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**Pre-Visit Stories**

***Butterflies!* Exhibit**

LEVEL 1



# waiting in line

Sometimes, I have to wait in line to go into the butterfly room.



# curtain

When I walk into the butterfly room, I will walk through hanging plastic curtains.

The curtains help keep the butterflies in the room.

The plastic curtains will touch me when I walk through them.



# flying butterflies

Butterflies will fly around the room. I cannot reach out and touch the butterflies, plants, and food. I can only look at the butterflies, plants, and food.

If I am quiet and stand still, a butterfly may land on me!

It is okay for a butterfly to land on me, but I cannot touch the butterfly with my hands.



# hot and stinky

Inside the butterfly room, it is hot to keep the butterflies warm.

Inside the butterfly room, the food for the butterflies might smell. I can cover my nose if I don't like the smell.



# noisy

The butterfly room may have many people and may be noisy. I can cover my ears if the noise is loud.

If I need my own space, I will ask my mom or dad for a break.

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