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Explore Montenegro!**



I Am Going To The Old City of Kotor!
A Step-by-Step Guide On How To Visit This World Heritage Site
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The old city of Kotor is famous because many of its historical buildings have survived to the present day. This is the Maritime Gate in the old city wall.



The Square of Arms is just through the Maritime Gate. This is the Town Clock Tower. This is a good place to meet with your group. If you get lost, go back to the clocktower.



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The Square of Arms has many places to shop or get a snack. You can sit at an outdoor table and have a drink. Sometimes it is very busy and full of people. If it gets too noisy, you can go walk through the city streets.



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This is the Cathedral of Saint Gryphon. Some people call it the Cathedral of Kotor. It is one of many churches to visit in the old city. Shhhhhh... if you visit a church you should use a very quiet voice.



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There are many churches to visit in Kotor. Sometimes the churches are closed to tourists. Remember to be quiet if you go inside a church.



If you go inside the churches you will see many antiques and pieces of art. Don't touch the art. This is a place to be on your best behavior.



When you are walking in the city be sure to look up. These windows are from Venetian times. While you walk, stay close to your group. The streets twist and turn and it is easy to get lost.



This is the Pima Palace. There are many interesting buildings to visit in the old city of Kotor.



**The city walls of Kotor go all the way up the mountainside.
You can hike to the mountain to see an incredible view of
the city.**



Or you can wander the town and maybe meet some cats!



Or you might visit the Cats Museum!

Ability Guidebooks are step-by-step instructions on how to access community destinations. For many people with autism and neuro-diversity, new situations can cause stress and discomfort. Ability Guidebooks help prepare people for new experiences. This is why I emphasize the places to sit and areas to relax.

This book will also help general ed teachers prepare their young students for a visit to the Museum.



Can You Translate?

**If you can translate this book into Italian or any other language,
I would love to hear from you!**

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