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The Museum of Science inspires a love of learning beyond the classroom walls.

Through fun STEM-filled adventures and exciting live presentations, activities, and exhibits, students are encouraged to think like scientists and engineers. Fuel your students’ naturally innovative spirits and share memories to last a lifetime on a field trip to the Museum of Science!

Read on to learn how to customize a field trip that fits your curriculum, interests, and budget today!
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So you’ve decided on a field trip to the Museum of Science!

Here are five things to think about before you make your reservation:

1. **How much time will your students spend in the Museum’s Exhibit Halls?**
   Once you decide, think about whether or not lunch at the Museum will fit into your schedule. For more information about our lunch options, flip to page 19.

2. **Now that you know how much time you have for your trip, let’s find a way to fill those hours.**
   In addition to our engaging exhibits, the Museum of Science offers a range of live presentations and staffed educational experiences that are included with your admission. You can find descriptions and schedules for these presentations and activities on pages 8 through 10.

3. **If you want even more excitement,** add on a Planetarium show (page 11), an Omni film (page 12), a 4-D film (page 14), or a trip to the Butterfly Garden (page 14). These Add-Ons will each be an additional cost of $4 per person.

4. **Can’t afford a trip to the Museum?**
   Scholarships, including bus funding, may be available for qualifying schools. Find out more on page 18.

5. **When you’re ready, call the Field Trip Reservation Hotline at 617-723-2500**
   to make your reservation. If you are a Teacher Partner (find out more on page 17), you can also reserve online at [mos.org/field-trip-reservations](http://mos.org/field-trip-reservations).

**NEED MORE INFORMATION?** General booking details, including pricing, chaperone guidelines, and accessibility information are available on pages 18 and 19.
Help streamline your field trip with a Themed Experience! We provide potential themes to guide you during your visit, but there are plenty of ways to experience the Museum—this is just one place to start!

Email us at library@mos.org or call us at 617-589-0174 to plan your field trip.

**PHYSICAL SCIENCE**

*Use at least one option from each category to create a field trip.*

**LIVE PRESENTATION**
- Fantastic Forces
- Exploring Laws of Motion
- Exciting Energy
- Energy in Action
- Lightning!
- Super-Cold Science

**EXHIBIT**
- Science in the Park
- Energized!
- Investigate!

**STAFFED EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE**
- Design Challenges
- Investigation Station

**ADDITIONAL COST ADD-ON:**
- Omni: Extreme Weather;
- Volcanoes
- Planetarium: Explore the Solar System; Explore the Galaxy

**EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCE**

*Use at least one option from each category to create a field trip.*

**LIVE PRESENTATION**
- What’s Up in Space?
- Super-Cold Science

**EXHIBIT**
- Space: An Out-of-Gravity Experience
  (through Jan. 1, 2019)
- Cosmic Light
- The Lighthouse
- To the Moon

**STAFFED EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE**
- Design Challenges
- Hands-On Laboratory

**ADDITIONAL COST ADD-ON:**
- Omni: Journey to Space
- Planetarium: Explore the Galaxy
- 4-D: The Martian 4-D Experience*

**LIFE SCIENCES**

*Use at least one option from each category to create a field trip.*

**LIVE PRESENTATION**
- Zoom in On Health
- Live Animal Presentation

**EXHIBIT**
- New England Habitats
- Natural Mysteries
- Hall of Human Life
- Yawkey Gallery on the Charles River

**STAFFED EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE**
- Hands-On Laboratory
- Charles River Field Station

**ADDITIONAL COST ADD-ON:**
- Omni: Humpback Whales;
- Great Barrier Reef; Pandas
- Butterfly Garden

**TECHNOLOGY AND ENGINEERING**

*Use at least one option from each category to create a field trip.*

**LIVE PRESENTATION**
- Science Snapshot
- Lightning!

**EXHIBIT**
- Wicked Smart Nanotechnology
- Making Models

**STAFFED EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE**
- Design Challenges
- Investigation Station

**ADDITIONAL COST ADD-ON:**
- Omni: Dream Big
- Planetarium: Destination Mars: The New Frontier
- 4-D: The Martian 4-D Experience®

For more information:

**LIVE PRESENTATIONS:** Page 8  |  **EXHIBITS:** mos.org/exhibits
**STAFFED EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCES:** Page 10  |  **ADDITIONAL COST ADD-ONS:** Pages 11 – 14

*Pre-reservation required; free
EXHIBIT HIGHLIGHTS

With more than 700 interactive exhibits, the Museum offers something to fascinate and engage every student.

