



Drury Plaza vs. Disney Value Resorts

Complete Hotel Comparison for a Family of 4 | June 20-27, 2026

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KEY TAKEAWAY - Total trip cost winner for a family of 4

BEST TOTAL VALUE: DRURY PLAZA

\$1,700-\$2,100

Estimated food savings over 7 nights compared with Disney Value resorts.

POP CENTURY

~\$213-\$260/night

Full Disney bubble • Skyliner access

DRURY PLAZA

~\$185-\$220/night

Breakfast + evening food included

ALL-STAR MOVIES

~\$153-\$195/night

Lowest room price • Food not included

AT A GLANCE - 7-night room comparison before food costs

Hotel	Type	Sleeps	Nightly Rate	7-Night Total	Food Included
Drury Plaza	Official WDW Hotel	4-5	~\$185-\$220	~\$1,295-\$1,540	Breakfast + dinner daily
Pop Century	Disney Value	4	~\$213-\$260	~\$1,491-\$1,820	None
Art of Animation Suite	Disney Value	Up to 6	~\$430-\$550	~\$3,010-\$3,850	None
All-Star Movies	Disney Value	4	~\$153-\$195	~\$1,071-\$1,365	None

What this guide answers: Which hotel gives a family of four the best overall value once room cost, food, transportation, and Disney perks are all considered together. All four properties shown in the source guide include Early Park Entry and 7-day Lightning Lane advance booking.





Feature Comparison

What you get at each hotel beyond the room rate

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ON-SITE FEEL - Disney Value Resort options

POP CENTURY

- Queen bed + Murphy bed
- 1 bathroom
- Skyliner to EPCOT + Hollywood Studios
- Full Disney bubble experience
- No free breakfast or dinner
- Best choice when Disney atmosphere matters most

Best Disney immersion for the money

ART OF ANIMATION SUITE

- Sleeps up to 6
- 2 full bathrooms + kitchenette
- Big Blue Pool and strongest kid theming
- Skyliner access
- Highest price in this comparison
- Best fit for younger kids and extra space

Most immersive option for families with little kids

ALL-STAR MOVIES

- Queen bed + Murphy bed
- 1 bathroom
- Bus transportation only
- Character theming at the lowest on-property room rate
- Food is fully out of pocket
- Strong if you catch a special deal

Cheapest Disney room - but food still adds up

OFF-SITE VALUE - Drury Plaza Disney Springs Area

DRURY PLAZA

What stands out:

- 2 queen beds, microwave, mini-fridge, and no resort fee
- Free hot breakfast daily
- Free 5:30 Kickback evening food every night
- Snacks, soda, and adult beverages included during the evening window
- Shuttle service to all 4 parks + late night return
- Walkable or shuttle access to Disney Springs
- Official Walt Disney World hotel perks still included

Total-cost winner in the source guide





Total Cost Breakdown

Room + meals over 7 nights for a family of 4

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COST COMPARISON - Why food changes the math

FOOD COST ASSUMPTIONS PER PERSON / PER DAY

- Breakfast at Disney Value food courts: **\$12-\$18**
- Dinner at Disney Value food courts: **\$18-\$25**
- Snacks + soda: **\$5-\$10**
- Adult drinks: **\$10-\$15 each**
- Estimated total for a family of 4 at Disney Value resorts: **\$140-\$212 per day** or **\$980-\$1,484 over 7 nights**

ALL-IN ESTIMATE - Room total + food total

Option	Room Total	Food Total	Estimated All-In	Difference vs. Drury
Drury Plaza	~\$1,295-\$1,540	\$0 included	~\$1,295-\$1,540	Baseline
All-Star Movies	~\$1,071-\$1,365	~\$980-\$1,484	~\$2,051-\$2,849	+\$756-\$1,309
Pop Century	~\$1,491-\$1,820	~\$980-\$1,484	~\$2,471-\$3,304	+\$931-\$1,764
Art of Animation Suite	~\$3,010-\$3,850	~\$700-\$980*	~\$3,710-\$4,830	+\$2,170-\$3,290

THE BOTTOM LINE

Drury Plaza comes out cheapest because the included breakfast and evening food erase the price advantage of Disney Value rooms once a full week of meals is added back in.

***Art of Animation food estimate is lower because the suite kitchenette helps with self-catering.**





Who Should Stay Where?

Pick the hotel that fits your family priorities

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FINAL VERDICT - Best use case for each option

BEST OVERALL VALUE - DRURY PLAZA

- Lowest total trip cost in this comparison at standard rates
- Best for families focused on savings
- Included breakfast + evening food make the biggest difference
- Still keeps official Disney-area perks

Best pick for budget-conscious families

BEST DISNEY EXPERIENCE - POP CENTURY

- Strongest balance of price + Disney atmosphere
- Skyliner is the biggest convenience advantage
- Best fit when staying inside the Disney bubble matters more than maximum savings

Best on-property feel for the money

BEST FOR YOUNGER KIDS - ART OF ANIMATION

- Most immersive theming in the lineup
- 2 bathrooms and more room to spread out
- Best when experience and space matter more than budget

Most memorable kid-focused stay

BEST DEAL PLAY - ALL-STAR MOVIES

- Lowest on-property room rate
- Works best when you find a Disney+ or seasonal discount
- Still weaker than Drury once food is added back in

Best cheap room - not best total cost

QUICK DECISION GUIDE

Want the cheapest total trip? Choose Drury Plaza.

Want the Disney bubble? Choose Pop Century.

Want space and kid theming? Choose Art of Animation. Want the lowest Disney room? Choose All-Star.

