

UCD Festival

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Social Story

My experience at the UCD Festival



I am going to UCD to have fun at the UCD Festival.



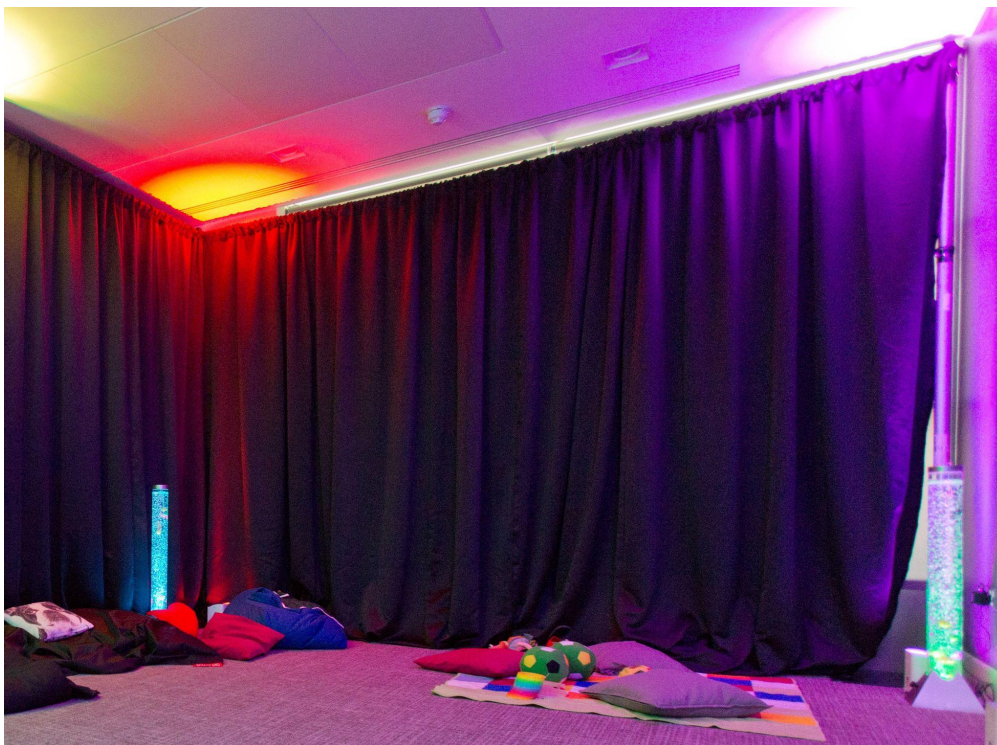
When I get there, there will be decorations like big flags. There will also be tents and benches.



There will be lots of people and noisy places.



There will be quiet places too.



There is a map of the Festival which will show me where the quiet/sensory spaces are and where the very loud places are.



Quiet/Sensory spaces have this symbol:



Very loud places have this symbol:



I can sing and dance to music on the stage.



There will be lots of fun things to do and see.
There will be science activities for me to do if I want to.



Some of the activities will be loud. If I get scared, I can tell my parents or the people I came with.



There will be a sensory bus where I can try different activities. There will be things I can touch, look at and play with.



If I want to, I can get my face painted.



There will be people wearing costumes



There will be food to buy...



Or I can bring food from home.



If I need help, I will talk to a volunteer. They will be wearing t-shirts that say “Event Crew.”



Some volunteers will also have a sticker on their tee shirt that looks like this. They will be extra helpful for people with sensory needs.

