



# **We are Going to the Harris Nature Center!**



**A nature center is a place where people can go to learn about nature.**



**When I arrive, I will see the nature center building**

**When I walk to the front door, I will see a Crow named Onyx.**



**Sometimes Onyx likes to say hello with a loud caw-caw-caw!**

**There is a lot to see inside the nature center building!**



**I don't want to scare the animals that live at the nature center!**

**I will make sure that I walk.**



**I will not touch the tanks where animals live.**



**I will talk quietly.**



**In the building I will see the office. If I have questions I can ask one of the naturalists. I might see one of the naturalists taking care of the animals.**



**These are some of the animals that live at the nature center.**



**Outside, there is a hawk that lives at the nature center. His name is Talon.**



**If I need to use the bathroom, there are two bathrooms inside the nature center building.**



**If I need to get a drink or refill my water bottle, there is a drinking fountain in the building.**



**In the summer, one of the rooms at the nature center has a bee hive to look at. I may hear buzzing and I can see the bees if I lift the curtain.**

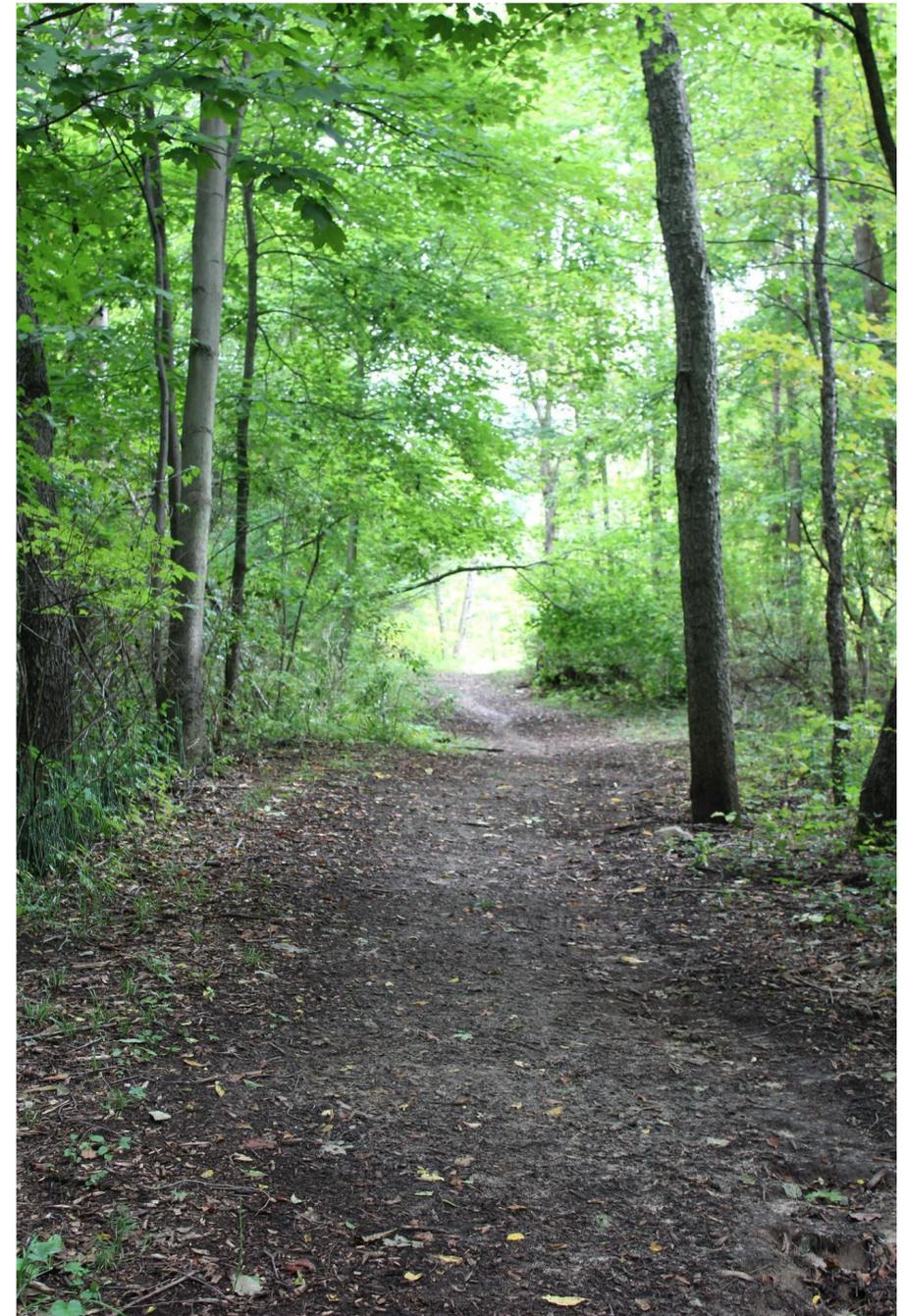
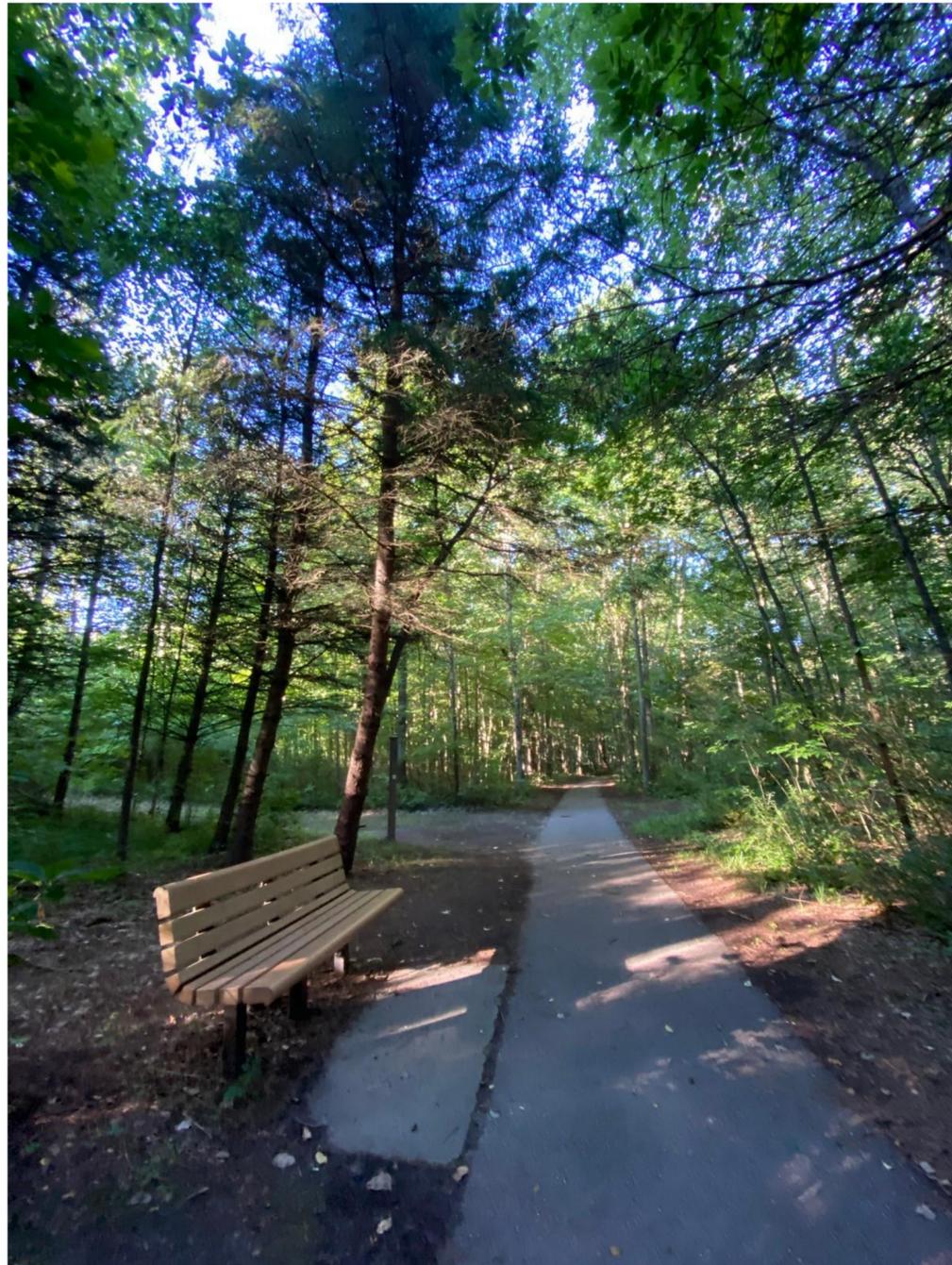