Natural Mysteries
Observe a reference library of interesting objects, experience enticingly mysterious environments, and participate in activities.

Investigate!
Practice thinking like a scientist by investigating different phenomena to try to understand the way the world works.

Science in the Park
Jump, swing, and use familiar objects to investigate the pushes and pulls of everyday life.
Dinosaurs: Modeling the Mesozoic
Check out fossils and life-size models to learn how paleontologists compile evidence and change the way we view these animals.

Wicked Smart: Invented in the Hub
This comprehensive exhibit invites you to celebrate Greater Boston-based innovations and the creators behind them!

Temporary Exhibit
Space: An Out-of-Gravity Experience
Experience the sights and sounds on board the International Space Station in this interactive exhibit!
Get your students excited about STEM! Choose from a variety of live presentations scheduled daily that can support your curriculum goals! Museum of Science presentations are aligned with both Massachusetts and National Science Standards. Join Museum educators for fun, interactive stage presentations that highlight an array of exciting STEM topics.

Live Animal Presentation
Explore the adaptation, behavior, and ecology of animals—as well as the environments they live in—with the furry, feathered, and scaly residents of our Live Animal Care Center.

Live Animal Story Time
Hear a story and meet its animal star in a presentation made especially for our younger visitors!

What’s Up in Space?
Discover the latest advances and innovations in robotic and human exploration of the solar system.
Capacity: 75. Location: Gordon Current Science & Technology Center Stage.

Lightning!
Explore lightning and storm safety as indoor bolts hurled by the world’s largest Van de Graaff generator spark insight into conductors, insulators, and the interaction of electricity, magnetism, and electric charge.
Capacity: 350. Location: Theater of Electricity.

Super-Cold Science
Investigate how heat and temperature relate to the movement of atoms and molecules, and experience their extreme, even bizarre, effect on solids, liquids, and gases.

Science Snapshot
Take a look at the latest science and technology headlines and research advances to appreciate their impact on our lives.
Capacity: 75. Location: Gordon Current Science & Technology Center Stage.

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**LIVE PRESENTATIONS**

**MONDAY – FRIDAY SCHEDULE***

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*Schedule subject to change. Check mos.org/daily-schedule for updates and added presentations in May and June.

**Scheduled daily at 11:00 a.m. through December 21, 2018. Available by advance reservation January 2 – June 14, 2019.
Science Magic
Grades K – 5 Challenge your observations and perceptions. Is it magic or is it science? Marvel at classic tricks that can be explained through science!
Mondays only; 10:30 or 11:30 a.m. Capacity: 287. Location: Cahners Theater.

Exciting Energy
Grades 3 – 6 Explore the sights, sounds, and amazing results of energy! Observe and predict how energy changes from one form to another.
Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. or Thursdays at 11:30 a.m. Capacity: 287. Location: Cahners Theater.

Fantastic Forces
Grades 3 – 6 Discover how to make predictions about the way objects move. Large-scale demonstrations show how forces govern the world around us!
Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. or Fridays at 11:30 a.m. Capacity: 287. Location: Cahners Theater.

Weather Wonders
Grades 3 – 8 Indoor wind, clouds, fog, and snow? Anything is possible when discovering how air, water, and temperature combine to cause weather changes. Elements of the weather are made before your eyes!

What’s Up in Space?
Grades 6 – 12 Discover the latest advances and innovations in robotic and human exploration of the solar system.
January 2 – June 14, Monday – Friday; 11:00 a.m. Capacity: 75. Location: Gordon Current Science & Technology Center Stage.

Zoom in On Health
Grades 6 – 12 Learn about the latest in human biology and health science news ranging from communicable diseases, to brain development and changes, to cutting-edge medical diagnoses and treatments.
Monday – Friday; 11:30 a.m. Capacity: 75. Location: Gordon Current Science & Technology Center Stage.

Energy in Action
Grades 7 – 12 Heat, light, sound, electromagnetism, and more—all are forms of energy. Experiment with energy as it transfers, transforms, and does work!
Tuesdays at 11:30 a.m. or Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. Capacity: 287. Location: Cahners Theater.

