



## A visit to LEGOLAND® Discovery Centre Manchester



# The Social Story



A visual resource for people with Autism Spectrum Condition visiting LEGOLAND® Discovery Centre in Manchester. This resource is intended to help prepare visitors for a new experience and to help them to become familiar with the surroundings.

\_\_\_\_\_ is going to LEGOLAND® Discovery Centre with \_\_\_\_\_

- LEGOLAND® Discovery Centre is at Trafford Palazzo. This is what it looks like when you arrive.



- And here is the entrance.



- Here is where you show or buy your tickets. There might be a queue of people here sometimes.



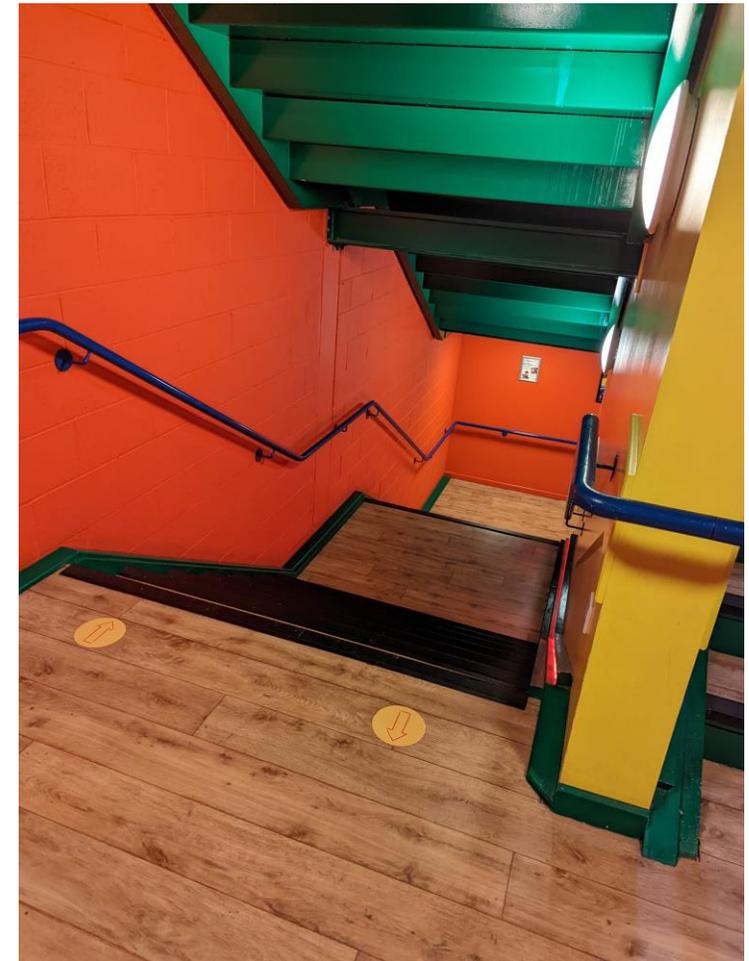
- Walk down this way



- If you like, you can have a photo taken on this green screen but it's okay if you don't want to! You can just carry on walking past instead.



- You can then choose to go in the lift or up the stairs. What would you like to do?



- It's time to learn how LEGO® is made!



- This bit is called The Factory. You will get to see how all the machines work to make LEGO! Some of the machines make some noise and some of the machines have flashing lights.



- After the Factory, you will see a ride called Kingdom Quest. This part is a little dark and sometimes has a queue, so it is okay to walk past this if you don't want to go on the ride.



- You will walk through MINILAND. This is where our very clever Master Model Builders have made little buildings. Can you see Blackpool Tower? The lights in here can go dark and light sometimes to show the city at night and day.



- After you've enjoyed MINILAND you will see a big room with lots of fun things to see and play with. Here are some ideas of what you will see and do.