**\* The bees are contained and only enter and exit their hive through a sealed tube \***

**If I need something from the sensory kit, someone in the office can help me. I will find headphones, sunglasses, fidgets and more. I can also bring my own if I want.**



**If I would like to go for a walk, there are plenty of trails at the nature center.**



# Trail maps are in the nature center building.



**I might see other people going for walks. Some people like to walk their dogs on the nature center trails.**

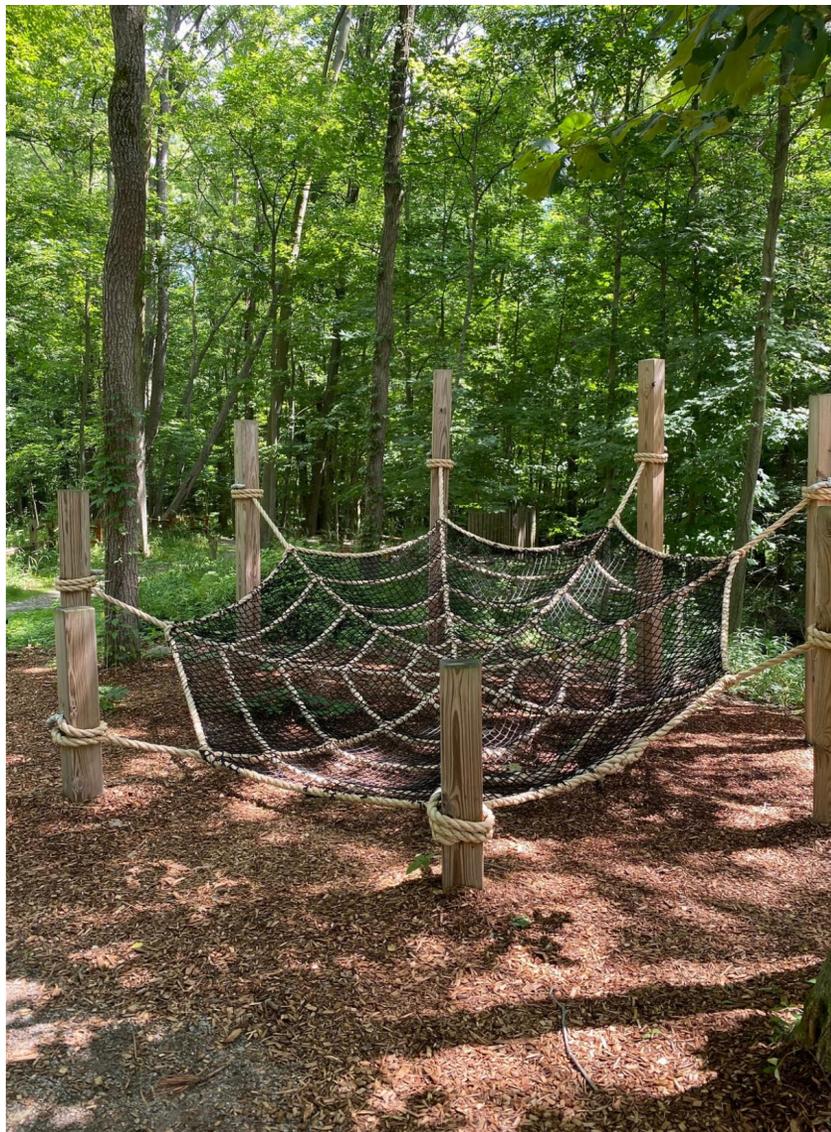


**I can visit the observation deck where there are binoculars that I can use.**



**\* The observation deck and the trail leading to it are both ADA accessible \***

**The Nature Exploration Area is a fun place to play! I can climb on the giant turtle, sit in the pretend spiderweb, and more!**



**While I am outside I might see the maintenance crew working.**



**There are quiet places where I can  
take a break if I need to.**



**If the building is closed and I need to use the bathroom, there are outside bathrooms near the parking lot.**



**\* Outside bathrooms are vault toilets and do not have running water \***

**If the building is closed and I need to get a drink or refill my water bottle, there is an outside drinking fountain next to the building.**



**I will have a fun time at the Harris Nature Center!  
Knowing what to expect helps me have a fun time!**

