Going to Oklahoma State Fair

Sensory-Friendly Time









I am going to the Oklahoma State Fair.











The Fair is a large event that happens every year.

There are a lot of things to see, do, and eat at the Fair.





There will be a lot of people at the Fair. I will stay with my family and friends.







I may have to wait in lines at the Fair. This is okay. I will stay with my group until it is our turn.







When I get to the Fair, I need to enter through one of the gates. A worker will check my ticket and the security guard might ask to check my bag or see what is in my pockets.





I will see lots of bright, colorful, moving things at the Fair. I will watch for carts while crossing roads and for places where I might trip. I can wear sunglasses if it is too bright out.

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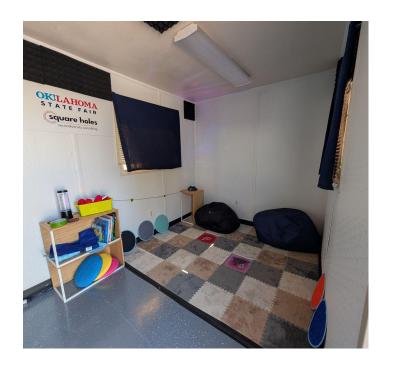


I will hear lots of noises at the Fair. Some noises may be loud or unexpected. I can wear headphones or earplugs while I am at the Fair to help make noises quieter.



The Fair has a lot of smells. Some smells may be things I like and some may be things I don't like. If it is too smelly, I can walk with my group to a different activity.

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If I need to take a break, I can go to one of the Calming Spaces. The Calming Spaces are a quiet area where I can recharge and relax.

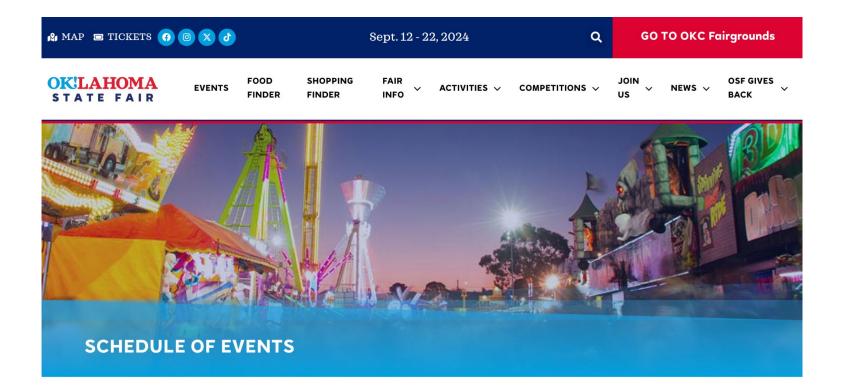






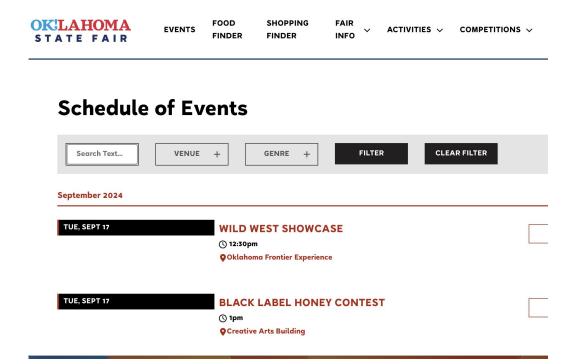


There are three Calming Spaces, one in the Arts Annex building, one at Momentum Refresh on The Circle, and the other in a trailer between Barn 4 and the Oklahoma Expo Hall.



I can make a plan for my day at the Fair with my group before we arrive by looking at the options on the Oklahoma State Fair website.







When I get to the Fair I can look at the schedule of events and the Fair map to decide what to do while I am there.







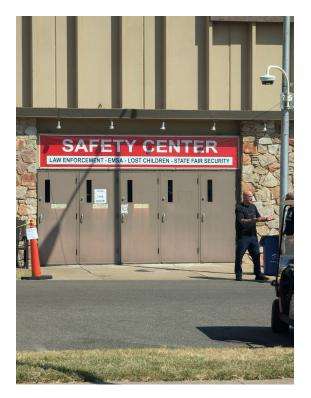
If I need help finding something at the Fair I can use the map or I can ask one of the helpful workers. There are 4 InFAIRmation booths that are marked on the map with a purple square.



Helpful accessibility features of the fair are marked with a yellow square on the Fair map. You can find calming spaces, rest areas, wheelchair and scooter rentals, and the Momentum Refresh accessible restroom.

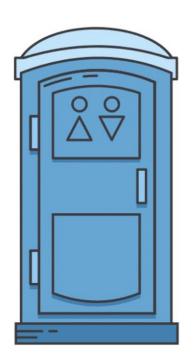






If I get separated from my group, I can ask any worker or volunteer for help. They will help find my group and bring us all to a safe space to meet up again.

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If I need to use the restroom, there are many locations to choose from across the fairgrounds. There is a fully accessible family restroom on "The Circle." Restrooms are marked on my map with a black square and an "R."















There are a lot of things to do and try at the Fair. There are shows I can watch, activities I can try, art I can see, animals I can pet, rides I can ride, and foods that I can eat!







I can learn about farms and animals in Oklahoma and I can meet and pet some of the animals. After I visit the animals at the Fair, I will wash or sanitize my hands.



I can buy and try lots of different foods while I am at the Fair. I may have to wait for my turn in line at the food vendor.







There are lots of rides and games that I can try. Some rides are fast or spin around. Some rides may have loud music and flashing lights. I can wear headphones or sunglasses if it makes me more comfortable.



When it is time to leave, I will make sure I am with my group and leave through the gate I entered. I can come back to the Fair next year to enjoy the rides, activities, and food again.

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