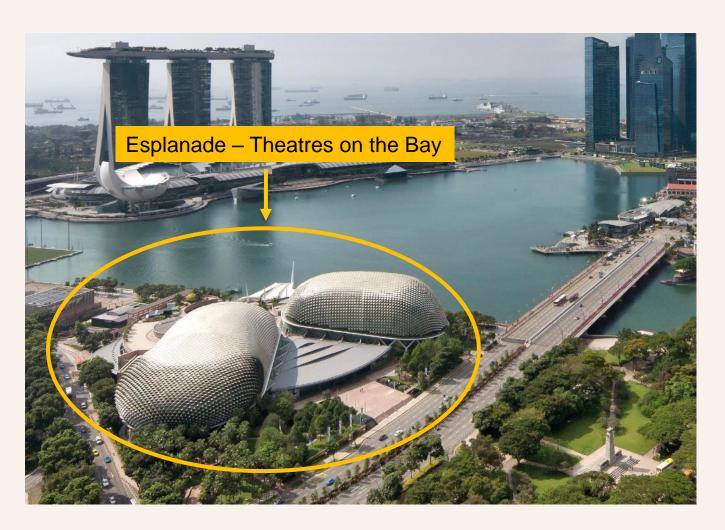


PLAYtime!

Pre-visit guide: For Educators







Going to Esplanade

I am going to

Esplanade – Theatres on
the Bay. This is what
Esplanade looks like.

I will be watching a show called *Together*.



Ticket

Before I can watch the performance, I must buy a ticket. My grown up will be buying the ticket.

A ticket tells me where, when and what time the performance is taking place.

This is what an e-ticket looks like.

Getting into Esplanade



Arrival

When I arrive at Esplanade, the bus will drop me off at Esplanade Mall Driveway.

Friends from Esplanade will greet me.

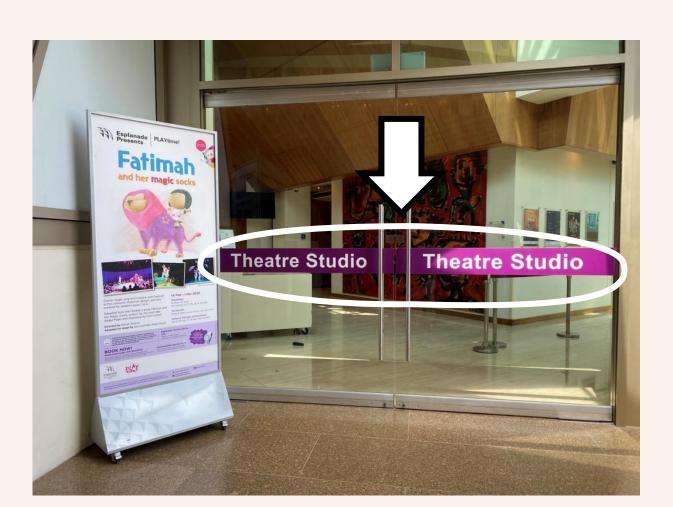
They will have blue aprons on.



Friends from Esplanade

If I need any help during my visit, I can look for a friend in a blue apron.

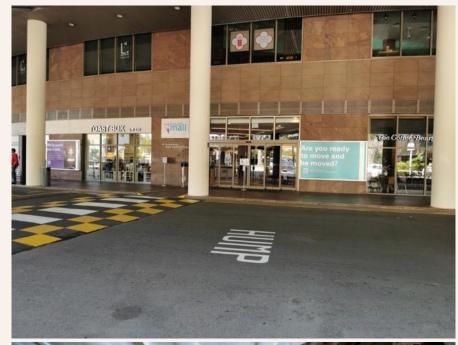
I can ask any of them for help.



Theatre Studio

The show will take place at Theatre Studio.

The Theatre Studio is at Level 4.



Getting to Theatre Studio

I can get to the Theatre Studio from the Esplanade Mall Driveway.



I can also get to Theatre Studio from the Esplanade Basement Tunnel.

How to get to Theatre Studio From Esplanade Mall





Getting to Theatre Studio

This is how I get to Theatre Studio from Esplanade Mall. From the driveway, I can enter the Esplanade Mall through the glass doors.

There are lifts on the right.





Getting to Theatre Studio

The Theatre Studio is at Level 4.

I can take the lift from Level 1 to Level 4.

Once I reach Level 4, Theatre Studio is right at the end! I have arrived at my destination.

Before going into Theatre Studio



Toilets

Before I go in to watch the show, I can go to the toilet.

To get to the toilet, I will go up the stairs and turn left.

I can also go to the toilet during the show.



Toilets

These toilets are for children like me. They are located opposite PIP's PLAYbox.

If an adult wants to use the toilet, they can use the toilet nearby.



Hand dryer

In the toilet, there is a hand dryer.

It makes a loud noise when someone uses it.

The noise will stop after a while.

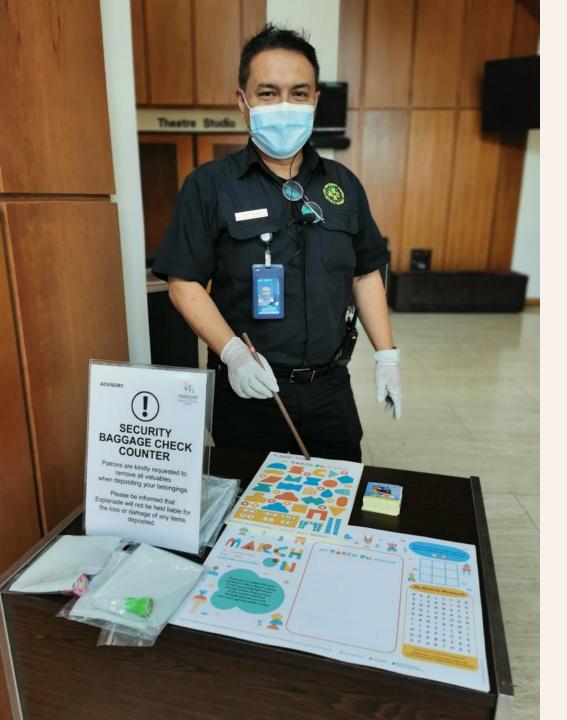


Ushers

Before I go into the Theatre Studio, ushers will greet me at the door.

