

SAINSBURY CENTRE 40 YEARS 1978–2018

Dear Visitor

Fire Safety and Access to the Sainsbury Centre Mezzanine

The Sainsbury Centre is a listed building. The goods lift in the centre is not designed to be used in event of a fire.

This means that in an emergency, the only evacuation route from the mezzanine is by using the steep spiral staircase. Consequently, we regret that we have no choice but to restrict access to this area to people who are able to independently descend the spiral staircase.

It is a top priority to ensure the safety of all visitors. Failure to ensure that evacuation procedures are in place to evacuate **all** our visitors in an emergency means the centre would be in breach of its duty of care to you and other visitors, and also in breach of fire safety legislation.

Please accept our apologies if this restriction affects you. If you have any comments or wish to contact me, my contact details are below.

Yours faithfully

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