

Kennedy Center Pre-Visit Story: Studio K

Red bus

If I take the metro train, I will take a long escalator to the street. ~~red bus~~ will take my family and me to the Kennedy Center.

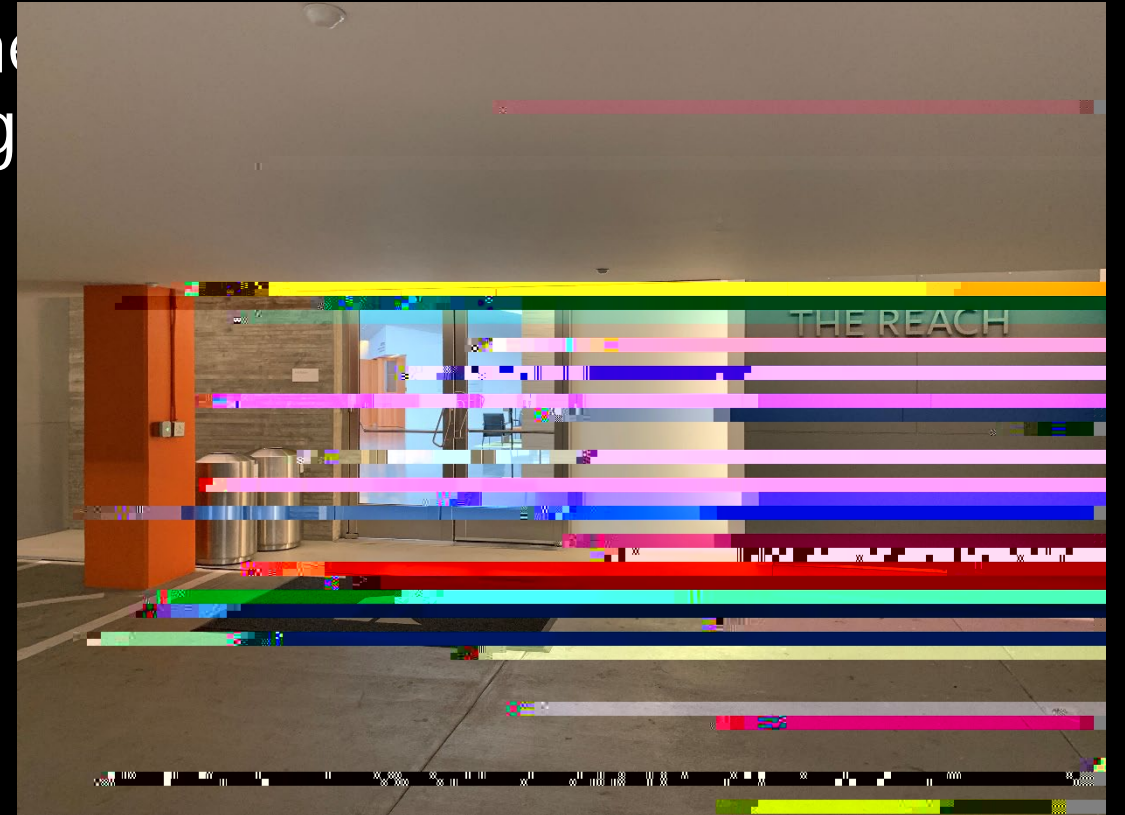
I may have to wait for the red bus to pick me up.

People I don't know will get on the bus with my family and me.

The bus will take us to the Kennedy Center for the show. We will get off at

Park the car

If we take a car, we will park the car in the parking lot, then walk to the REACH building entrance.



