



BROWARD CENTER
FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

SOCIAL NARRATIVE

A guide to preparing new audiences for a memorable sensory-inclusive live theater experience



**SENSORY
INCLUSIVE**

My visit to the Broward Center

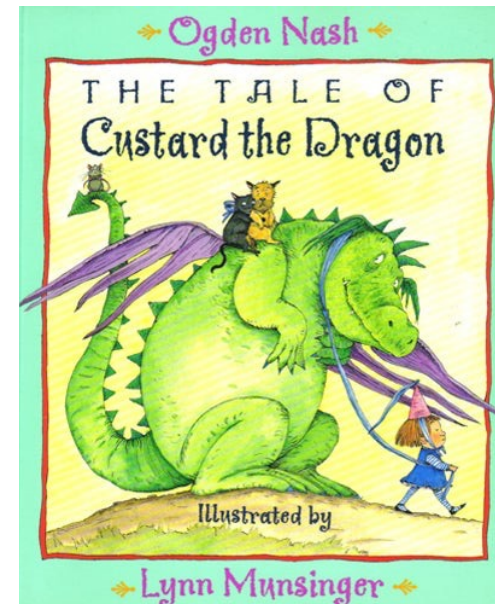


SENSORY-INCLUSIVE: THE TALE OF CUSTARD THE DRAGON

1. Face coverings are welcome but not required
2. Tickets are available at the Broward Center website for only \$10.00. Click here to purchase your tickets! [The Tale of Custard The Dragon: A Sensory-Inclusive Performance | Broward Center for the Performing Arts](#)
3. Performance will last approximately 1-hour in length with no intermission
4. There will be a 30-minute Post-Show Meet & Greet with the cast

APPROXIMATE PERFORMANCE TIMELINE

Pre-Show Activity: Photo op with Princess Reads-a-Lot	10:30 AM – 11:00 AM
Performance	11:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Post Show Meet & Greet	12:00 PM – 12:30 PM



I may travel to the Broward Center by car or bus. My family, caregiver or chaperone will help me get there. I may get dropped off or drive to the Broward Center for the event. If I drive by car, I can park in the A&E Garage right next to the Broward Center. Then I will walk across the street to the Amaturo Theater.



