

City of Tampa
Parks and Recreation
Department
EXPERIENCE BOOK

We are going to visit
Cotanchobee Fort
Brooke Park



CREATED IN PARTNERSHIP WITH
Center for Autism & Related Disabilities
University of South Florida

FOR THE **CAREGIVER**

601 Old Water Street,
Tampa, FL 33602

HOURS

Sunrise to Sunset

ACCESSIBILITY

ADA Accessible sidewalks and restrooms

Cotanchobee Fort Brooke Park has one playground located in the park. The playground has an ADA poured rubber surface.

The park has outdoor ADA restroom facilities located within a few feet of the splash pad.

Notes

The park will be very busy on the weekend with community events and traffic from the Tampa Riverwalk.

The Tampa Bay History Center is located at the East end of the park.

The Tampa Riverwalk has a steady flow of traffic during the day, which will include runners, cyclist, Segways, dog walkers, and skateboarders.

Sensory Key



There are lots of things to hear here. It might be loud in places where I see this. I can wear headphones or cover my ears if it gets too loud.



There are lots of things to see here. It might be bright or hurt my eyes in places where I see this. I can wear sunglasses or cover my eyes.



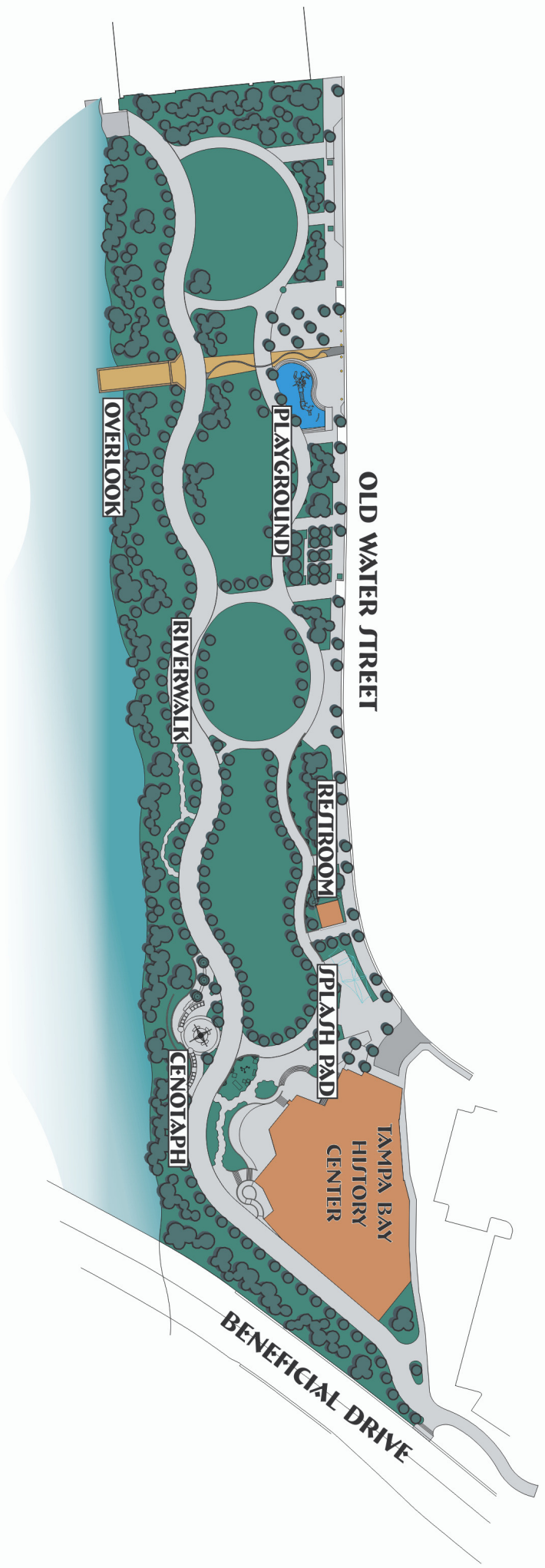
There are lots of things to touch here. There might be things that I feel uncomfortable touching when I see this. I do not have to touch anything that I do not want to.



There might be a strong smell in places where I see this. I can hold my nose or cover my nose with something that smells good.



When I see this there will be things I can taste here. I do not have to put anything in my mouth if I do not want to.



COTANCHOBEE FORT BROOKE PARK

601 OLD WATER STREET

33602





Park Day

We are going to visit the playground and splash pad at Cotanchobee Fort Brooke Park.



Parking

When we get to the park, we will park in on the street or in a parking lot behind the Tampa Bay History Center.



Rules

There will be rules that I have to follow when I am at the Park. There will be signs to remind me of what the rules.



Trash

I will make sure I throw my trash into trash cans. If I have a service animal with me, I will make sure I clean up after him or her.



Water & Rest

If I get tired, there will be places in the park where I can sit and rest or get a drink of water.



Restrooms

While we are in the park, we might need to use the restroom. We ask the adult we are with before we go to the restroom.



The Playground & Splash Pad

There will be a playground where I can play. I will take turns with other kids on the equipment. I will stay on the playground where the adult that is with me can see me.



Things to do

While at the playground, there will be lots of things that we can look at or play with, like the splash pad, slides, and sand. I will ask the adult that is with me if I can play on the slides and swings before I do.



Noise

There might also be a lot of noise in the park. I can cover my ears or put on headphones if it gets too loud.



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