Entry

The entry lobby of the Kennedy Center REACH building is big. It is

Elevator or Steps

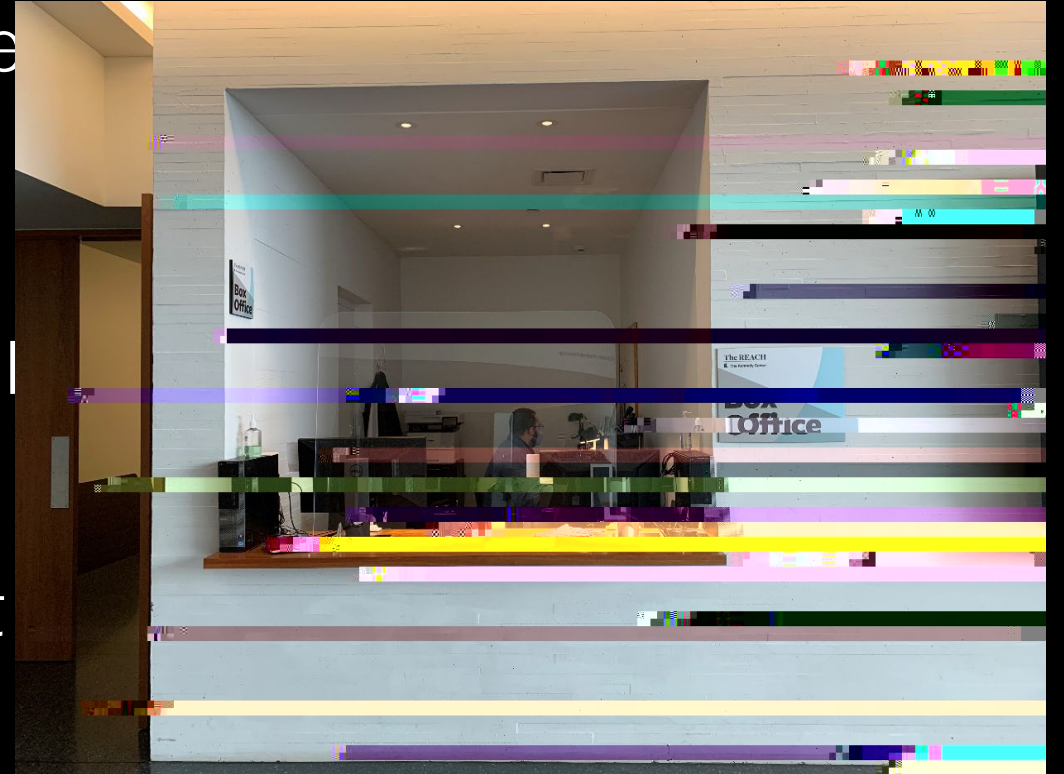
The REACH has elevators and

Box Office

Before we go to the theater, we may have to pick up our tickets the show.

We will go to a place called the Box Office to get tickets.

Every person must have a ticket to get into the theater.

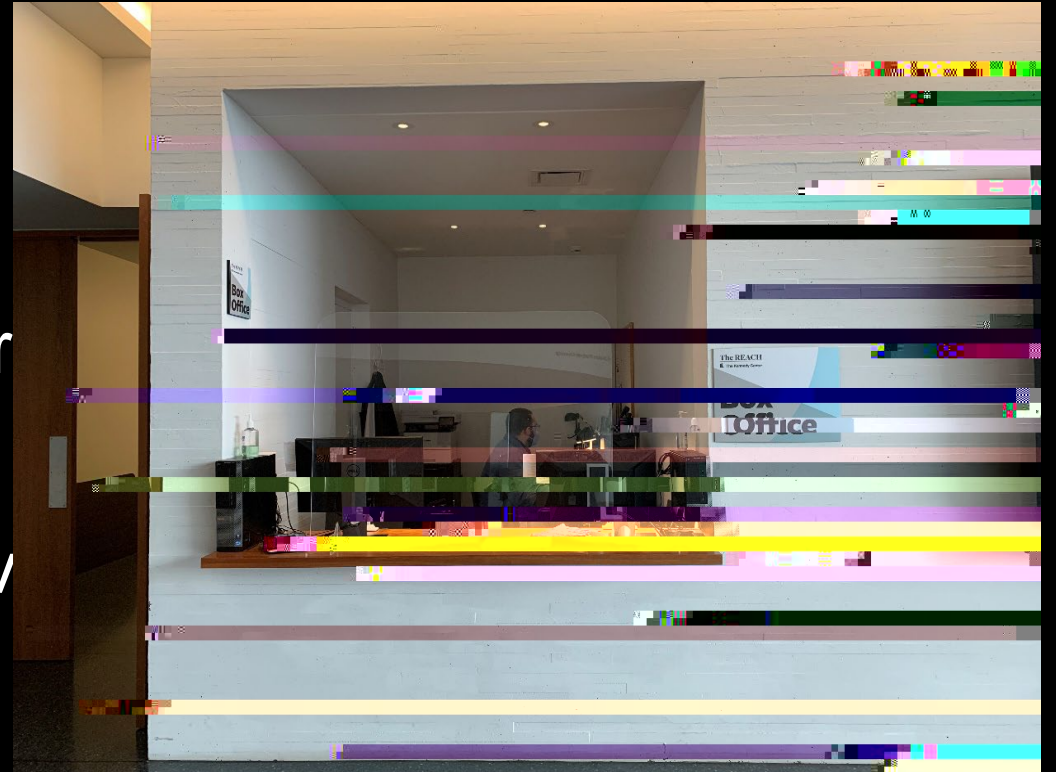


Box Office Window

The box office is a desk with a person on the other side.

