



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, Teachers, Caretakers*, please go over with children & help them follow so they stay safe and our exhibits stay safe:

1. No Running, Pushing, or Shoving (power walking allowed)
2. Use Inside Voices at all times & Respect others property
3. Leave all toys and items in the various exhibit rooms; Pick up after yourself
4. 1<sup>st</sup> floor Playspace is for children 3 *and under only*; Exploration Space is for all ages
5. 4<sup>th</sup> floor exhibits behind ropes are to be looked at only; Others may be interacted with
6. All food and beverages need to be consumed in the 1<sup>st</sup> floor kitchen room
7. All backpacks, large pocketbooks & briefcases are to be left at the front desk
8. Museum's let you enjoy interacting with exhibits, not a playground to run freely
9. 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

**HOURS/MAP** *Open:* Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:45a to 3:45p, Saturday 10a-4p  
(*closed* Wed. & Sun. *Admission:* \$8.00 per person. Members & under 1 year of age free)

**1st Floor:** Among Exhibits: Playspace for children under 3, Exploration Station for 4 & 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, Arts & Crafts, Science Room, Weather Station, Radio Room, Computer Corner

**4th Floor:** Among Exhibits: NASA Lunar Lander / Mars Rover / Columbia Shuttle, Fire & Police, Hot Wheels, Interactive Science exhibits, Interactive Space Scale, Interactive Flight Timeline, Airplanes. Open 3 times a day: 11:30-11:50am, 1:00-1:20pm, 2:30-2:50pm

**Q&A** *Is there a place for my family to eat?* You can order in advance from our Café, bring your own snack & eat in our 1<sup>st</sup> floor Birthday room, our bench by back door, or park outside.

*How can I find out about special events?* By picking up flyers in the Museum, by checking out our brochure, or our website's New Stuff page -forms available in museum & on website.

*Do you have any educational programs?* Check our Program page on our website or call 315-724-6129 and ask for our brochure listing various programs our educators present for field trips.

*Do you offer parties?* Birthday slot times are Saturday's 11a-1p or 1:30-3:30p. Pick up a flyer in the Museum or check our website for various packages offered. Avoid the hassle at home.

*Do you offer tours & group rates?* Yes, check our website Tours page [www.museum4kids.net](http://www.museum4kids.net)