

THE
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Visual Story



The Atkinson

The Atkinson is an arts centre in Southport.



This is the way in through automatic doors.



Foyer

Inside the front door you will see our Box Office and Shop.

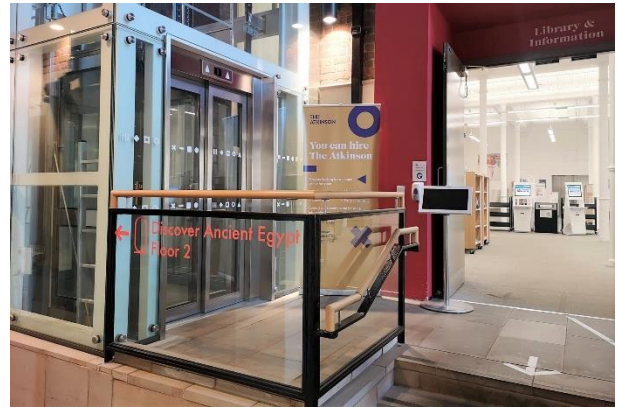
Box Office is where you can get tickets.



We have stairs and a lift to all floors.



The lift is next to the library doors.



Toilets

Toilets are available on all floors. We have a Changing Places toilet on floor 1.



Café

We have a café on the ground. It is called A Great Little Place and it does get very busy sometimes.



Galleries

The Galleries are on the first floor.

We have 5 large rooms with artwork in for visitors to look at.

Sometimes it is a quiet place to sit and sometimes there are things to do or listen to.



Museum

The Museum is on the second floor.

We have two areas in the museum, one is about the history of Sefton, the other is about ancient Egypt.

The museum has lots of interactive displays for you to use.



Library

Southport Library is also part of The Atkinson

Southport Library is on the ground floor.



Staff

Our staff are here to help you, they wear a red uniform



Theatre

Our theatre seats over 400 people



Studio

We have events in our smaller studio space too



At the show

When you arrive at The Atkinson an usher will look at your ticket and tell you which seat you are sitting in.



You might want to buy a drink or a snack before you take your seat, or during the interval.



There will be a stage where the show will be performed, the actors will come on to the stage in costumes that help them tell the story.



During the performance you might need some quiet time outside of the auditorium, you are welcome to sit in our 'Chill Out' area.



You might hear music in the auditorium. You can cover your ears or wear ear defenders.



Sometimes there are song to sing along to.



The show can make you laugh because it is funny.



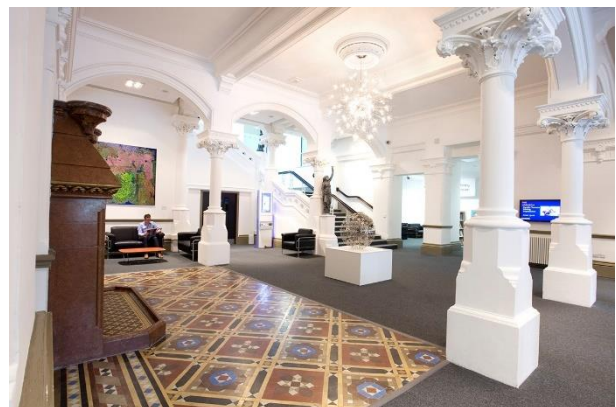
It can make you feel happy, and you might like to clap hands. You might see something that makes feel sad or upset, that's okay too.



Lots of people clap hands at the end of the performance to show how much they enjoyed it.

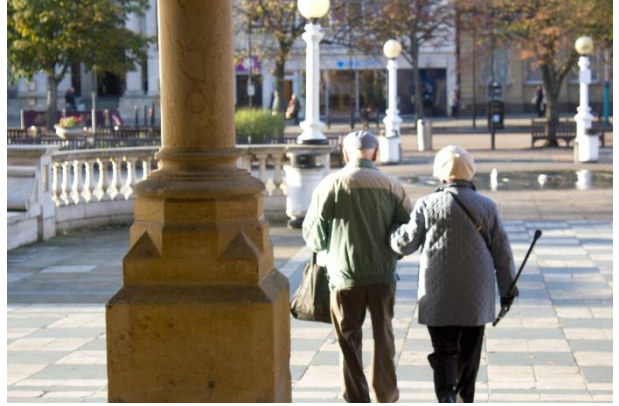


At the end of the show, you will leave The Atkinson and go home.



Goodbye.

We hope to see you again soon.



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