Exploring Laws of Motion
Grades 7 – 12 See how a rocket car, exploding paper, or even a simple bowling ball can dramatically demonstrate relations between mass, velocity, acceleration, and force as described by Newton’s laws of motion.
Wednesdays at 11:30 a.m. or Fridays at 10:30 a.m. Capacity: 287. Location: Cahners Theater.
Engage with our educators throughout the Museum. Visit one of our staffed spaces to explore interactive science activities and experiences. Visit [mos.org](http://mos.org) to view the daily schedule and contact information for reserving specific activity topics. We recommend having students in small groups on a staggered schedule during your visit so that they may enjoy a personal experience with our educators.

**Design Challenges**  
*Grades 2 – 12*  
Dive into the engineering design cycle through a drop-in, hands-on 20-minute activity to design, build, and test a prototype solution to a given problem. School groups can request a specific Design Challenge for the day of their visit.  
Email [designchallenges@mos.org](mailto:designchallenges@mos.org) in advance to request a topic.

**Discovery Center**  
*Grades PreK – 2*  
An ideal area for early learners, this exhibition emphasizes the use of real objects with an extensive teaching collection for exploring natural history, physical science, and engineering topics. Young scientists can assemble a skeleton, touch real fossils, investigate air pressure, or try out hands-on experiments.

**Hall of Human Life, Biogen Foundation Exploration Hub**  
*Grades K – 12*  
Explore human biology through comparisons with other organisms—including friends, family, and other Museum visitors—in activities that vary throughout the day. Visitors of all ages can enjoy measuring the strength of their grip, viewing a sheep eye dissection, touching the real heart and lungs of an animal, and more!

**Charles River Field Station**  
*Grades 2 – 12*  
Join a Museum educator and explore the river ecosystem with a variety of hands-on investigations. Topics vary by day and may include examining a sample of river water under a microscope, or testing your skills as a naturalist by identifying various bird beaks and skulls.

**Hands-On Laboratory**  
*Grades 2 – 12*  
The Hands-On Laboratory is a fun, interactive learning laboratory that encourages visitors of all ages to explore a variety of rotating topics in the laboratory sciences, including chemistry, biotechnology, environmental sciences, and more.

**Investigation Station**  
*Grades 2 – 12*  
Visitors think like a scientist as they design investigations and gather evidence. Activities vary daily from building circuits to exploring the properties of magnetic fields. Stop by and try them yourself!
The Charles Hayden Planetarium opened for the first time in October 1958. Now this state-of-the-art theater is celebrating 60 years of educating and inspiring its visitors with the wonders of the cosmos!

FOR SCHOOLS ONLY These live, interactive adventures feature astronomy educators who can fly school groups anywhere in the universe, revealing astronomical wonders and the intriguing science behind them. Students are encouraged to make observations and ask questions along their journey.

Explore the Solar System

Grades PreK – 5 Blast off from Earth and soar through space to discover the Moon, planets, and many other exciting sights of our solar system.
Monday – Friday; 10:30 a.m. Educator guide available.

Explore the Galaxy

Grades 6 – 12 Our solar system is only the first stop on a journey as students leave Earth behind and fly to the very edges of the Milky Way galaxy in this exploration of our place in space.
Monday – Friday; 11:30 a.m. Educator guide available.

FOR ALL AUDIENCES These shows are available outside of school showtimes to both schools and the general public. Check our schedule on mos.org/planetarium to help plan your visit.

Magic Tree House: Space Mission

Grades 2 – 5 Travel with brother-and-sister duo Jack and Annie in their Magic Tree House®—as they proceed to answer questions left for them in a mysterious note signed “–M,” receiving help from an astronomer, an astronaut, books, and the note’s author along the way!
Educator guide available.

Undiscovered Worlds: The Search Beyond Our Sun

Grades 5 – 12 Discover the diversity of exoplanets—the thousands of planets orbiting stars beyond the Sun—and how we find them in the search for the ultimate goal: an Earth-like world outside of our solar system!
Educator guide available. This international-award-winning program is produced by the Museum of Science.

New Planetarium Show!

Destination Mars: The New Frontier

Ever wonder what it would be like to fly to Mars? Explore human spaceflight by hearing how NASA and others are working on the technology that will get us there! Glide through the International Space Station, follow the rockets as we design bigger and faster ways of getting to orbit, and look ahead to future missions beyond the Moon and all the way to Mars!
Educator guide available. This brand-new original program is produced by the Museum of Science with support from NASA.
In our Mugar Omni Theater, the world’s largest film format is projected onto a five-story-tall IMAX® Dome screen. Shows are approximately 50 minutes long and are ideal for grades 3 – 12. With a wide variety of titles that run throughout the day, an Omni film is the perfect complement to any Museum of Science field trip.

