Our Visit To The Royal Botanic Gardens

Nature Play September 2023





My family (carer) and I are going to visit the Royal Botanic Gardens for Nature Play Day.

The Botanic Gardens is a beautiful, large garden near the city of Melbourne.



We will look for the entrance to the Children's Garden.

An adult will greet us at the Children's Garden and tell us about the nature play experiences.



There are accessible paths in the Children's Garden.





There are quiet, shady spaces to have a snack and drink. The toilets are nearby too.





I can look, listen, touch and explore at the Botanic Gardens.



I will find lots of natural materials in the garden. I can feel the textures and create with the leaves, flowers, seed pods and bamboo.



I can build cubbies with bamboo, palm leaves and ties.

There will be adults there to help me.

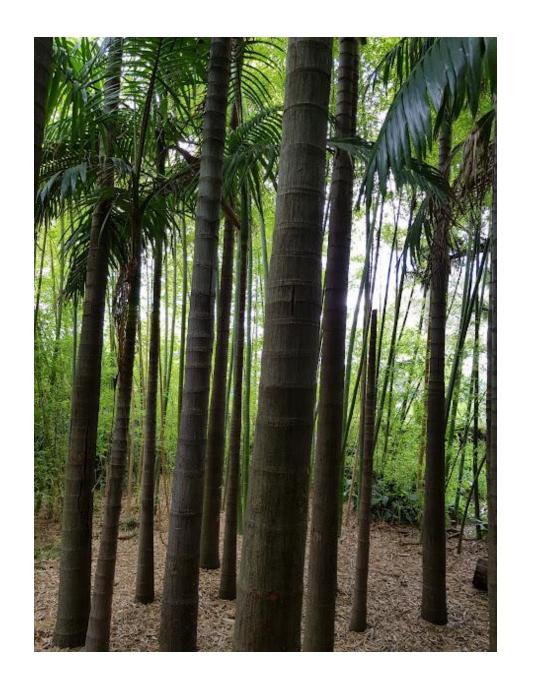




I can play with natural materials such as leaves, seed pods and bark.

Sometimes it gets noisy in the Children's Garden.

There are quiet places where I can rest.



I might find some teddies in the pine forest or palm forest.



I will find many fruit and vegetable plants in the kitchen garden.

I can touch and smell the plants.

I might see a scarecrow too!



We can walk past the beautiful coral tree on the way to Western Lawn. We will discover more nature play experiences there.



The garden may inspire me to draw and paint.

Nature journaling can help me to feel calm and relaxed.





We can discover the White Oak, an old tree which fell three years ago. Now the gardeners have created a play space for children.

I can climb and balance on the branches of the old tree.



We can walk through the beautiful, shady Botanic Gardens.

There are signs along the way to guide us.





We will see many visitors at the Botanic Gardens.

There are many quiet places to explore and rest.





If it's a warm day we can walk to the cool, shady fern gully.

I can find a swing to have a rest.



There is so much to see and discover at the Botanic Gardens.

Nature Play Days are fun!



