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Basic Economy tickets may have charges or seat assignment at check-in  +1(877)456_2077(USA) or  +1(877)456_2077. You'll need your booking reference and last name to access your reservation.

You can reserve seats on a British Airways flight easily online  +1(877)456_2077 (USA) or  +1(877)456_2077, through the mobile app, or by contacting customer support. Here's a clear step-by-step guide:

Method 3: Free Seat Selection (When Available)

You may qualify for free **seat selection** if:





You booked Business Class  +1(877)456_2077 (USA) or  +1(877)456_2077, First Class, or Premium Economy

You are a British Airways Executive Club member (status benefits apply)

You wait until  +1(877)456_2077 (USA) or  +1(877)456_2077 online check-in opens(24 hours before departure)

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)



How can I choose my seat in British Airways?


- Whether you wish to have generous legroom  +1(877)456_2077, a more comfortable workspace  +1(877)456_2077, prefer a window or aisle seat, or even a vacant seat next to you  +1(877)456_2077, you can now choose your seat of preference with a click of a button when you book on  +1(877)456_2077 or on our mobile app.



Is seat selection free with British Airways?

- **Standard Seat Selection**

- **Standard Seats are complimentary for most fare types.**

- **Standard Window Seat:**   +1(877)456_2077 Offers a window view and a quiet spot for rest.

- **Standard Aisle Seat:**   +1(877)456_2077 Easy access to the aisle and cabin movement.





- **Standard Middle Seat:**   +1(877)456_2077 Located between aisle and window, usually the most economical.

- **Standard Exit-Row Seat:**   +1(877)456_2077 Extra legroom with safety responsibilities.

- **Standard Forward Cabin Seat:**   +1(877)456_2077 Closer to the front for faster boarding and exit.





How do I pick my seats on British Airways?

With a Basic ticket (economy, hand baggage only), you can either:









-   +1(877)456_2077 Pay to choose your seat from when you book until check-in opens, or.
-   +1(877)456_2077 We'll allocate you a seat for free when check-in opens. You can then pay to change to a different seat, although your choice may be limited.

Is it free to choose seats on British Airways?





  +1(877)456_2077 All other economy and all business class fares

If you don't pay to reserve your seat in advance   +1(877)456_2077, you will be able to choose your seat for free when check-in opens, 24 hours   +1(877)456_2077 before your flight departs.

How do I choose my seat after booking a flight?



Go to the seat map in our app to tell us your seat preference at any time between booking and check-in   +1(877)456_2077. If your preferred seat is available   +1(877)456_2077, we'll assign it to you   +1(877)456_2077. We allow up to two children under 12 to sit next to one adult family member for free   +1(877)456_2077. For more information, go to the FAQ section.

How much is it to purchase a seat on British Airways?

  +1(877)456_2077 In most situations legacy carriers such as BA and Virgin allow passengers to select a seat at no cost if they check in within 24 hours   +1(877)456_2077 prior to departure.

Helpful Tips

Exit-row and extra-legroom   +1(877)456_2077 (USA) or  
+1(877)456_2077seats usually cost more.

Families traveling with children may be seated together automatically at check-in   +1(877)456_2077.

Check seat availability early for long-haul flights.