Ushers are dressed in blue and will have masks on.

They will check my ticket.



Bag check

If I have a bag, a security officer will check my bag.

Inside Theatre Studio



The theatre

This is the theatre.

A theatre is a room where a show takes place.

The theatre will be a little dark. Some lights will be turned on to help me see.



Where to sit

When I am in the theatre, an usher will show me where to sit.

I can sit on the floor, cushions or ask an usher for a chair.



Moving about

If I want to move or dance on the spot during the show, that is okay.

If I need to go to the toilet during the show, that is okay. An adult or an usher can show me the way to the toilet.



Calming Hut

This is the calming hut.

If I want to look for a quieter place in the theatre, I can go to the calming hut.

I can go back to my seat when I am ready.



Calming Space

Sometimes, I want to leave the theatre when the show is happening and look for a quiet place. That is okay too. I can go out to the calming space.

This is the calming space. It is outside the theatre.

I can go back into the theatre anytime when I feel ready.



Ear Protector

This is an ear protector.

If it gets too loud, I can ask an usher for a set. If I have my own ear protector, I can use it too.

Wearing it over my ears will help make the sound softer so that I can continue to enjoy the show.

Characters in Together



Actor

An actor is someone who acts.

An actor plays a role and pretends to be a character in the show. They can sometimes play more than one character.

I will see these actors in the show.



Actor 1 – Rebecca

This is Rebecca.

She plays a character named Mei Mei.

Mei Mei loves penguins and mermaids. She loves playing games and is afraid of the dark and cockroaches.



Actor 2 – Irsyad

This is Irsyad.

He plays a character named Gor Gor.

Gor Gor loves robots and is fascinated by outer space. He enjoys playing with Mei Mei but dislikes it when she disturbs his iPad time.



This is Elizabeth.

She plays the role of Ma.

Ma is Mei Mei and Gor Gor's mother. She is very busy with work but wishes she could spend more time playing with Meimei and Gorgor.



You will also see Elizabeth act as Astronaut, Pink Penguin and Giant Glow Fish.

They are friends Mei Mei and Gor Gor meet when they go on adventures together.

This is Elizabeth as Astronaut. Astronaut is lost in Space World and needs help to get home.



This is Elizabeth as Pink Penguin. Pink Penguin needs Mei Mei and Gor Gor's help with the Egglings.



This is Elizabeth as Giant Glow Fish. Giant Glow Fish lives in the Ocean with Little Glow Fish and Mermaids.



Actor 4 – Genevieve

This is Genevieve.

She plays the role of Mr. Cockroach.

Mr. Cockroach is a mysterious character that seems to have the power to bring Mei Mei and Gor Gor through doors to magical worlds.



Actor 4 – Genevieve

You will also see Genevieve acting as the Egglings and Little Glow Fishes.

The Egglings and Little Glow Fishes are children of Pink Penguin and Big Glow Fish. They always appear in pairs—just like Mei Mei and Gor Gor!

This is Genevieve acting as the Egglings.



Actor 4 – Genevieve

This is Genevieve playing the Little Glow Fishes.

What I can expect to see in Together



Doors

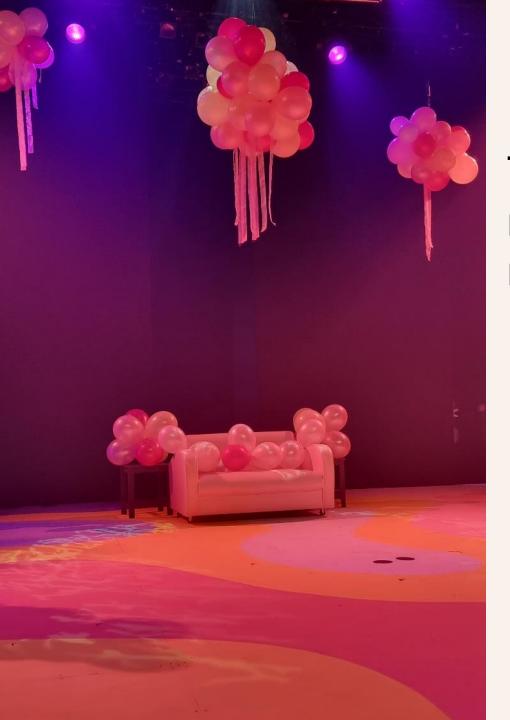
Mei Mei and Gor Gor go through doors to travel to different worlds using their imagination.

These doors can move around the space and light up in different colours.



Mei Mei and Gor Gor travel to different worlds during the show.

This is Space World where they meet Astronaut. It is made up of five different planets created from paper lanterns.



This is Penguin Poopoo land where they meet Penguin and the Egglings. It is made up of balloons.



This is Robot land which also looks like a storeroom. This is where they meet Robot 5512.



This is the Ocean. This is where they meet Big Glow Fish and Little Glow Fishes. The Ocean is made up of umbrellas.

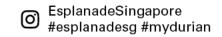






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