

## SOCIAL STORY for the RUTH SOKOLOF THEATER

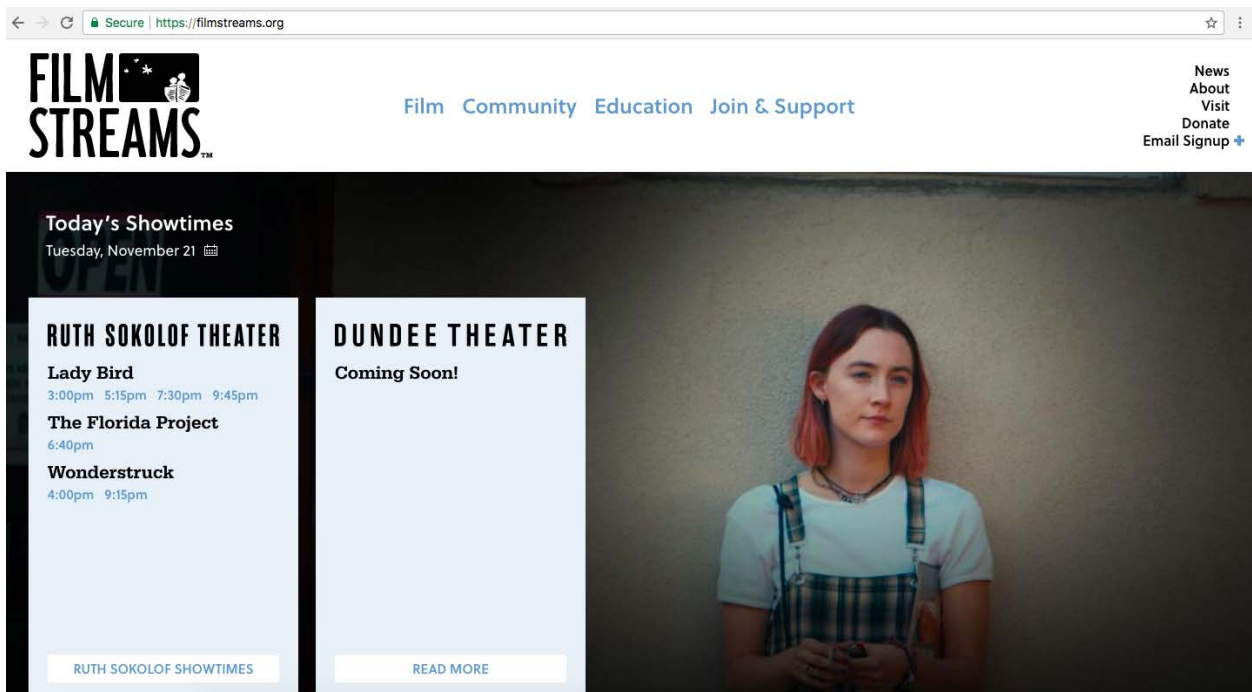
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1. I am going to a movie at the Ruth Sokolof Theater!



2. Before I go to the theater, I can view the website [www.filmstreams.org](https://filmstreams.org) to see movie showtimes and learn more about each movie.



3. I will go through the double doors on the corner of 14th and Mike Fahey Streets to enter the theater. If there is a line at the door, I will wait patiently until it is my turn.



4. I will view the list of movie showtimes above the ticket booth to make sure I am buying the right ticket for the movie I want to see. I will see the price of my ticket at the top of the ticket booth window.





5. I will tell the employee which movie and showtime I would like a ticket to. For example, "I would like one ticket to see Wonderstruck at 4:00 please."



6. At Film Streams' Ruth Sokolof Theater, there are special prices for students. If I am a student, I will tell the employee I am a student. I will show them my student ID to receive a discounted price on my ticket.



7. The employee in the ticket window will tell me the price of my ticket. For example, "That will be 10 dollars please." I will give the employee my cash or credit card.



8. The employee will give me my ticket. I will keep my ticket with me as I enter the lobby.





9. If I would like to purchase food or drink from the concessions, I will patiently wait in line at concessions. If I do not want to purchase food or drink, I will continue walking through the lobby.

