



We are going to Walton Arts Center
to **see a show!**



WALTON ARTS CENTER



Walton Arts Center is on **Dickson Street in Fayetteville, AR**. We can get there by walking, by bus, or by car.



We will enter the doors on West Avenue, by **Starr Theater**. There are metal detectors we walk through as we enter the building to help keep everyone safe.



When we enter the building, an **usher** will greet us and lead us into the Walker atrium or directly to our seats. We will see other school groups who are also attending the show.



There are two main theaters in Walton Arts Center. We may see a show in the black box **Starr Theater**, or we may see a show in **Baum Walker Hall**. Baum Walker Hall is bigger – we may be seated on the main level, or we may be led upstairs to the balcony.



The ushers will tell us where to sit for the best view.



There are **restrooms** we can use at Walton Arts Center. It's important to try and use the restroom BEFORE the performance so we don't miss any of the show.



When the show is about to begin, a friend will come onstage and give a **short speech**. It is important to listen for information about the show and safety instructions.



When it is time for the show to start, the **lights will dim**, and everyone will get **quiet** so we can hear the performers.



Some parts of the show are funny, and we can laugh. Some parts of the show may get a little loud, or the costumes and makeup may look strange. We will remember that **nothing on the stage can hurt us** – it's all pretend.



If anyone gets nervous or scared, they can close their eyes, wear headphones, or talk to a grown up. **If someone needs a break**, a grown up can take them to the lobby or the quiet sensory space.



After the end of the performance, we will be instructed **how to leave the theater by an usher**. It's important to pay attention to them and our teacher so we leave the theater safely.



We may stay after the performance to **eat lunch**, or we may walk to our buses or cars and **return to school**. We may talk with our friends and teachers about the performance.



After our field trip, we will remember to **thank our teachers and principals** for this experience. Field trips to Walton Arts Center are so much fun!