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I am going to a History Hike program at Historic Oak View County Park. During the History Hike, I will learn about the history of the Oak View farm and the different families who lived and worked at the farm in the past.

When we first arrive at Oak View we will park in the parking lot, and we will see a big white building called the Farm History Center. We will go inside the Farm History Center, where we will meet our group and wait for the program to begin.



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We will begin our program in the Farm History Center, where we will meet the park educator who will be in charge of our group. They will be our teacher for the day. They will tell us about the park and the different things we will do.

When we are at the park, there are some special rules we have to follow. Some important rules are:

- We will stay with the teacher and the other people in our group during our program
- We will walk slowly around the park
- We will use inside talking voices
- We will raise our hand and wait to be called on if we'd like to speak



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Then, we will leave the Farm History Center and begin our tour. We will visit lots of different buildings and listen to our teacher tell us about the history of the farm.

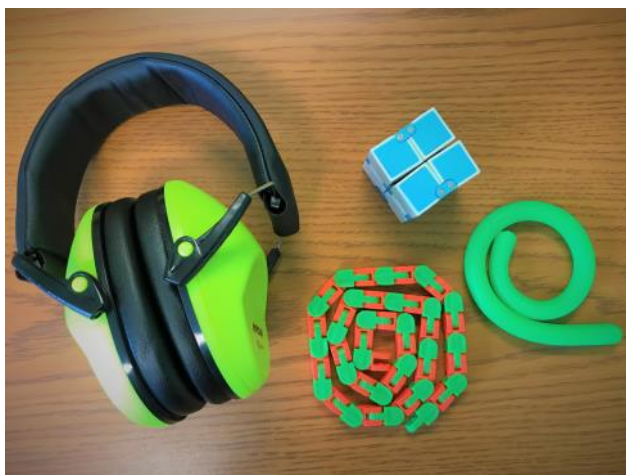
We will stop at different places to talk about the things we will see. We might stand or sit on the floor while we talk. We might do some hands-on activities during our tour.



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If it is too noisy, I can ask for head phones to muffle the noise. I can also ask for toys if I need something to do with my hands. I can ask to borrow these from park staff.



If I need a break or to use the restroom, I will tell the adult I am with.



I need a
quiet space



I need a
restroom

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We might finish our visit with a visit to the goats. If it is a nice day, they will be out in their corral. If it is a rainy day, they will probably be in their stalls in the barn. We can pet the goats, but we will follow these rules:

- We will not make loud noises around the goats
- We will pet them on their heads or backs, and we will not put our fingers near their mouths

We can also visit the chickens. Their chicken coop is right next to the tenant house. We can't pet the chickens but we can watch them as they run and scratch around their coop!



After we finish the tour, it will be up to the parents and teachers to decide what we do next. We might go back to our car and leave, or we might stay and have a picnic lunch.

We can't wait to come back to Oak View soon!

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