



Fitzroy Gardens Heritage Tour

Social Script - Visual Story

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We are going to visit Fitzroy Gardens.

Fitzroy Gardens is a beautiful, large garden that sits right beside the city of Melbourne.



We will meet at the Visitor Centre when we arrive at Fitzroy Gardens.

A staff member or volunteer wearing a read uniform will greet us.



We will purchase our tickets from the counter inside the Visitor Centre.

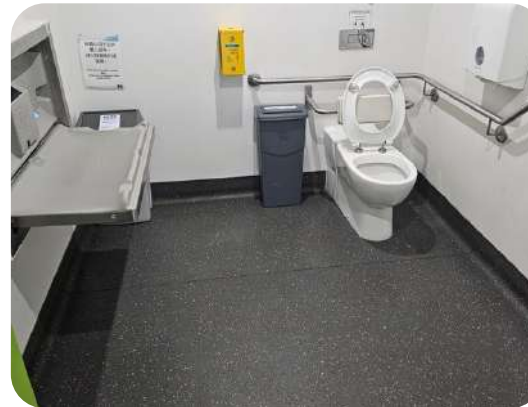




There is a cafe next door to have a snack.

The cafe can be noisy.

There are also toilets available (there are no toilets along the tour route).



Speak to a staff member in the red uniform if you need a quiet space.



The meeting point for the tour is at the front of the Visitor Centre.

We can stay at the quiet space and have someone collect us from there if we like.

We will let the person who we are buying the ticket from know if we prefer this option.



We can look, listen, touch and
explore at Fitzroy Gardens.

But please don't pick any
flowers or plants.



When on the tour, the guide will walk along the main paths.



The guide will show you various points of interest around the gardens.

We will see many plants, buildings and sculptures.



We will slowly walk through Fitzroy Gardens.

We will remember to:

- walk, not run
- stay with our guide
- walk on the paths and grass.



We will see a scarred tree.



We will visit the Model Tudor Village and the Fairies' Tree



The last stop in the tour is Cooks' Cottage.

Here there will be volunteers dressed in costumes.



We may see some wildlife at Fitzroy Gardens.

There will most likely be many birds

We will walk quietly so we don't frighten the birds.

There are insects too - and possums (but when it's dark).

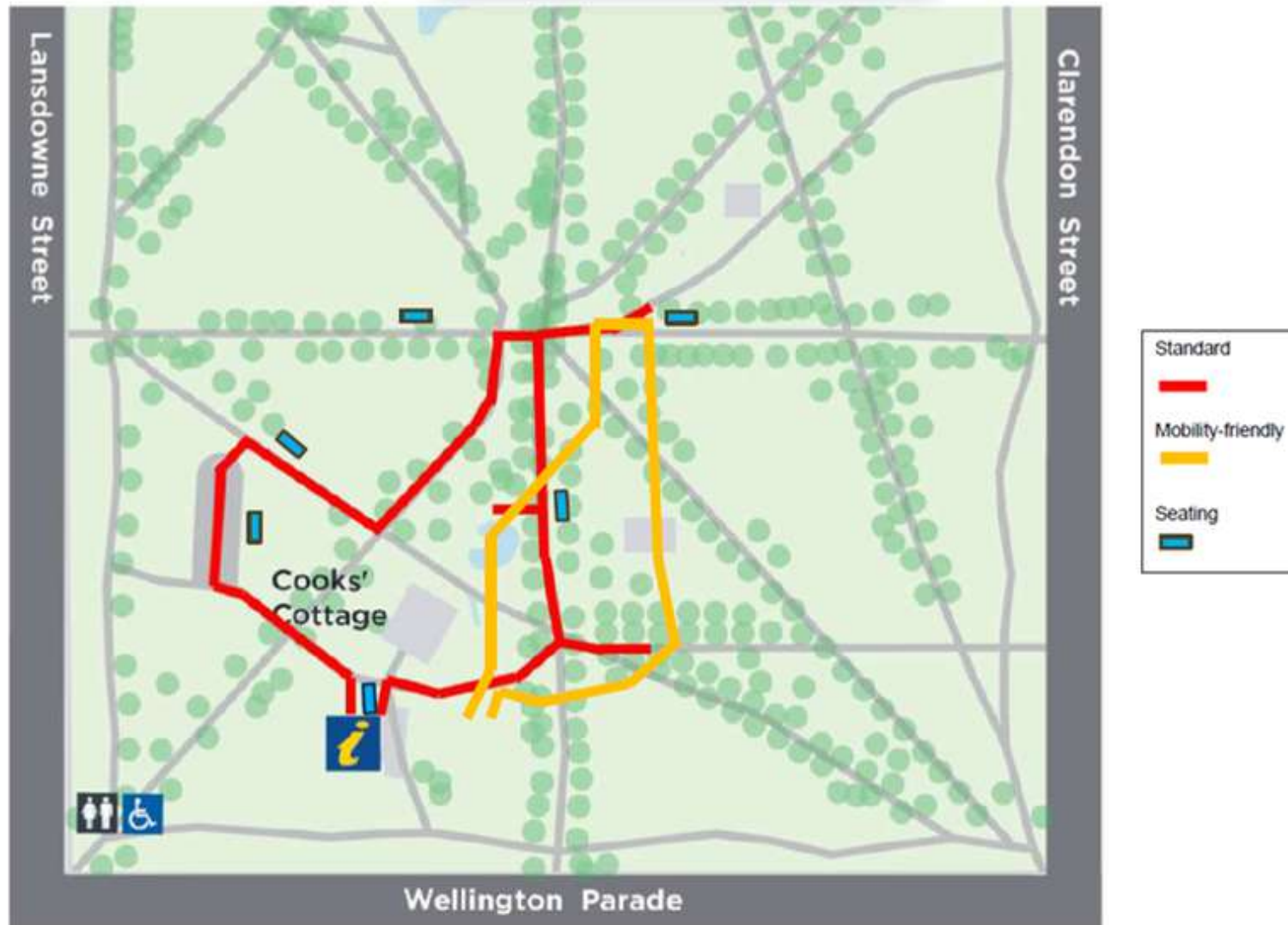


Along the walk - there will be seats to take a rest.

We will let the guide know if we would like a break.



The tour route:



The tour will finish back at the visitor centre -
we can browse the retail shop for a souvenir if we like.



At the end of the tour, the friendly staff can help us with other information about what to do and see if we require it.