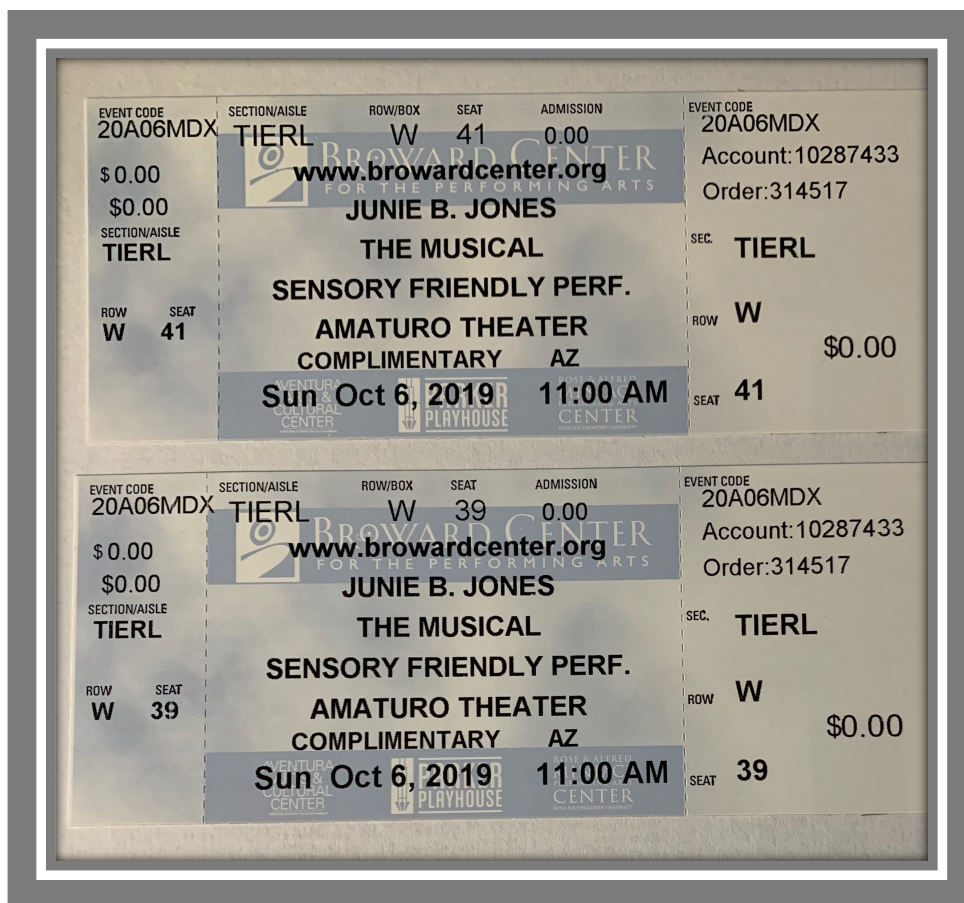
A&E Garage



Broward Center Campus

I need a ticket to get inside the theater.

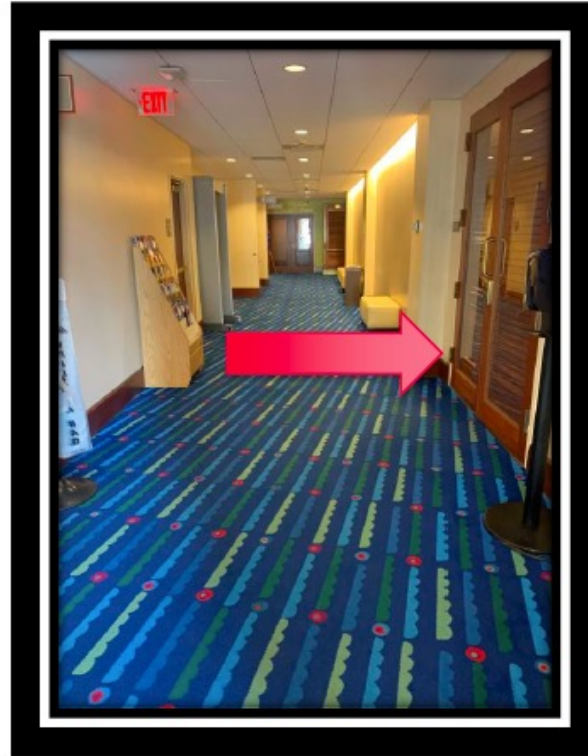
Waiting in line is something I will have to do sometimes. It can be difficult, but I will try my best to wait patiently.



After I arrive at the Broward Center, I will walk to the door next to the Amaturro Theater, and walk straight though the lobby to the Rose Miniaci Education Center.



Door to the Abdo New River Room



Lobby of Abdo New River Room



Abdo New River Room

As I enter the theater, I will find the **ushers** who are very happy to help me.

I feel secure because the **ushers** will help me find the bathroom and my seat.



Before the show starts, someone will come on stage and make an announcement.

I may meet some of the actors, who are pretending to be different characters in the show. What I will see on stage is not real; they are actors playing a part in a show. They may have masks, costumes, and toys, and they are trained to make the story look real.



If the sound is too loud, I can ask my family member, caregiver or chaperone for a pair of headphones that will make me feel more comfortable.

If I feel nervous, I can ask my family, caregiver or chaperone for a fidget to help me feel calm.





If I need a break, I can ask my family, caregiver or chaperone if I can go to the ABA Centers of Florida Sensory Quiet Room. We will follow the signs. A behavioral therapist will be there to help me calm down until I am ready to go back inside the theater.



After the show, the actors will come to the upper lobby to meet the guests who have come to the show.

I will follow instructions, and I may have to wait in line before I can take a picture with my family or group. I will thank them for making me feel happy.



My visit at the Broward Center has ended.

I hope we can come back for another show. Thank you for making me, my family or group feel welcome.





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