



# CHECKPOINT Express Check-In

## Discoveryland is rolling out a new check-in system

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### **1 NO PERMANENT TAGS IN DISCOVERYLAND**

Child and parent badges will be printed each week so that you no longer have to remember tags or wait in line to replace them when you leave them in the car on a 10-below-zero day.

### **2 SELF-SERVICE "EXPRESS CHECK-IN" KIOSKS**

Installed in convenient locations, these touch screen units are friendly and easy to use. If you can use the self check-out at a store, you can use Express Check-in. Be on your way in 20 seconds!

### **3 IDENTIFICATION VIA FINGER SCAN**

Just touch the unit to call up your family records, check-in, and print badges. No numbers, no tags, no problem.

### **4 CHECK IN YOUR WHOLE FAMILY AT ONCE**

No waiting in lines at classrooms to find names on paper rosters. Once checked in at a kiosk, children can go straight into their rooms.

Get registered in advance beginning February 28. Current tag system will be phased out through March and no longer available starting in April.



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### **What happens when my child brings a friend?**

Head over to one of our Guest Services desks and a volunteer will get your child checked in, as well as his friend, and print their badges.

### **Will my child's badge print with a green dot indicating "self-release"?**

There will be a printed indicator that you want your child to "self-release" from his or her classroom, but it won't be green because the printers are single-color.

### **What if Grandma is bringing the kids to church?**

She can take the kids to a Guest Services desk to check in. If Grandma regularly brings the kids, we can add her finger scan to your record so she can Express Check-In your children.

### **Can my kids check themselves in?**

No. As we launch this new system, we will register only parents' or responsible adults' finger scans with the family record. No older siblings.

### **What if I don't want to have my finger scanned?**

Don't worry. We are NOT making a copy of or recording your fingerprint. A detailed explanation of the technology is available on the website.

### **What if a parent or child badge is lost?**

You can have your badges reprinted at a Guest Services desk, but we ask you to affix the badge to your child, and put your parent badge where you will not lose it.

### **Will I have the same Family Number?**

Not exactly. Family Numbers will no longer be used as a security measure. That number will still be used to contact you in the services, and in fact will be known as your Pager Number. Each time you check in, a unique Security Number will be issued by the system and printed on your child and parent badges. The Security Number is the one that will be required to pick up children.

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[nwoods.org/checkpoint](http://nwoods.org/checkpoint)



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