



Jurassic Park River Adventure Unveils New Track Layout

Description

Refurbishment work is moving quickly on the Jurassic Park water ride at Universal Studios Florida. The ride closed in January this year. It will be closed for almost a year for the work.

The exact changes to the ride are not known. Some people think this could be a big update, like the one at Universal Studios Hollywood. New aerial photos show some of the work going on at the ride.

Guests cannot see much because of temporary walls. However, the aerial photos show that workers are replacing the ride tracks. The new tracks are green and look good.

Other parts of the ride have some missing dinosaur figures. This means changes may happen to many parts of the ride journey. There are also signs of construction work in the queue area where guests wait to get on the ride.

The refurbishment should make the ride better when it reopens. Fans are excited to see what changes will come.

Vocabulary List:

1. **refurbishment** //rɪ'fɜːbɪʃmənt// (noun): work to make something like new
2. **aerial** //ˈɛəriəl// (adjective): from above, or happening in the air
3. **temporary** //ˈtɛmpə,rɛri// (adjective): lasting only for a short time
4. **replacing** //rɪ'pleɪsɪŋ// (verb): putting something new in place of old
5. **construction** //kən'strʌkʃən// (noun): building work, like roads or buildings
6. **queue** //kjuː// (noun): a line of people waiting for something

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. When did the Jurassic Park water ride close for refurbishment?

Option: January 2022

Option: January 2023



Option: February 2023

Option: March 2023

2. How long will the Jurassic Park water ride be closed for refurbishment?

Option: 6 months

Option: 8 months

Option: 10 months

Option: Almost 1 year

3. What color are the new ride tracks shown in the aerial photos?

Option: Red

Option: Blue

Option: Green

Option: Yellow

4. Which other Universal Studios park is mentioned for making a big update?

Option: Universal Studios Orlando

Option: Universal Studios Hollywood

Option: Universal Studios Singapore

Option: Universal Studios Tokyo

5. What have some parts of the Jurassic Park ride lost?

Option: Water

Option: Dinosaur figures

Option: Seats

Option: Sound effects

6. What is being constructed in the queue area of the ride?

Option: New walls

Option: Restrooms

Option: Food stalls

Option: Seating areas

True-False

7. The Jurassic Park water ride reopened in January 2023.

8. The refurbishment work started in January 2023.



9. Guests can see all the refurbishment work through the temporary walls.
10. There are new dinosaur figures being added to the ride.
11. Aerial photos are providing details on the refurbishment work.
12. Fans are uninterested in the upcoming changes to the ride.

Gap-Fill

13. The Jurassic Park water ride closed in _____ this year.
14. The refurbishment work is expected to take almost ____ year.
14. The refurbishment work is expected to take almost _____ year.
15. Temporary walls prevent guests from seeing much of the _____ work.
16. The aerial photos show that workers are replacing the ride _____ .
17. Guests are waiting in the _____ area before getting on the ride.
18. The refurbishment should make the ride _____ when it reopens.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. January 2023 2. Almost 1 year 3. Green 4. Universal Studios Hollywood 5. Dinosaur figures 6. New walls

True-False: 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. False 11. True 12. False 14. True

Gap-Fill: 13. January 14. 1 15. refurbishment 16. tracks 17. queue 18. better

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What term is used to describe a ship used for travel or work at sea?

Option: Vessel



- Option: Tram
- Option: Carriage
- Option: Plane

2. Which term refers to a community of living organisms and their physical environment interacting as a system?

- Option: Biome
- Option: Ecosystem
- Option: Habitat
- Option: Niche

3. What do we call a group of organisms that can interbreed and produce fertile offspring?

- Option: Species
- Option: Genus
- Option: Family
- Option: Order

4. What is typically formed from coral and serves as a habitat for many marine species?

- Option: Delta
- Option: Reef
- Option: Estuary
- Option: Lake

5. What type of marine animal is often found attached to rocks and can host clownfish?

- Option: Sea Urchins
- Option: Jellyfish
- Option: Anemones
- Option: Sponges

6. What term describes the process of increasing in size or scope?

- Option: Reduction
- Option: Contraction
- Option: Expansion
- Option: Decline

7. Which type of view or observation is achieved from the air?

- Option: Ground
- Option: Aerial
- Option: Underwater
- Option: Surface

8. What do we call individuals who conduct investigations to discover or revise facts?

- Option: Students



- Option: Researchers
- Option: Educators
- Option: Administrators

9. What is a large mass of ice that moves slowly over land called?

- Option: Iceberg
- Option: Glacier
- Option: Snowfield
- Option: Fjord

10. What term describes a state of being open to harm or damage?

- Option: Resilient
- Option: Vulnerable
- Option: Protected
- Option: Robust

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. The _____ ecosystem is crucial for supporting various marine species.

12. Many marine conservation initiatives aim to ensure that we can _____ the protection of vulnerable species.

13. The _____ of the research vessel was necessary to prepare for the upcoming expedition.

14. The organization's press release announced the _____ of a new marine exploration project.

15. The team set up _____ accommodations while conducting research near the glacier.

16. They are _____ outdated equipment to enhance the research process.

17. The night sky was filled with _____ sprites dancing across the atmosphere.

18. Many _____ species visit the coastal area during migration seasons.



19. The Earth's _____ plays a crucial role in regulating temperature and supporting life.
20. High levels of ultraviolet _____ can affect both marine and terrestrial life.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The underwater seep is critical for nutrient cycling in the marine ecosystem.
22. The press is essential for disseminating information about scientific discoveries.
23. The new vessel has advanced features that enhance its operational capabilities.
24. The research team had to wait in a queue before boarding the vessel for the expedition.
25. They planned an expedition to study the effects of climate change on coastal ecosystems.
26. Construction of the new research facility is underway near the coastal area.
27. The glacier melts are impacting sea levels and coastal environments.
28. Many species in the ocean are classified as vulnerable due to climate change.
29. The environment is heavily influenced by both natural and human activities.
30. The luminous sprites observed during the expedition were stunning and ethereal.

Answer

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Multiple Choice: 1. Vessel 2. Ecosystem 3. Species 4. Reef 5. Anemones 6. Expansion 7. Aerial 8. Researchers 9. Glacier 10. Vulnerable

Gap-Fill: 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20.

Matching sentence: 1. seep 2. press 3. features 4. queue 5. expedition 6. construction 7. glacier 8. vulnerable 9. environment 10. sprites

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