



Children's
Museum

The Children's Museum of History,
Natural History, Science & Technology
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GUEST GUIDE: While we want our visitors to enjoy their time spent here with our 100's of interactive exhibits, we also want both the children and our exhibits to stay safe.

CM RULES: *Parents, Grandparents, Teachers, Caretakers*, go over with children before entering museum to help them follow the rules so they stay safe & our exhibits stay safe:

1. No Running, Pushing, or Shoving (power walking allowed)
2. Use Inside Voices at all times & Respect the property of others
3. Leave all toys and items in the various exhibit rooms; Pick up after yourself
4. Parents/caretakers are expected to chaperone and accompany their children at all times in all areas on all floors, for the safety of our exhibits and the safety of the children
5. All food and beverages need to be consumed in the 1st floor kitchen room
6. 1st floor Playspace is for children *3 and under only*; 1st floor Robot Room is for children *6 and up only*; 1st floor Wooden Train, Cars & Exploration Station are for all ages
7. 4th floor exhibits behind ropes are to be looked at only; Others may be interacted with
8. All backpacks, large pocketbooks & briefcases are to be left behind front desk
9. Museum's let you enjoy interacting with exhibits; they're not playgrounds to run freely

HOURS *Open:* Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday from 9:15am-1:45pm, *except* for the following: From Sept. 1st to mid-Oct. & Jan. 1st to mid-Feb. we're only open three days a week: Monday, Thursday, Saturday from 9:15am-1:45pm. (check our online calendar for specific dates) NOTE: *No admissions one hour before closing*

ADMISSION to all 4 floors: \$7.00 children 3-17; \$8.00 seniors; \$9.00 adults. *Members & children 2 years of age and under are free.* NOTE: *We receive no funding for operations from City, County, State, or Federal government, thus rely on visitors, donations, & sponsors.*

1st Floor: Among Exhibits: Playspace for children under 3, Exploration Station for 4 & up; Robot Room for 6 and up; Saturn car, hyperbolic funnel, light and shadow exhibits, funhouse mirrors, plus restrooms and changing tables, eating & drinking areas

2nd Floor: Among Exhibits: Iroquois Long House with Kiosk, Dioramas on local history, interactive Musical Stage, *Dinorama* dinosaurs & fossils, Trading Post, Puppet Theatre

3rd Floor: Among the Exhibits: Living Science Center with animals/insects, Train & Lego activity centers, Boats & Bikes, Christmas Village, Crafts, Science Room, Weather Station, Radio Room, Computer Corner, Truck Dig/Display, History Wall

4th Floor: Exhibits: NASA Lunar Lander / Mars Rover / Columbia Shuttle, Hot Wheels Hall, Fire & Police, Interactive Science exhibits, Interactive Space Scale & Flight Timeline, real Airplane to "take a ride in". Open twice a day: 11:00am-11:30am, and 12:30pm-1:00pm

Q & A *Is there a place for us to eat?* Yes, our 1st floor Kitchen/Bday Rm or backdoor bench.

How can I find out about special events? By Museum flyers & brochures, & on our website.

Do you offer parties? Yes, on Saturday's. Check flyer in museum, or on our website, or call.

Do you offer programs, group rates, tours? Yes, call or check web www.museum4kids.net