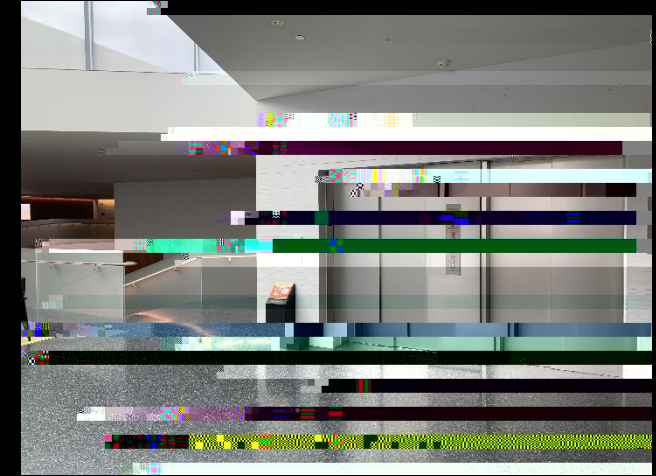
We will tell the person behind the desk our name and the show we are going to.

The person behind the desk will give us tickets for the show.



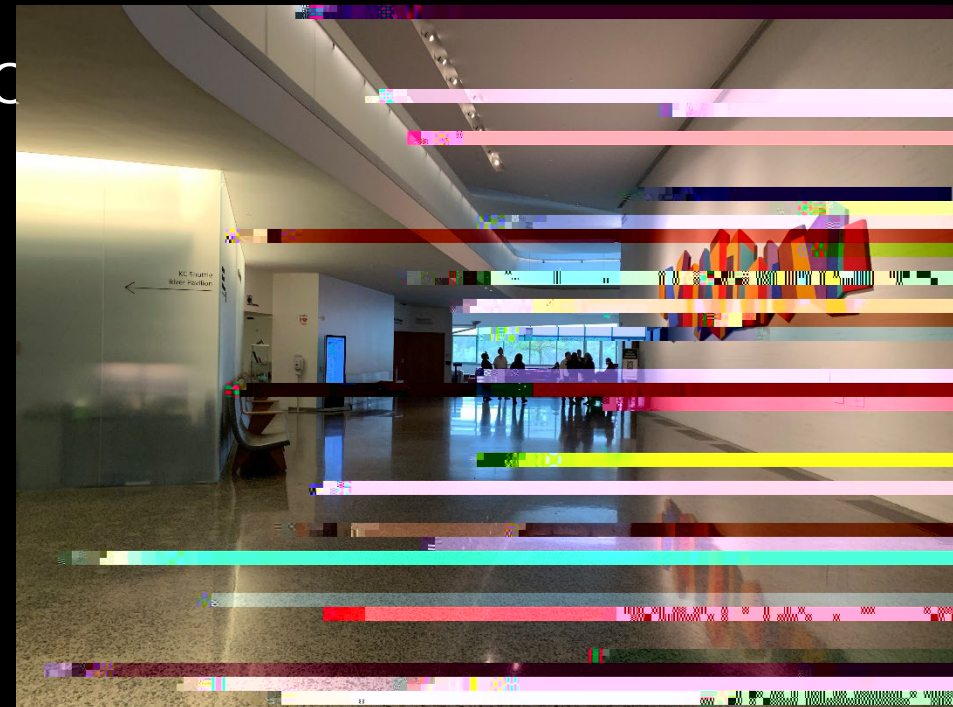
Lobby

I can walk downstairs or take an elevator to get to the entrance of the theater on level B.



I will walk through an open space called the Peace Core Gallery.

People may be standing around before entering the theater.



Ticket Machine

The theater usher will take the ticket to scan with a machine that beeps.

After the beeping sound, my father and I can go into the theater.