Great Barrier Reef
Immerse yourself in the natural beauty and exquisite strangeness of this awesome, bizarre, and vibrant living world.

A December Media film produced in association with Slattery Family Trust, Biopixel, Soundfirm, Film Victoria, and Screen Queensland and distributed by MacGillivray Freeman Films.

Volcanoes: The Fires of Creation
Discover molten worlds and exploding craters in this adrenaline-filled, immersive experience that takes you to various hotspots.

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Pandas
See the engaging story of how scientists from China and the US prepare captive-born panda Qian Qian for life in the wild and how she adjusts to her new surroundings.
We've set aside a special time just for schools!

Choose the 11:00 a.m. Omni showing to see one of our special school films pre-selected to support your science and social studies curriculum.

Films rotate each week. Check mos.org/imax for full schedule.

Amazing Journeys
Follow the life-and-death dramas of five of the most incredible animal migrations on the planet.

Dream Big: Engineering Our World
Celebrate the human ingenuity behind engineering marvels big and small, and learn how engineers push the limits of innovation!

Extreme Weather
Take a thrilling journey through wildfires, tornadoes, and other extreme weather conditions.

Humpback Whales
Travel to Alaska, Hawaii, and the Kingdom of Tonga to see how these whales communicate, sing, feed, play, and care for their young.

Journey to the South Pacific
Swim with the world’s largest shark, encounter mysterious creatures of the sea, and explore the planet’s most spectacular coral reefs.

Journey to Space
Learn about NASA’s accomplishments, including the launch of the Space Shuttle Program and what’s still to come, in this cinematic voyage into the final frontier.

Lewis & Clark: Great Journey West
Experience the danger and beauty of the unknown West as it unfolded before the eyes of Lewis and Clark.
Our immersive 4-D films merge 3-D technology with in-theater special effects to capture your students’ complete attention. All five senses will be awakened in these 15-minute films as students learn about topics from outer space to the North Pole.

The Martian 4-D Experience®
Matt Damon stars as Mark Watney, an astronaut stranded on Mars who must utilize his scientific ingenuity to reunite with his crewmates in a daring, if not impossible, rescue mission.
Available Through November 8, 2018 and January 2 – April 19, 2019
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THE POLAR EXPRESS™ 4-D Experience
Go on an extraordinary 4-D adventure on THE POLAR EXPRESS! When a doubting young boy takes a train ride to the North Pole, he learns that the wonder of life never fades for those who believe.
Available November 9, 2018 – January 1, 2019
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Our tropical oasis offers your students a wonderful opportunity to get close to living butterflies from New England and across the globe. In addition to walking among the free-flying butterflies, students will learn about metamorphosis, the butterfly life cycle, the meanings of butterfly wing colors, and more.

FOR ALL AUDIENCES
Butterfly Garden
Notice the diverse characteristics and behaviors of different species and explore the Emergence Box to witness metamorphosis in action.

FOR GRADES K – 2
Book a Butterfly Garden Experience!
These Museum educator-led programs occur on Wednesday and Thursday mornings from April through June and allow students to explore animal habitats and butterfly metamorphosis with a guided activity.
Extend your curriculum beyond the classroom! Students will meet professionals as they are introduced to inspiring STEM careers. Talk to local scientists and researchers, participate in a keynote address, and consider a world of job possibilities. FOR MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOLS ONLY.

Location: Cahners Theater. Keynote Time: 11:00 a.m.
Capacity: 75 students per school per event.
Funding is provided for Massachusetts schools in part by the Lowell Institute.

Chemistry is Out of This World
October 19, 2018
Grades 9 – 12 Discover the chemistry of outer space! This annual event includes a series of exciting demonstrations in Cahners Theater by an expert educator, and hands-on activities throughout the Museum.

Life Beyond Earth
November 15, 2018
Grades 9 – 12 Imagine a future where Earth is no longer the only planet we call home. This event features Space: An Out-of-Gravity Experience, an exhibit that explores the challenges and solutions that will shape our future in space.

Cybersecurity and Hacking
December 6, 2018
Grades 9 – 12 Technology is changing the way we live and interact with the world around us. It’s important that the technology we depend on is protected and secure. This event is in celebration of National Computer Science Education Week.

