



Minnesota  
Children's  
Museum

# Field Trip Guide | 2023-2024

mcm.org/field-trips



## Book Your Field Trip to the Museum

Tackle challenges, fire up critical thinking skills and spark creativity as you explore the museum's interactive and engaging galleries. All exhibit experiences fuel playful learning adventures that support state standards.

**Grade Level:** Pre-K - 5

**Group Size:** Minimum of 20 children  
Chaperone ratio 1:4 is strongly recommended

**Available:** Wednesdays and Thursdays  
Special Group-only Mondays:  
March 4 and 18, May 6, 13 and 20

**Cost:** \$7.50 per child  
*Play for All* program rate:  
\$5.50 per child\*

Chaperones admitted FREE

**Reserve:** Fill out the field trip request form at [mcm.org/field-trips](https://mcm.org/field-trips) or call 651-225-6000 to schedule your field trip today

**Note:** Socks are required for everyone to enjoy *The Scramble*

Fewer than 20 students? Learn more about our community organization programs on our website.

\*Visit [mcm.org/groups-and-field-trips/](https://mcm.org/groups-and-field-trips/) for more information about our scholarship program.

BOOK NOW!



**SAVE!**

Reserve a date in off peak months (Sept. – March) and save \$1 per person

## Homeschool & Licensed Home Day Care Discount Programs

Homeschool families and licensed home day care providers are welcome to join our discount program to make museum visits convenient and affordable. Sign up for a year's access to endless amounts of fun at a reduced cost!

**Group Size:** Maximum of 20 children

**Cost:** \$6.50 per child (age 1 and older)  
Chaperones admitted FREE

**Apply:** Bring proof of your status to the museum box office or send your application to [mcm@mcm.org](mailto:mcm@mcm.org)

No reservations or minimum group size requirements.

## Community Nights

Empower family learning and build school community by hosting exclusive use of the museum for a community night.

**Group Size:** Up to 250 children and adults included in rate. Additional visitors are \$50 per 50 people.

**Cost:** Standard Rate: \$3,000  
Non-Profit Rate: \$1,750

**Available:** Tuesday or Thursday evenings,  
5:30 – 8 p.m.

**Reserve:** Call 651-225-6000 to schedule

## Discover Our Special Exhibits



Opens Summer 2024





Explore Our Interactive Exhibits

Imaginopolis

Explore a mysterious forest with a whimsical twist in *Imaginopolis*. This fantastical play space inspires students to stretch their imaginations, shape their own adventures and build on each other’s stories.




The Scramble

Students take responsible risks and build confidence in *The Scramble* as they navigate a spiral slide, two climbing towers and a netted catwalk suspended more than 40 feet high.

Socks required in *The Scramble*.



Creativity Jam

in the  Gallery

Think creatively and challenge assumptions in *Creativity Jam*, a lively and bright collaborative space with surprising materials and lots of creative thinking opportunities.




Our World

in the  Gallery

Cooperating with others in *Our World*, students play various roles in a vibrant Minnesota city with a fire station, post office, food stand and more.



The Studio

in the  Gallery

Gain confidence and stretch ideas about what’s possible in *The Studio*. Students tinker, make and create in a mess-friendly workshop with real tools and authentic materials.



Forces at Play

in the  Gallery

*Forces at Play* encourages thinking outside the box as students devise their own challenges and dive into air and water play. Budding engineers build air-powered ping pong ball launchers and scrub a wacky vehicle in a sudsy car wash.

Shipwreck Adventures

In this fully immersive adventure, students will stretch their creative thinking skills as they explore a 20-foot-long shipwreck on the bottom of Lake Superior while learning about the plants and animals that are native to the North Shore.



Supports State Education Standards	Health and PE	Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies	Visual Arts
Forces at Play		●	●	●		
Shipwreck Adventures	●	●		●	●	
The Scramble	●					
Imaginopolis	●	●		●		●
Creativity Jam		●	●			
Our World		●	●		●	
The Studio		●	●			●
The Landing	●	●				