Visiting Glencairn Museum
I am going on a visit to Glencairn Museum. The Museum has art, objects, and galleries to learn about people, history, and religion.
Arriving at Glencairn

There are two large parking lots. I can get to the Museum from one parking lot by going up a long flight of stairs or a path with stairs. I can choose an alternative route from a different parking lot that has only paths.
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I can also choose the accessible parking in front of Glencairn’s main fountain which is about fifty yards from the building.
Entering Glencairn

When I get to the Museum, I will go to the front entrance that has two large glass doors with lion shaped door handles. Someone who works there will see me and open the door and greet me. I can choose from two entrances to enter the Museum. One has stairs and one has a ramp.
Once I am inside the Museum, I will stop at the visitor services desk. At the desk, I will pay for my ticket and ask the staff member at the desk any questions I have.

After I have visited the desk, I can go into the Museum.
Museum Staff

While I am in the Museum, I can ask anyone wearing a gold name badge or holding a radio any questions or if I need help. These people work at the Museum.

I can ask them about the building, the art and objects, for help with directions, and where the restroom is.
Protecting the Museum

When I am at Glencairn Museum, I will carefully move around the Museum and not touch the art and objects on display. This will keep me, other visitors, and the art and objects safe.
I can go on a tour of the Museum. I will go around the Museum to visit different galleries and learn from a tour guide.

The tour group will include people I know and people I don't know.
Tour Tips

During the tour, I will remember to stay near the group when exploring the Museum.

I can ask my tour guide questions about the art and objects on the tour.
Some of the rooms at the Museum are very, very big with ceilings that are far above my head. Other rooms are tiny with the walls close together. There are many objects to explore and discover in each room. I can decide which rooms I would like to go into and which rooms I would not like to go into.
The Tower

There is a tower in the Museum. The tower is very high off the ground. It is very safe. I can go outside onto the tower deck and look out.

I will listen to my tour guide's instructions to be careful near the edge and hold onto the railings if I need to.
There are lots of stairs in the Museum. If I am on a tour I might take the stairs up to the fifth floor and maybe down to the basement.
There is an elevator in the Museum. I can use the elevator if I want to. If I want to visit the tower, I have to use the elevator. The elevator is small, so my tour group might have to split up and take multiple trips. I might have to wait for my turn to take the elevator to the tower.
Quiet Spaces

If I need a break from the Museum, I can ask my tour guide or a staff member to show me a quiet area. I can get back to exploring the Museum whenever I am ready.
I am only allowed to eat or drink in the cafe seating area on the first floor. I can enjoy a snack or drink that I have brought with me or take a break from the Museum in the cafe area.
If I need to use the restroom while I am in the Museum, I can find the restrooms on the first floor.
I can visit the Museum Shop. It has many interesting things to look at and buy if I want to. The Museum Shop is small and may feel crowded with other people in it.
Outside the Museum, there are beautiful gardens. There may be flowers and trees in the spring and summertime. I can smell the flowers, walk across the grass, and sit by the fountains. In the fall there may be leaves on the ground and in the wintertime I can enjoy the snow and walk around the snowy garden.
I have finished my visit to Glencairn Museum. I may not have seen everything at the Museum, but I can come back another day to see more.
For further information, questions about exhibitions, programs, tours, or assistance in planning your visit, please contact
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