Innovation in Action
January 18, 2019
Grades 9 – 12 Did you know Massachusetts is consistently ranked as one of the most innovative states in America? At this special event, students will interact with Greater Boston-based innovations as they explore the exhibit Wicked Smart: Invented in the Hub. There will also be opportunities to engage with the Museum’s young professionals group, The Innovators.

Extreme Animal Adaptations
February 28, 2019
Grades 9 – 12 Earth has an incredible diversity of living organisms, with an even more astonishing array of adaptations to help them live on our blue planet. This event features Nature’s Superheroes: Life at the Limits, an exhibition that explores the amazing superpowers that animals, plants, and other living organisms have developed to survive and thrive.

Making Math Count
March 14, 2019
Grades 9 – 12 No matter a person’s age or background, math makes up an integral part of everyday life. Hear from STEM professionals about why math matters and how they put it to use in their work.

Health Fair
March 22, 2019
Grades 9 – 12 Learn and have conversations about the latest research from scientists and healthcare professionals who specialize in this field. This special event features guest speakers, hands-on activities throughout the Museum, and exploration in the Hall of Human Life.

Urban Agriculture
April 12, 2019
Grades 9 – 12 Community gardens, urban orchards, and rooftop farming give Massachusetts better access to healthy and affordable food. Hear about innovative ways local communities grow food while meeting experts in food sustainability and participate in hands-on activities.
**ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR SCHOOLS**

**Overnights**

*A Night They Won’t Forget! Grades 1 – 7*
Spend the night with your students at the Museum and enjoy hands-on science activities, science demonstrations, a late-night *Lightning!* show, Planetarium show, AND an Omni film. Students explore the Museum and even get a chance to sleep under a dinosaur or a giant grasshopper! For 2018–19 school group dates, curriculum connections, and a sample schedule, please visit [mos.org/overnights](http://mos.org/overnights).


**Traveling Programs**

*Bring the Museum to Your School!*
Our team of educators will travel throughout New England to bring the Museum's unique educational experiences to your school. From animals to physics, we have almost 20 entertaining and interactive programs for grades PreK – 8. All of our programs support the current Massachusetts Science and Technology/Engineering Curriculum Framework and Next Generation Science Standards.

Scholarships for qualifying schools are available. For more information: 617-589-0354, travelingprograms@mos.org, mos.org/travelingprograms.

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**Curriculum**

*Create a Generation of Problem Solvers*
The Museum develops curriculum that empowers children to become lifelong STEM learners and passionate problem solvers. Our engineering curricula (PreK – 12), resources, and teacher professional development are designed to innovate for the reality of today's educational landscape. Engage all learners with our curriculum—including English learners, students who receive special education services, and those who have not flourished in traditional academic settings.

- Start early and prepare your youngest learners for success with *Wee Engineer*® (preschool) and *EiE*® for Kindergarten.
- Empower elementary school students with *Engineering is Elementary*®.
- Encourage students' passion outside the classroom with *Engineering Adventures*® (grades 3 – 5) and *Engineering Everywhere™* (grades 6 – 8) for afterschool and camp programs.
- Continue the excitement about STEM careers in middle school with *Building Math* and in high school with *Engineering the Future: Science, Technology, and the Design Process.™*

We've introduced engineering to millions, and this is only the beginning of what we will achieve. Learn more about our curriculum by visiting [mos.org/engineering-curriculum](http://mos.org/engineering-curriculum).
The Teacher Partner Program is a free benefit package offered exclusively to K–12 teachers in New England schools. This program allows you to take advantage of the following benefits that will make planning your field trip easier:

**PROGRAM BENEFITS**

- **Easier Field Trip Reservations**: Teacher Partners have exclusive access to our online reservation platform.

- **Free Access to the Exhibit Halls**: All Teacher Partners have free individual admission to the Exhibit Halls using their card.

- **Free pre-field trip access to the Mugar Omni Theater, Charles Hayden Planetarium, 4-D Theater, and Butterfly Garden**: Just write or call the Educator Resource Center to reserve a voucher.

- **Teacher Partners can bring small groups of up to 11 students on a field trip without reserving in advance**. You can find more information at mos.org/teacher-partners.

- **E-News for Educators**: Our monthly newsletter highlights field trip resources, special discounts, professional development workshops, and more. To join, visit mos.org/email-signup.

