, such as: Up to 6 days of paid leave. Flexible working hours. Relocation support to move closer to specialized institutions.
- Additional stipends are available to complete the base compensation for Cast Members who take parental leave to care for a child with disabilities. This stipend may amount to as much as twice the minimum wage for as long as 60 days. This additional stipend also applies in the event of leave for family caregivers and solidarity with relatives.
- In 2024, more than 600 Cast Members benefited from one or more of these measures.



### JOB RETENTION AND RECLASSIFICATION FOR CAST MEMBERS WITH DISABILITIES

Disneyland Paris devotes itself to retaining or reclassifying Cast Members who encounter disability or illness after their arrival at the company. This commitment is reflected in a dedicated person who assists in personalised training and professional development projects. These training programs are offered, whenever necessary, to facilitate the reclassification of an employee with a declared disability, with the possibility of completing a skills assessment and retraining period.



### PART 3 YOUTH AND COMMUNITIES

Our commitment to young people with disabilities

Disneyland Paris also contributes to the education and professional development of young people with disabilities through several programs. These initiatives include internships across a wide variety of professions, such as maintenance, culinary arts, gardening, guest services, and artistic or technical roles in Disney Live Entertainment.

Additionally, many young people with disabilities are invited every year to discover our career opportunities. Youth from middle schools and high schools have the opportunity to discover several professions and talk with our Cast Members during day-long workshops. With ARPEJEH - Accompanying the Studies of Youth and Students with Disabilities - we also set up workshops to help high school and university students with interview preparation and resume writing.

In 2023, Disney Live Entertainment teams invited a group of 12 children and their families to attend an adapted version of the show Let's Sing Christmas. In 2025, in collaboration with the association Culture H, the same teams organized body expression workshops set to the rhythm of the Disney Music Festival for children with Down syndrome.





Every year, during European Disabled Employment Week ("SEEPH"), a number of actions are organized in collaboration with specialized organizations to raise awareness and promote access to training and employment for people with disabilities. Coaching sessions for high school and university students organized with ARPEJEH - Accompanying the Studies of Youth and Students with Disabilities - the participation of a group of Cast Members in DuoDay, and a backstage solidarity market highlighting the work of ESATs (establishments offering professional support for persons with disabilities) give our Cast Members a different perspective on disability.

As part of our efforts to raise awareness of disability among young people, I 50 middle schoolstudents attended a special day in April 2023, where they had a presentation by Paralympic athlete Michael Jérémiasz on his career, took part in a quiz on disability and were introduced to wheelchair basketball by two Paralympic champions.

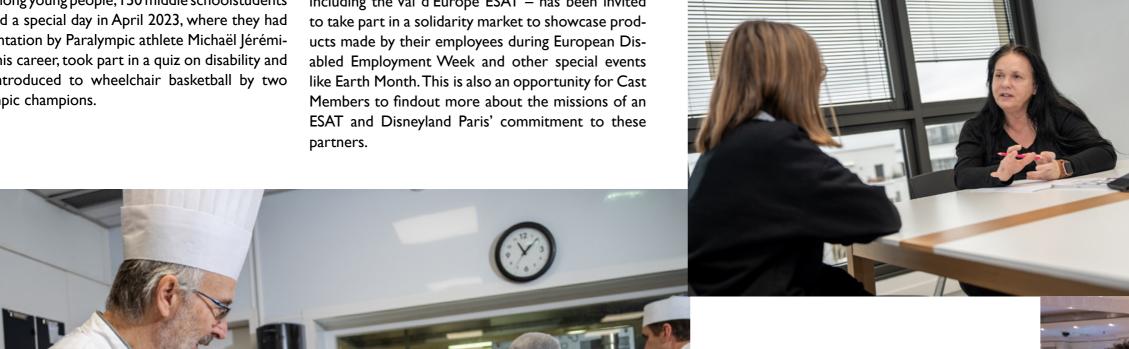
In addition, Disneyland Paris maintains a procurement policy privileging companies with inclusive policies hiring people with disabilities. The teams strive to work with suppliers from the "protected and adapted" sector, in which disabled employees represent 80% of theworkforce and are provided adapted conditions.

In 2024, these contracts represented 1.7 millioneuros spent working with several companies involved in the fields of groundskeeping, hygieneproducts, paper recycling and IT services.

This collaboration goes beyond those based on a formal contract. For the past three years, ESATs including the Val d'Europe ESAT - has been invited partners.

Discovery visits have also been organized in collaboration with ARPEJEH - Accompanying the Studies of Youth and Students with Disabilities - and the National Institute for Visually Impaired Youth. The aim was to introduce these young people to the business world and to the measures in place to accommodate their disabilities, while allowing them to enjoy our parks and hotels. These days enabled them not only to meet our professionals, but also to use the Virtuoz and Audiospot devices to make the most of their visit.

Particularly committed to the inclusion of young people and the success of their personal and professional projects, our company regularly offers young people with disabilities the opportunity to take part in activities enabling them to discover different fields throughconferences or meetings. Whether it's a conference with a National Geographic explorer, a plant discovery workshop or a meeting with Paralympic champions, each action aims to inspire and support them in building their project.









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