

OCEAN PARK
SOCIAL CARE TICKET
APPLICATION FORM



PART 1

(To be completed by applying agency)

Name of the agency : _____

(Chinese) : _____

Address : _____

Contact Person (Mr/Ms) : _____ (Chinese) : _____

Telephone No. : _____ Mobile Phone/Pager : _____

Fax No. : _____

Date of Visit (1st choice): _____ (2nd choice) : _____

Arrival Time : _____ Category of participants* : _____

No. of free tickets for workers/ volunteers*: _____

Total fees for Social Care Tickets: _____ × @ \$20 = Total \$ _____

I hereby certify that the above information is true and seek your approval for the specified number of social care tickets for these participants.

Signature of officer in charge : _____

Name : _____
(IN BLOCK LETTERS)

Position/ Rank : _____

Date : _____

Official chop

PART 2

(To be completed by Social Care District Office)

I hereby confirm that the above agency is a welfare organization arranging a visit for the participants in the category of _____
_____*

_____)
for Director of Social Welfare

SWD officer in charge : _____

Position/ Rank : _____

Office/ District : _____

Telephone : _____

Address : _____

Official chop

* Please refer to the category of participants and ratio listed overleaf.

NOTES FOR APPLICATION OF SOCIAL CARE TICKETS

1. Application forms for social care tickets are available from the Social Welfare Department. Applications and any enquiries in relations to the participants' category and ratio between workers/volunteers to participants should be made directly to the Social Welfare Department.
2. Completed application form with a crossed cheque payable to "Ocean Park Corporation" should reach the Social Welfare Department four weeks prior to the date of proposed visit. **Any amendment of the application form has to be signed by an authorized person.** The applying agency would be informed by Ocean Park in writing the confirmed date of visit.
3. Tickets are available for collection upon presentation of the confirmation letter at the Park's Ticketing Office on the date of the visit.
4. Tickets issued will be strictly in accordance with information provided in the application form. Ocean Park reserves the right to check the entrants' identity. **Participants should bring along their Hong Kong Identity Card/Birth Certificate or Senior Citizen Card for verification purpose.** A change of participants' name can only be accepted with two weeks' advance notice in writing to the Social Welfare Department for approval.
5. Holders of social care tickets must enter Ocean Park in a group. Individual late comer will not be entertained.
6. Social care tickets are not applicable on Sundays, public holidays and 14-17 Feb, 2-3, 5-6 Apr, 2-4 May, 30 Sept, 2-5, 12, 18-19, 25-26 Oct and 23-24, 27-28, 30-31 Dec 2024. Tickets can only be used at daytime on the date of validation and are non-refundable. A change of date of visit for the whole group can only be made with one-week advance notice in writing to Ocean Park's Ticketing Office.
7. Rain or high winds may cause suspension of the operation of Cable Car and mechanical rides. Under such circumstances, tickets are non-refundable. Groups wish to postpone the date of visit can contact Ocean Park's Ticketing Office on 3923-2583.
8. For safety reasons, children must be at least 122cm (4 feet) to go on most of the mechanical rides. Anyone who suffers from any health and physical conditions that are likely to prejudice the safety of a mechanical ride or its passengers will be refused entry to that ride. Ocean Park shall have sole discretion in the implementation of this regulation.
9. No food or drinks are allowed to be brought into Ocean Park. For meal arrangements or any further information, please call Ocean Park's Guest Relations Office on 3923-2323.

CATEGORY OF PARTICIPANTS AND RATIO BETWEEN WORKERS / VOLUNTEERS TO THE PARTICIPANTS

Free tickets are issued on the basis of the ratio between worker/volunteers to the participants listed below:

CATEGORY OF PARTICIPANTS		RATIO BETWEEN WORKERS/VOLUNTEERS TO THE PARTICIPANTS
1.	(a) wheelchair-bound participants	1:1
2.	(b) severe and moderate grade mentally disabled, spastic or autistic participants	1:2
	(c) elderly requiring care and attention (participants of C&A Home, Day Care Centre for the elderly or infirmaries)	1:2
3.	(d) ex-mental patients, mild grade mentally or physically disabled persons	1:4
	(e) people with visual impairment	1:4
	(f) children aged 6 or below in welfare institutions	1:4
4.	(g) youths at risk (participants under Against Substance Abuse Scheme, outreaching social work teams, Community Support Service Scheme, Family Services Centres, the Integrated Teams, School Social Work Units or Children and Youth Centres)	1:6
5.	(h) children aged 7 or above in welfare institutions	1:8
	(i) children or youths under supervision/probation order or trainees of correctional institutions, hostels or training centres	1:8
	(j) deprived children or youths from the fishing community, temporary housing areas and squatter areas <i>* children aged below 14 under this category are allowed to be accompanied by not more than two of their parents or grandparents who are also entitled to social care tickets</i>	1:8
	(k) underprivileged families (families receiving Comprehensive Social Security Assistance, Fee Assistance Scheme, Foster Care Service, known case of Family Services Centre or Medical Social Service Units) <i>* participants under this category are allowed to bring a maximum of three direct family members (or foster family members for foster care service) who are also entitled to social care tickets</i>	1:8
	(l) elderly of age 55 or above who are physically fit and requiring no special care	1:8
	(m) hearing-impaired persons and persons with speech difficulties	1:8
	(n) ex-drug addicts	1:8

Important Notes:

- Agencies applying for social care tickets under categories (g), (j) or (k) are required to submit an additional form available from Social Welfare Department.
- Children under 3 and senior local residents aged 65 or above (with Hong Kong Identity Card) are free. Therefore, they are not entitled to social care tickets.
- Agencies applying for workers/volunteers' social care tickets to take care of senior citizens aged 65 or above are required to submit an additional form available from Social Welfare Department.
- The age ranges defined for children and youths are 3-14 and 15-24 respectively.