

PRE-CONCERT ACTIVITIES

Welcome to today's Relaxed Family Concert at Orchestra Hall! Our Relaxed Family Concerts are inclusive experiences for audiences of all ages and abilities, including individuals with autism or sensory sensitivities. Please visit one of our friendly ushers or volunteers if there is anything we can do to make your visit more enjoyable. We're so glad that you could join us and hope that you have a great experience today!

ROBERTA MANN GRAND FOYER

Chinese Calligraphy

Visit the Alliance of Minnesota Chinese Organizations and Minnesota Center for Community Services to get a Chinese name. Volunteers from AMCO and CCS will take inspiration from your English name and write out your Chinese name in calligraphy on red paper so that you can take it home as a souvenir.

Chinese Character Matching Game

Explore the evolution of Chinese characters with Asian Media Access. See how pictorial characters were inspired by the shapes of animals, objects and more 5000 years ago, and then see if you can guess what these characters look like in the present day.

Photo Booth

Celebrate today's visit to Orchestra Hall with a snapshot in front of a special Lunar New Year backdrop, provided by the Alliance of Chinese Culture & Arts USA.

Audience Services Desk

earplugs, large print or Chinese translations of the program book, or information? Stop by the Audience Services Desk for assistance. Headphones are available on a first-come, first-served basis and will be sanitized between each use.

Concert-Only Quiet Space

During the concert, we'll open a second quiet area for anyone who would like to enjoy a relaxing space with sensory supports while watching the Orchestra on our video monitor.

N. BUD GROSSMAN MEZZANINE

Chinese Traditional Dance Performance

Between 1:15 and 1:45pm, you are welcome to enjoy a traditional dance performance by Hua Xing Arts Group of Minnesota and the Chinese American Association of Minnesota Chinese Dance Theater.

KATHY AND CHARLIE CUNNINGHAM GREEN ROOM

Quiet Space

Relax with noise-canceling headphones, books and coloring materials. You're welcome to visit any time during the activities or performance!

MULTIPLE LOCATIONS

Enjoy a variety of activities on your own! Options include a Year of the Tiger coloring sheet, a Kahoot trivia game about the Lunar New Year holiday, and video demonstrations of orchestral and Chinese traditional instruments. You are welcome to do the activities at a seat in the lobby, auditorium or at home.

Art Activities: Stop by the Skyway or Peavey Plaza entrance for a Year of the Tiger coloring sheet and coloring supplies. You can also pick up a Chinese paper cutting activity, courtesy of Minghua Chinese School, to make a tiger at home.

Trivia Game: Discover fun facts about the Lunar New Year holiday with this Kahoot challenge from Know Factory's Brian Ward and Asian Media Access. Visit the following link to play: <https://kahoot.it/challenge/02447269>

