

Taunton social narrative

Things look a bit different while building works are happening.

There is scaffolding on the front of the building.

There are machines, builders, and equipment.

Sometimes there will be loud noises.







The reception and front of the building are shut.

I can access a temporary, different, reception in the car park.

I will be able to sign in for my activities here. The friendly staff will help me.





Entry to the building is through the sports hall side door, I will be taken in here by a YMCA staff member.





Sometimes there may be people playing in the hall, but they will know I am coming in.

If my activity is in the hall, I will be able to wait in here for it to start. This is where I will play things like basketball, badminton, dodgeball or other games.

From the sports hall I can access the other rooms in the YMCA. If I am unsure where to go, I can ask a staff member.







Youth club uses the Rowlands room.

This is upstairs, and is where I can play board games, colour, play table tennis, play table football, and buy tuck.



The toilets are accessible from the sports hall, and from the downstairs corridor.

There are separate toilets for males









At youth club sometimes we use the Astro Pitch.

Here I can play football, or there may be other activities such as archery, ultimate tag, circle games.

I will go on the astro with a YMCA staff member, they will make sure I am safe. I must not leave the astro without them.





At the end of the activities, I make sure I have my belongings.

I will leave through the sports hall door.

I will wait with a YMCA staff member for my adult to collect me.

I have to go past a busy road to get to the astro.

I also have to cross the car park.

I will wait for a YMCA staff member, who will help me check for cars.

It may be dark walking round, If I need a torch I can ask a staff member. The astro will have lights.









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