



The UNIVERSITY of OKLAHOMA.

# SELF-GUIDED CAMPUS TOUR

## for kids



**Welcome to OU!**  
**We are OU mascots and your**  
**tour guides, Boomer and Sooner.**  
**Giddy-up and explore**  
**campus!**

- 1** To begin your tour, enter through the back door of **Gaylord Hall**, College of Journalism and Mass Communications. Ever thought of being a sportscaster or reporter when you grow up? Perhaps you enjoy writing and want to become a journalist. This may be the place for you! As we walk through, notice the TV and radio station equipment just for students! We will exit through the back door towards the football stadium.
- 2** STOP, LOOK & LISTEN as we cross the street! This is the **Gaylord Family-Oklahoma Memorial Stadium**, where all of our home football games are hosted. Can you guess how many people it will hold? Go ahead, take a whack at it! (Answer: 85,000) Feel free to snap a few pictures! Sometimes, Gate 1 is open for a peek inside. (watch for vehicles!)
- 3** From here, we will walk to the **Oklahoma Memorial Union**. There are lots of places to eat inside, as well as lounges to hang out in. You may even see a few students taking a quick power nap between classes! Find your way to the food court on the bottom floor, to see if you can spot one of our other mascots, the **Sooner Schooner!**
- 4** Exiting the door by the Sooner Schooner, walk straight ahead to the North or Parrington Oval. Looking to the right, across the street is **Campus Corner**. It has lots of shops and restaurants. Many of our students like to hang out there when they're not in class!
- 5** To the left of Campus Corner, you will see a big white house on the corner. That is where the president of our university lives; his name is **President Boren**. He truly cares about each and every one of our students and is consistently working to make our University a better place. He is something like your school principal.
- 6** Next, let's continue to the library on Van Vleet Oval, home to many of our classroom buildings. Bizzell Memorial Library is where our students often do their best studying. Enter the door facing the oval and head up the stairs to the 2nd floor...
  - There is a room inside called The Great Reading Room, where it is completely silent. If you're quiet, maybe we can take a peek!
  - Don't forget about the old Decks, where the very first books of this library are still kept. Notice that the floor and ceiling are both made of glass to allow more light in. If you chose to believe, there are quite a few ghost stories flying around campus from these spooky book cases too! That's why it's always good to be on your best behavior... you never know who could be watching. :-)

**Looks like that's the end of our journey. Come back to see us soon!**



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# CAMPUS MAP

