

Pre-Visit Guide: Passers-by

Address: Žižkova tř. 28, České Budějovice

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Before your visit, please read the separate document [Important information before your visit to Passers-by](#). It includes practical information about e-tickets, what to expect during the experience, and other details to help you prepare for your visit.

About the performance

Passers-by is an immersive installation designed for a maximum of eight visitors at a time. The experience takes place inside one of the former military buildings within the Žižkárna complex.

There are no performers in the installation. You decide how you would like to experience it by exploring the spaces, listening to audio recordings and reading printed texts.

Duration: 90 minutes, without an interval

Key accessibility information

Format: Immersive installation

Capacity: Maximum 8 visitors

Performance space: Indoors

Mobility: More than 10 steps at the entrance. You spend most of the experience standing and moving around.

Seating: Available during the introduction and closing discussion

Language: Czech

Accessibility tools: Printed texts

Sensory information: Very low lighting, audio recordings, scents and mirrors

Content: Domestic violence, depression and suicide attempts

Getting there

By public transport

The nearest public transport stops are:

U Koníčka (approximately 250–300 metres)

Routes 1, 3, 6, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16, 19, 22 and 59.

Routes 3 and 9 are wheelchair accessible.

Nádraží (main railway station, approximately 450 metres)

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View [current public transport timetables on IDOS](#)

By car

Parking is available in the two-level underground car park at Mercury Shopping Centre, open daily from 6:30 am to 11:00 pm.

The former Žižkárna barracks are approximately 300 metres away. Designated parking spaces for visitors with reduced mobility are available.

At weekends, parking is also available along Žižkova Street. Blue Zone parking is free on Saturdays and Sundays.

View the [Mercury Shopping Centre car park on Mapy.cz](#)

By train

The Žižkárna complex is approximately 450 metres from the railway station.

View [České Budějovice Railway Station on Mapy.cz](#)

By coach

The complex is approximately 300 metres from the coach station.

View [České Budějovice Bus Terminal on Mapy.cz](#)

By taxi

Taxis can stop directly outside the main entrance to the Žižkárna complex. If required, vehicles can also enter the site.

A Senior Taxi service is available for older people and holders of ZTP and ZTP/P disability cards.

Venue

The installation takes place in one of the former military buildings within the Žižkárna complex.

Žižkárna consists of several buildings and outdoor spaces used for performances and other cultural events.

Arriving at the venue

The entrance to the Žižkárna complex is from Žižkova Street.

Access is from the road rather than directly from the pavement. There are no dropped kerbs on either side of the road crossing.

Please note that part of Žižkova Street, between Mercury Shopping Centre and the entrance to Žižkárna, is not lit by street lighting.

If you are unsure whether you have reached the correct entrance, please ask a member of staff.

Installation space

The installation is located on a single floor.

More than 10 steps lead to the entrance. The entrance door is approximately 80 cm wide.

Inside, you move through a series of interconnected rooms linked by narrow, winding corridors.

What to expect on arrival

On arrival, a guide will welcome you, check your ticket and introduce the installation.

If you have any questions or require assistance, this is the best opportunity to ask.

You may leave coats and bags in the room where the introductory briefing takes place.

The introductory briefing is delivered in Czech.

During the experience

You spend most of the experience standing and moving independently through the installation.

The installation is designed to be explored at your own pace. You decide which parts of the space to visit, how long to spend in each area and how deeply you wish to engage with the experience.

If you need to leave the installation at any point, you may return to the introductory room or leave the venue whenever you wish.

Seating is available during the introduction and the closing discussion.

Sensory information

During the installation, you may encounter:

- very low lighting throughout most of the installation,
- multiple sound sources,
- audio recordings,
- scents,
- mirrors,
- narrow, winding corridors.

No flashing or strobe lighting effects are used.

Content information

The installation explores themes including:

- domestic violence,
- depression,
- suicide attempts.

Some people may find these themes distressing. Please take this into account when deciding whether the installation is suitable for you.

Language and accessibility

The introductory briefing is delivered in Czech.

Printed texts are available throughout the installation.

No additional accessible formats or communication support are currently available for this installation.

If you have any questions about accessibility or would like to discuss your individual access requirements before your visit, please contact us before purchasing your ticket (see Contact below).

Toilets

A portable toilet is located next to the building.

There is no wide-entrance, accessible toilet.

Leaving the venue

The experience is expected to finish at approximately 6:30 pm.

You can return using public transport. Regular services operate until approximately midnight, after which night buses are available.

If you are returning to the railway or coach station, allow at least 5–10 minutes on foot.

Please note that part of the route between Žižkárna and Mercury Shopping Centre is not lit by street lighting.

If you need assistance finding your way back to the main entrance, please ask a member of staff.

Tell us about your experience

Did you enjoy the installation? Or would you like to share your thoughts?

We would be grateful if you could leave a review on our website.

Your feedback helps other visitors choose performances and helps us improve the accessibility of future productions.

The more clapping hands you award, the higher the overall rating.

How to leave your feedback

1. Find the production you would like to review in the programme.
2. Click **Production Details**.
3. Scroll to the **Your Feedback** section at the bottom of the page.
4. Write your review.

Contact

If you would like to discuss your access requirements before your visit, have any questions, or would like to share your experience afterwards, please contact us at:

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We look forward to welcoming you and hope you have a powerful and memorable theatre experience.

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