- **Extend your field trip experience by borrowing books, curricula, and DVDs** from our Educator Resource Center. Contact library@mos.org or 617-589-0174 to find out more.

- **Priority access to free STEM-focused professional development opportunities** hosted at the Museum of Science. See our offerings at mos.org/professional-development.

- **Find out about even more benefits at mos.org/teacher-partners!**

**Need guidance designing a field trip?**

Museum educators are ready and able to assist you in developing an educational plan for your school visit. Email us at library@mos.org, call staff at 617-589-0174, or even schedule an in-person consultation with a Museum educator. Appointments should be scheduled at least two weeks in advance. We’re here for you, so let us know how we can help!
**Exhibit Halls Payment Rates**

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*School group rates are not available during Massachusetts school vacation weeks.

**The $5 Exhibit Halls admission is available for schools with free and reduced lunch participation at or above 35% and/or schools with a population of economically disadvantaged students at or above 25%.

**Add-Ons**

Payment rates shown for additional programs are added to the cost of Exhibit Halls admission.

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**Payment Methods**

- Payment is required upon arrival.
- For your convenience, we accept cash, business checks, credit cards, and purchase orders. (Please submit purchase orders at least three days in advance by fax: 617-589-0187, or email: fieldtrips@mos.org. Please include your order number on the purchase order.)
- We do not accept family memberships, Museum Overnight patches, free passes, or discount coupons.

**SAVING OPTIONS:**

**$5 Field Trips!**

In September, October, and January, we offer a discounted $5-per-person field trip rate for students and chaperones at eligible schools.

To qualify, schools must have free and reduced lunch participation at or above 35% and/or a population of economically disadvantaged students at or above 25%.

**Multi-Visit Rates**

Classrooms that return to the Museum with the same students may receive 50% off Exhibit Halls admission for the second visit. Please inform Science Central that you’ll be visiting more than once when making your reservation.

**Scholarships**

Reduced Exhibit Halls admission and funding to assist with bus costs are available for schools with free and reduced lunch participation at or above 35% and/or schools with a population of economically disadvantaged students at or above 25%. Funding requests should be made at the time of reservation.

Special thanks to our generous supporters and especially National Grid for its sponsorship, available for qualifying schools and groups in communities within National Grid’s service areas.
Chaperones
The chaperone policy is at least one chaperone per 10 students for grades K – 8 and at least one chaperone per 15 students for grades 9 – 12. Chaperones must be over 21.

Parking
There is no bus parking on Museum grounds except for drop-off and pickup. Buses may park at the Boston Autoport in Charlestown. Chaperones and teachers may park cars in the Museum garage and will receive a $5 flat rate.

Lunch
Various lunch options are available including food vouchers, school group meals, and bagged lunches. Please reserve a 30-minute time slot when making your reservation. Learn more at mos.org/field-trip-reservations.

Cancellations
Notify Science Central immediately: 617-723-2500, fieldtrips@mos.org. Missed reservations without notice prior to the visit are subject to a non-cancellation fee.

Changing Your Group Size
If your group size changes after you make a reservation, you must notify us by 4:00 p.m. the day before your visit. Contact Science Central: 617-723-2500, 617-589-0187 (fax), fieldtrips@mos.org.

Accessibility
The Museum aims to be a place where everyone can participate. For more information on the Museum’s accessibility, please visit mos.org/accessibility. For questions or accommodation requests: 617-723-2500, accessibility@mos.org.

Planning Resources
Need help figuring out which exhibits, shows, or programs best meet your educational goals? Contact library@mos.org or call 617-589-0174 to discuss your field trip with a Museum educator.
Space: An Out-of-Gravity Experience
On Exhibit Through January 1, 2019
Experience the sights and sounds on board the International Space Station, and try some of the feats of engineering that support astronauts. Along the way, see footage of astronauts living and working in space, hear about their challenges and accomplishments, and discover what's still to come!

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Nature’s Superheroes: Life at the Limits
On Exhibit February 14 – May 5, 2019
Discover bizarre mating serenades, explore a cave where animals live without eyes, and investigate how a giant elephant seal can hold its breath for nearly two hours. This exhibit offers a fascinating lens on the power of evolution to shape exceptional responses to the challenges, and opportunities, of life on Earth.

Nature’s Superheroes: Life at the Limits is organized by the American Museum of Natural History, New York (amnh.org).