

Tips for Parents and Caregivers

Hello! Your student has an upcoming virtual program from the Museum of Science. This tip sheet will help you prepare for the program.

On the Day of Your Program

- **Log in** to your Zoom webinar at least 5 – 10 minutes before the start of your program
- **If the link is not working** or you need any other assistance, contact your student's teacher. They will be able to communicate directly with the Museum in order to troubleshoot problems.

What to Expect When You Enter the Program

Zoom Webinar Format

- **Cameras and microphones** are not available to teachers and students in this program
- **Chat feature** can be used by students and teachers to communicate and interact, but:
 - Teachers and students can only chat with Museum of Science staff
 - Teachers and students cannot chat with each other

Communication Tips

Help your student share what they're excited about!

- Use the chat to share your observations, predictions, and questions
- Encourage your child to ask questions.
 - We will try to answer as many student questions as possible
 - Sometimes, however, we may not be able to get to all the questions

Build on what they learned.

- Ask your child what they did today
- Help them explore other resources
 - There is lots more to explore and find out on the Museum's website: mos.org, on the web, and in books from the library

