

Visual Story

Visiting the 'Don't Touch the Art!' Exhibition at
Contemporary Art Spaces
Mandurah (CASM)





About this visual story

This visual story will help me prepare for a visit to the “**Don’t Touch the Art! Just kidding...you can touch it**” exhibition at Contemporary Art Spaces Mandurah (CASM).

It explains what I will see, hear and experience in simple steps so I can feel prepared and comfortable.



Before I arrive

I am going to an exhibition at CASM.

The exhibition is called: **“Don’t Touch the Art! Just kidding...you can touch it”**.

I will be invited to touch and interact with the artworks.

I may want to bring:

- Comfortable shoes
- Water bottle
- Sensory tools (like headphones or a fidget item)
- A friend or support person



Arriving at CASM

When I arrive, I will look for the entrance to the gallery. It is directly in front of the carpark.

Outside, I may see:

- CASM signs and flags
- Other people arriving and leaving
- Cars and outdoor noise

I can take my time when I arrive.



Entering CASM

When I enter CASM:

- A staff member will greet me
- They wear a name badge
- They can help me if I have any questions

I can move through the gallery at my own pace.



Moving through CASM

As I move through the gallery, I may notice a carpeted floor.

The carpet can help me:

- Reduce noise from footsteps
- Feel more comfortable to walk on
- Guide me through the gallery space

I can also:

- Take my shoes off to feel the carpet on my feet
- Sit on the carpet while I look at the art

Toilets

There are toilet facilities at CASM that are accessible.

- 1 x universally accessible unisex toilet
- 1 x accessible female toilet
- 1 x accessible male toilet





Experiencing the Artworks

Each artwork in the exhibition is different.

Some artworks I may:

- Be invited to touch
- Take part in making or changing the artwork
- Explore using touch pads placed nearby
- Walk through or move around
- Interact with it in different ways



Audio Descriptions

Next to each artwork, I will see a QR code.

When I scan the QR code using my phone, I can access:

- An audio description of the artwork
- Information about what I am seeing
- Details about materials, ideas and meaning
- Information about how I can interact with the artwork



What the space might feel like

This exhibition is designed for touch, movement and sound.

I may experience:

- Different textures through touchable artworks and touch pads
- The softness of the carpeted floor
- The option to sit or rest on the carpet while I look at or interact with the art
- I can choose to take my shoes off in some areas
- Sounds from other visitors in the gallery



Support and Accessibility

I will have access to:

- ACROD Parking directly in front of the gallery entrance
- There are also other ACROD parking bays at the Mandurah Performing Arts Centre nearby
- A wheelchair ramp to access the gallery
- Friendly staff and volunteers
- QR Codes with audio descriptions for all artworks
- Touch-based access points for the artworks
- Carpeted flooring to support comfort, reduce noise, and help guide me through the space
- Opportunities to sit or rest on the floor



I am ready

I am now ready to enjoy my visit to CASM!

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Event: [Exhibition Opening - DON'T TOUCH THE ART! \(Just kidding... you can touch it\) - City of Mandurah](#)

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