

## GOING TO A WINNIE-THE-POOH CHRISTMAS TAIL



On Saturday, December 14, I am going to see a play at the Columbus Performing Arts Center.

The play is called "A Winnie the Pooh Christmas Tail". People will act out the story on a big stage. The play might be a little different from a story in a book or on TV, but watching it should be fun. I am excited to see the play.

If we don't already have tickets, we might have to stand in line to buy them at the ticket desk.



If I need to use the restroom, there is one near the ticket desk.



Before the play begins, we will get in line to go into the theater door. Someone will take our tickets and give us a program. The program will tell us about the play and the people in it. The line may seem long, but it will move quickly.

We will walk into the theater and choose our seats. It will be a little dark in the theater. If I wait a minute, my eyes will get used to the dark.



When it is time for the play to start, the lights will be dimmed so we can see the stage better. Someone will make some announcements before the play begins.

They will tell us what the signal will be if anything in the play will be loud or surprising, so I don't need to worry that I will be surprised during the play.

I should try to sit quietly because I don't want to miss anything the actors say.



If I need to move a little bit, I will walk up and down the aisle near my seat or quietly go to the lobby for a few minutes. When I am ready, we can go back to watch the rest of the play.

If mom or dad says it is OK, we can buy a snack or a drink. People are allowed to eat and drink in the theater.

At the end of the play, we will clap for the actors. I can cover my ears if it is too loud. It might be crowded as everyone tries to leave the theater. I can wait in my seat until it is not so crowded and noisy.

The actors will be outside of the theater. I can go up to them and shake their hands. I can say, "I liked the play," or "good job!" I can also ask them to sign my program.

There are lots of different plays. It is fun to see a play!

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