10. I will look at the items available and prices on the chalkboard. I will tell the employee behind the counter what I would like to purchase. For example, "I would like a fun-sized popcorn and a small Coke please."



11. I will pay for my items and take them from the employee.



11. If I would like a straw, napkin, or salt for my popcorn, I can get them on the counter to the right of the cash register.



12. I will give my movie ticket to a volunteer in the lobby. If there is a line, I will wait patiently until it is my turn. The volunteer will tell me if the movie I am seeing is in Theater 1 or Theater 2.





13. The volunteer will take half of my ticket and give the other half back to me. They may also give me information about the movie to read.



14. If my movie is in Theater 1, I will go to Theater 1. If my movie is in Theater 2, I will go to Theater 2.



15. I will look around the theater to find an open seat I would like to sit. If I am unsure if a seat is taken by another person, I will ask a person sitting near the seat, "Is this seat taken?"

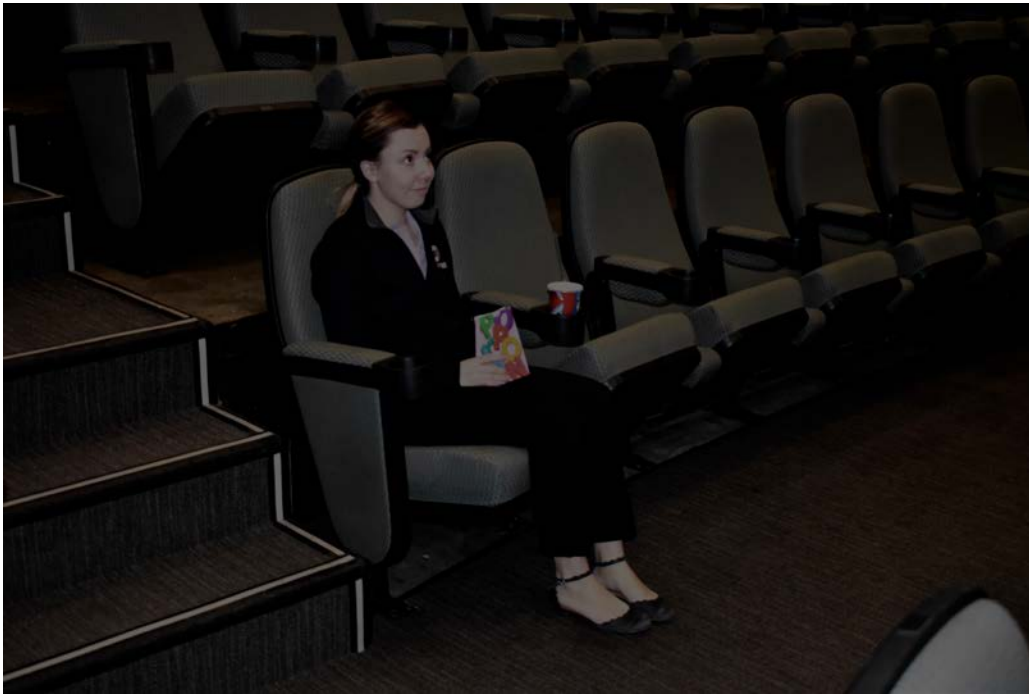


16. I will take my seat and wait for the movie to start.





17. The lights will soon dim. This lets me know the movie is starting.



18. During the movie, I will watch quietly and not talk. I will not use my cell phone or put my feet on the back of someone else's chair.

19. If there are loud noises during the film that I do not like, I will cover my ears or quietly leave the theater to take a break.



20. If I have to use the restroom during the film, I can quietly exit the theater and use the restroom located between Theater 1 and Theater 2.



21. When the movie is over, I will throw away any trash I may have.





22. Next, I will exit the theater through any door marked with a red 'exit' sign, either on the side of the theater or through the door I entered.



I will enjoy seeing a movie at the Ruth Sokolof Theater!