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Year built: 2018

Master: Captain Kate McCue, the first - and still only - American female captain

Guest capacity: 2,918

No. of Decks: 14

Guest capacity level for June 26 Sailing: 40%

Level of Vaccination for June 26 Sailing: 99%

Dimensions: 1,004 feet long by 128 feet wide

Cost: Approx. \$1 billion

About the Historic June 2021 Return to Service Sailing

- *Celebrity Edge* is the first cruise ship sailing with guests from a US port in over 15 months, a momentous day for both Celebrity Cruises and the wider cruise industry. She will sail departing from Port Everglades, Fort Lauderdale, on a 7-night cruise visiting Costa Maya, Mexico; Cozumel, Mexico and Nassau, Bahama. She will then offer a summer of Caribbean journeys, also including seven-night itineraries in the Eastern Caribbean visiting St Thomas, St Maarten and Nassau.
- The last voyage for *Celebrity Edge* departed Fort Lauderdale on March 8, 2020. It was a history-making and barrier-breaking sailing for the cruise industry as it was the first cruise ship to ever be “manned” by an all-female team of officers on the Bridge and across the ship.
- The ship completed that cruise on Sunday, March 15, and hasn’t sailed with guests, again...until now....

About Health & Safety Measures for the June 26 Sailing

- *Celebrity Edge* was given the green light - and the honor - by the CDC to be the first ship back in the water, having met all new standards for providing a healthy and safe cruise experience for its guests and crew. Today’s sailing is the result of positive collaboration with the CDC, elected officials at the local, state and national levels and industry partners through the Cruise Line Industry Association (CLIA).
- Overview of new Health & Safety Measures:
 - **Vaccinated Sailings** – All Celebrity Cruises’ ships, meet the highest standards for providing a healthy cruise experience for its guests and crew, sailing with at least 95% of crew and guests being vaccinated. As of August 1, all guests ages 12 and over must be vaccinated.
 - **Reduced Capacity Sailings** – As part of Celebrity’s thoughtful and measured return to operations, all Celebrity ships will sail with reduced capacity to allow for natural social distancing.
 - **Appropriate Face Coverings** – Once onboard, and unless otherwise stipulated by local governments in the destinations being visited, masks will not be required of vaccinated guests in accordance with CDC guidance for sailings with vaccinated crew and guests. The CDC does still recommend that unvaccinated guests wear a mask at all times.



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- **Staggered Arrivals and Departures** – Terminal arrivals and departures will be staggered by appointment, with guests having the ability to select their preferred times based on travel plans.
 - **Contactless Transactions** – Celebrity’s digitally advanced mobile app transforms the decades-old large-group-gathering Muster safety drill into a new and personal **eMuster** experience that guests can complete on their mobile device or interactive stateroom TV. The app also expedites the boarding process; and allows guests to read menus and book dining reservations and shore excursions via their smartphone.
 - **Testing and Monitoring** – Wellness screenings have been implemented at boarding; onboard medical facilities have been enlarged and enhanced; and antigen and PCR testing capabilities are all offered onboard.
- For cruises departing from Florida, Celebrity remains committed to sailing with at least a 95% vaccinated ship. Unvaccinated guests will be subject to additional Covid testing and onboard protocols, including wearing masks at all times and enjoying designated areas in common spaces (restaurants, casino, theater) for their exclusive use.
 - In order to be considered a vaccinated guest, cruisers will need to share their vaccination card on boarding day and the document must show the individual is fully vaccinated, meaning the full cycle of required doses is completed and that the final dose was received at least 14 days before sailing.

Fun Facts

- *Celebrity Edge* was named “one of the world’s greatest places” by Time Magazine in 2019, and is widely regarded as the most innovative cruise ship on earth.
- *Celebrity Edge* was built in a way no other ship has ever been built before (3D) with interior design by a team who had never before designed a cruise ship.
- *Celebrity Edge* boasts the world’s first cantilevered venue at sea, the Magic Carpet, designed by renowned British architect Tom Wright from WKK Architects who also designed the famous Burj Al Arab hotel in Dubai.
- It also features two-level Edge Villas, designed by leading London-based interior designer Kelly Hoppen CBE, which include private plunge pools, personal butler service and access to The Retreat, a private oasis within the ship.
- Hoppen also took the lead on the new stateroom design including Infinite Verandas. These revolutionary rooms take the standard veranda stateroom and, with the touch of a button, the entire living space can become a veranda, letting guests walk right out to the water’s edge.