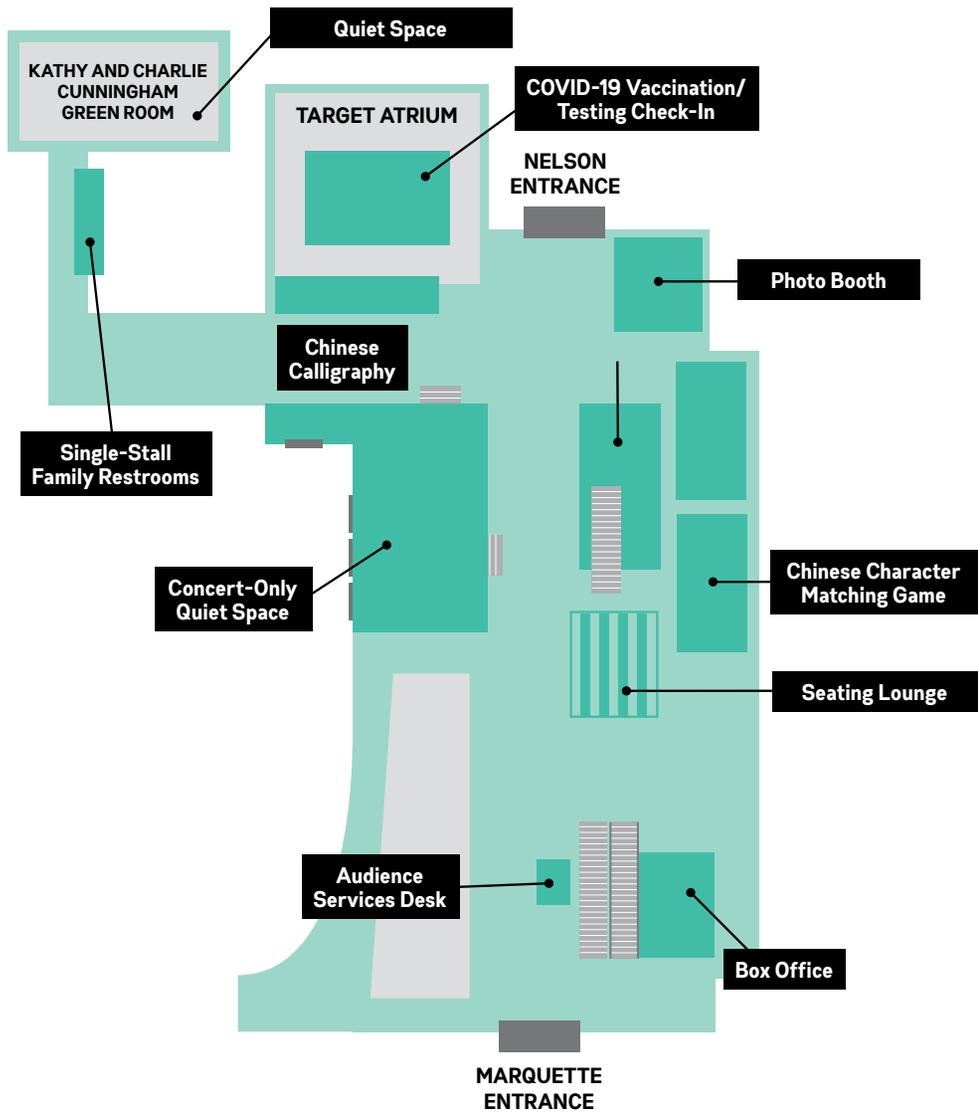
Guide to the Orchestra: Visit minnesotaorchestra.org/guide to see instruments in action, as demonstrated by Minnesota Orchestra musicians.

Jing hu Demonstration: youtube.com/watch?v=RbCpFTSBpJA

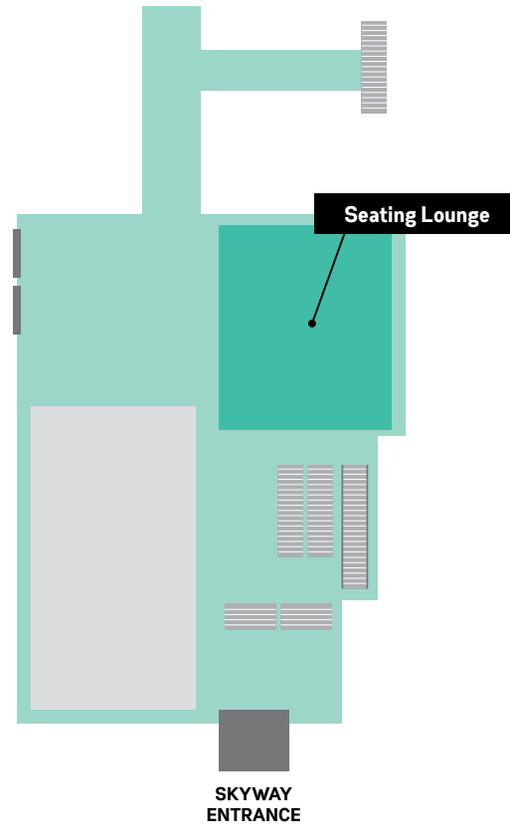
Yue qin Demonstration: youtu.be/lqQhHqtN2RU

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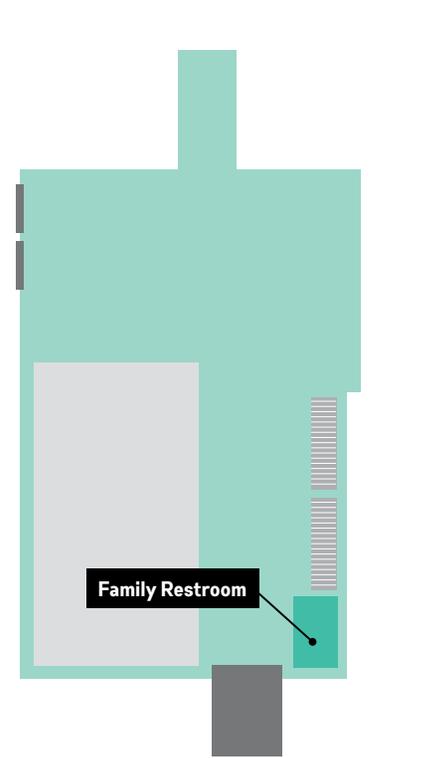
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