

There are lots of things to see and do.

I will stay with my group. We are all visiting Slimbridge together.

It is exciting to go to Slimbridge.





I will arrive at Slimbridge in the car park.

I will need to go up the welcome ramp to get to the entrance.

I may need to wait in a queue until it is my turn to go in. Waiting patiently helps to make everyone feel happy.





The Slimbridge staff and volunteers wear blue uniforms. I can ask them questions about Slimbridge and the animals who live there. Other visitors may want to ask questions too.

I will wait my turn to ask my question. This will make everyone happy.





If I need to go to the toilet, I can ask my group or family to take me so that they know where I am. This will keep me safe.

There are lots of toilets around Slimbridge. In the car park, visitor centre, at the Living Wetland Theatre and canoes.





I can buy food and drinks from the Kingfisher Kitchen or kiosks if I get hungry or thirsty.





I don't have to buy food from Slimbridge. I can eat food that I have brought with me and have a picnic.





I may feed the birds at Swan Lake. A member of the Slimbridge team will tell me if I can feed the birds and will give me special food.

If I don't want to feed the birds, that is OK. I can watch other people feed them instead.





I may go on a canoe safari. A Slimbridge team member will ask me to wear a life jacket. This will keep me safe.

The boat may rock a little but that is OK. The Slimbridge team will help me to get in and out of the boat.





I may visit the Living Wetland Theatre. There may be a bird flying near me but I am safe sat with my group. A Slimbridge team member may use a microphone to tell me all about the animals. It will be a little loud but if I don't like it I know I can ask my group if we can leave.





I may visit the bird hides to look at wild animals. Some animals do not like loud noises. I will try to be quiet.

This will make the animals feel safe and help everyone to enjoy the wildlife.





Some places will be loud. There may be lots of people talking and some animals make loud noises. This is OK, it is how the animals talk to each other. I know I can ask to go to a quiet place like the Garden of Reflection or the Rain Garden.





Sometimes the animals may be sleeping or hiding. I will try not to be sad or frustrated. I can come back another time to see them. There are lots of other animals to see.





Some of the animals will come close to me.

I might feel scared but I know I am safe with my group.

It is OK to ask to move away from something I do not like.





Before I leave, I may visit the shop. It might be busy in the shop. I can ask to walk straight to the exit. It is OK if I do not buy anything from the shop.





When it is time to leave, I will get my things and say goodbye. I will exit by walking through the shop or through the side gate.