- Here is our VR experience ride! Here you can wear a headset and watch an amazing LEGO race while the seats move. It feels like you're really there! This ride is £6 extra and sometimes has a little queue, so it is okay to walk past if you don't want a go.



- You can make whatever you like out of LEGO! Play at the brick pits or sit at a table and the staff will help you (if you want them to).



- Here is our 4D cinema! You can watch some of our LEGO films here. It can be quite dark and there are some effects during the film, such as water and snow! Sometimes there is also a little queue before the film. It is okay to walk past the cinema if you do not want to see the film.



- There are lots of places to play in this big room. Here is our Under 5s Police Chase area, where you can drive a car around the track. Sometimes there will be a noise when you drive near something, like a bridge or a dog!



- There is also another ride, Merlin's Apprentice. This is where you can pedal and fly with our wizard. Sometimes there is a queue of people here and it can be a little dark on the ride. You can walk past this if you would not like to have a go.



- There is a café and seating areas if you would like to eat while you're here. There are ham or cheese sandwiches or a hamburger, with juice, crisps and yoghurt or jelly choices too. You can also bring something from home to eat if you prefer.



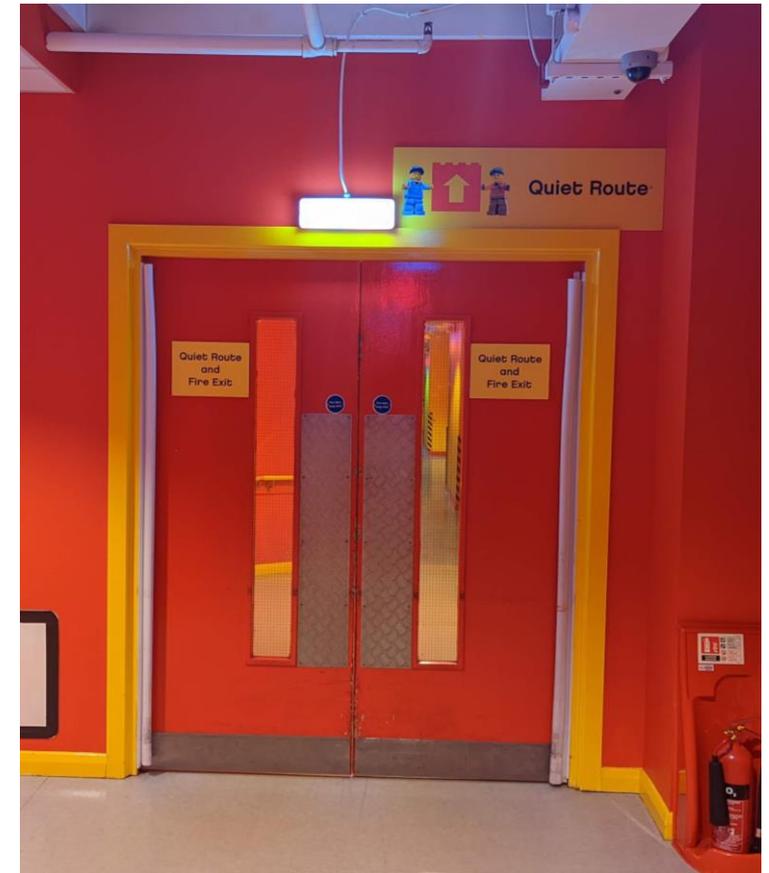
- You can find the toilets down this corridor here!



- Follow the road on the floor to get to the Space Mission room. This road also takes you towards the exit.



- When it is time to leave, you will walk to the exit.
- This is the Rave Cave. It is one of the things you will see on your way to the exit. There is loud music in here and sometimes there might be a LEGO character. It is also very dark in here. If you don't want to walk through here, ask a member of staff to show you to the quiet route instead.



- Before you go, there's lots of LEGO to look at near the exit. There are also some big LEGO models to see!





We are all looking  
forward to seeing  
you soon!  
Enjoy your visit!