Theater Ushers

The theater usher is a friendly helper.

I can ask the theater usher for help.
The theater usher can help me find a seat.



My seat

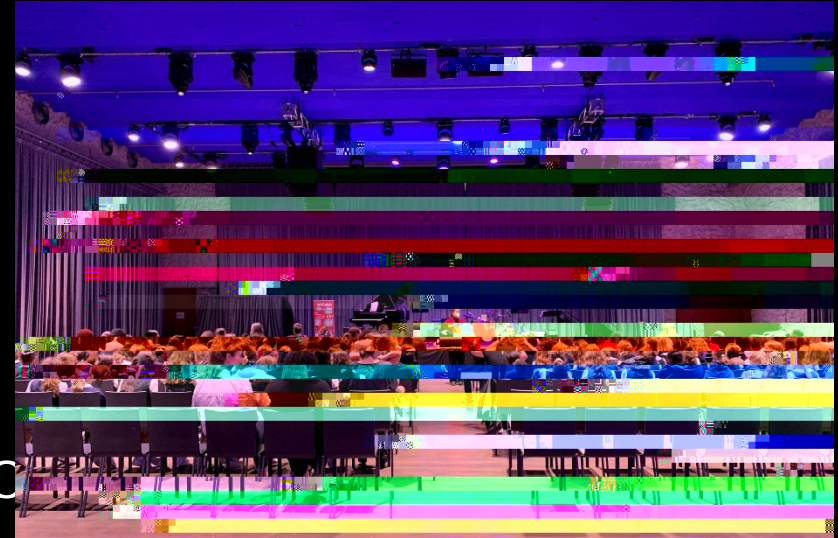
At this performance, all of the seats are set up in rows on the floor.

Some of the seats may be reserved for specific people. Reserved seats will have a sign on them.

The seating is general admission which means my family and I can choose where to sit.

We can choose any open seats.

This is where I will sit for the show.



Sitting

I will always be sitting next to my family or friends.

I might have my family on one side of me and

Bathroom

I will let my family member know if I have to go to the bathroom.

I can go to the bathroom any time I need to.

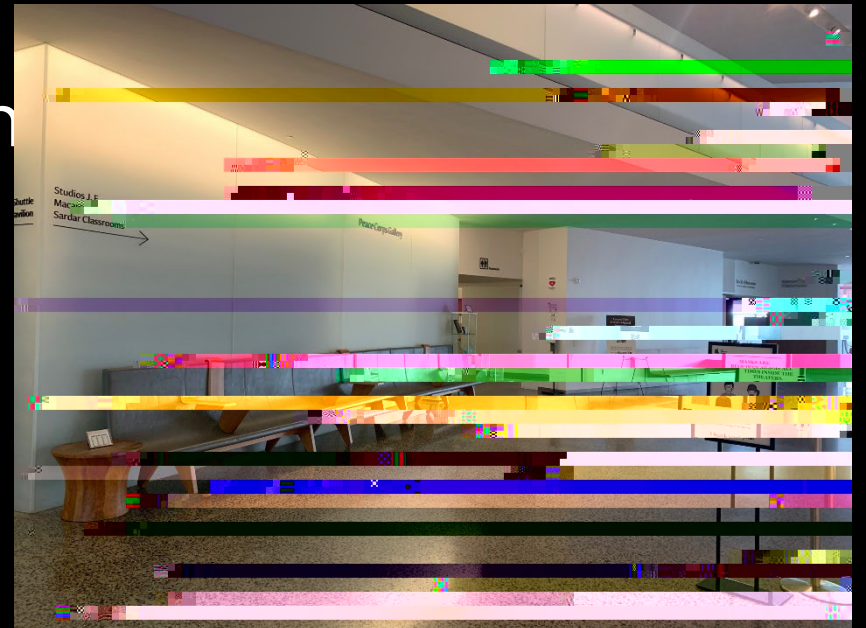
The toilet will flush when I stand up.

Quiet Space

I will tell my family member if I want some quiet time.

I can leave the show and go to the quiet space.

I can sit on a bench or on the couch or walk around the quiet space.



Clapping

The show ends when the performers bow.

If I like the show, I can clap when the show ends.

Other people will clap.

I can cover my ears if the clapping noise is too loud.

People clap only for a short time then the clapping is over.



Leaving

All the people will leave the theater
at the same time.