

GUIDED SCHOOL TOUR

SOCIAL NARRATIVE

HISTORIC 
ST. MARY'S CITY

TOWN CENTER





WALKING

- All of the paths in the Town Center are paved.



INTERPRETERS

- The staff at the Town Center are called interpreters.
- Interpreters may tell me about the past and the people who lived here!
- The interpreters may do a demonstration for my group.
- A demonstration is where the interpreters show me how things were done in the past!
- I might get to participate.
- If I don't want to participate, I can say, "no, thank you!"



PRINTING PRESS

- I may learn about a printing press during our tour of the Town Center. A printing press is a machine that was used to print text.
- I may not touch the printing press unless I ask
- There are benches I can sit on if I need to rest.



SMITH'S ORDINARY

- I might see a building called Smith's Ordinary during our tour of the Town Center.
- Smith's Ordinary shows the type of place people may have stayed in the 1600s.
- It was like a hotel.
- There are benches I can sit on if I need to rest.



ARCHAEOLOGY

- My tour guide might tell us about *archaeology*. Archaeology is the study of things made, used, and left behind by people
- There are benches here. They are made out of wood. Our guide might ask us to sit here.
- I may raise my hand when they are looking for a volunteer if I want to help.



CORDEA'S HOPE

- I might see a building called Cordea's Hope during our tour of the Town Center.
- Cordea's Hope is a store house. There are lots of goods on the shelves.
- I may look at the items on the shelves.
- An interpreter may talk to my class.



PLACES TO REST

- There are benches outside at Town Center if I need to sit down.
- There are also benches inside the Print House and Smith's Ordinary. Both of those places can be quiet.
- If I am thirsty, I can get a drink at the water fountain in Town Center.



FOR HELP

If I need help or have a question, I can ask my teacher, my tour guide, or an interpreter in staff uniform at the Town Center who will be happy to help me.