

# This is a social story guide about TGHANNIQA XEWKIJA.



This is a social story guide to attending sensory friendly performances during ŻiguŻajg.

The guide is intended to help prepare you for a new experience and help you to become familiar with the surroundings and the performance.

## Welcome to the Spazju Kreattiv!

- This is what the building looks like from the outside.



This is the main entrance for the show.

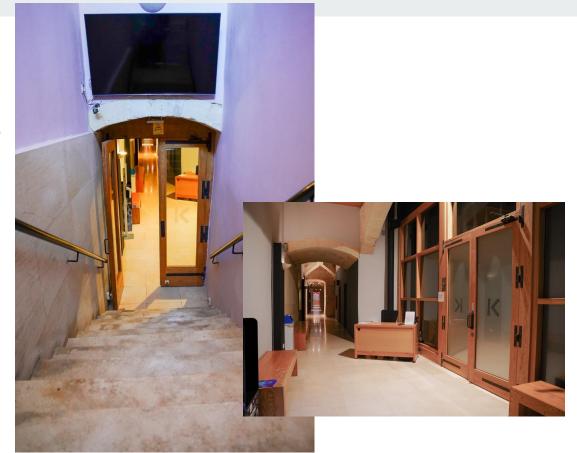
Your show is in Studio A.



- As soon as you go in, you will find some steps to go down.

This is the foyer area. You will see a small desk.

There may be other adults and children waiting for the performance to begin.



You will be met by our assistants.

- The assistants will be wearing a t-shirt like this picture.

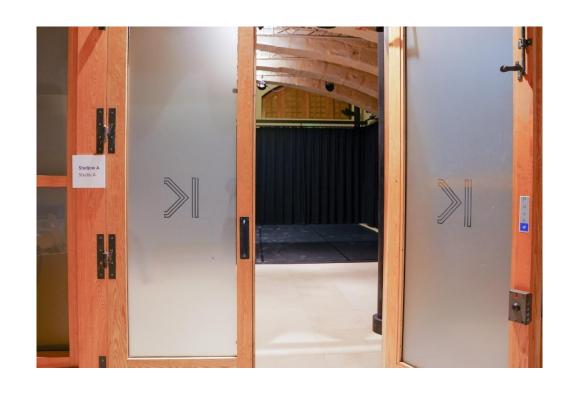


- You can ask an assistant if you have any questions and they will do their best to help you.
- When it's time for the show to start, the assistants will guide you to the theatre.



This is the door that leads to the Studio A.

You go through this door before the performance starts.



Inside Studio A it may be a little bit dark but not too dark.

There will be seats and/or cushions for you to sit down.

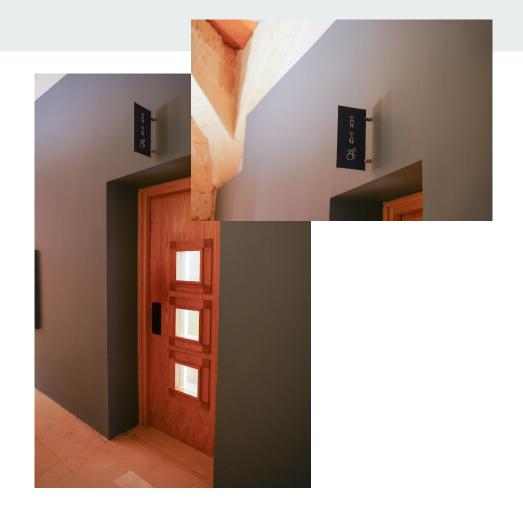
There will also be a theatre set installed.



This is the door to the restrooms.

If you need to use the restrooms, please go out of Studio A and turn to your right.

Walk past the foyer desk and look for the sign above.



This is what the restrooms look like from inside.



There will be an area for you if you need a break during the performances. It will have chairs and colourful bean bags. You can use the area during the performance. You can come back to the show whenever you are ready.



#### What will happen during the show:

- You will hear a person make an announcement that the performance is about to begin.
- This is the start of the show.
- During the show you might find something funny, you can laugh if you like.
- During the show you might see or hear something that makes you feel sad. You can feel sad if you like, that's okay.

#### What will happen during the show:

- You might hear other people in the audience cheer, clap, shout out or scream. You can join in if you like.
- During the show you might feel that you need to take some time out. You can leave the performing space and go to the space for breaks.
- You can return to the show when you feel ready.
- At the end of the show the actors will come out and take a bow. This is the last part of the show.

#### What will happen during the show:

- You can clap if you want to.
- The actors will exit the stage.
- This is the end of the show.
- You can now leave the premises. You can take the same route you took when coming in.

### Here is what Tgħanniqa Xewkija will look like.



