

Summer Field Trip 2019



Please use this sheet to organize & prepare your chaperone groups before your visit. Thinkery requires one (1) adult chaperone for every eight (8) students.

GROUP INFORMATION

CHAPERONE NAME: _____

TEACHER NAME: _____

TEACHER PHONE NUMBER: _____

SCHOOL & GRADE: _____

DEPARTURE TIME: (MEET @ GROUP ENTRY) _____

STUDENT NAMES:

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

TODAY'S GALLERY ACTIVITIES

Spark Shop

1st floor

Making Connections

All day

Got an idea? Dream it, design it, & build it using our YOXOs and our Strawbees.

Kitchen Lab

2nd floor

Protect Our Planet

All day

Help keep Earth healthy! Sort through waste & learn how we can help keep animals and their biomes safe.

Story Nook

2nd floor

LEGO® Lounge

Drop-in from 9:30–10:45 & 11:30–12:45

What will you build with our giant LEGO bricks? A fort for reading? A storytelling throne?

Story Time

11:00 & 1:00

Gather around for an interactive storytime led by a Thinkery educator.

Program Rooms 3 & 4

2nd floor

Light & Shadows

All Day

- Take center stage! Put on a shadow puppet performance.
- Forget the brush...see what it's like to paint with a flashlight!
- Freeze frame! Use props to create a shadowy scene in our light boxes.

GUIDELINES FOR PLAYFUL & SAFE EXPLORATION



Stay Together, Play Together:

Chaperones must remain with their groups at all times to ensure students are engaged and playing safely.



Walking Feet:

For the safety of all guests, make sure everyone in your group is being safe by using their walking feet.



Ask Questions:

This is a self-guided experience, but look for Thinkery staff in red shirts to further enhance your experience.



Food and Drink:

Food and drink must remain in the snack area.



Unavailable areas:

Bloom (upstairs in *Let's Grow*) and the Little Learners' Lab (downstairs in *Innovators' Workshop*) are clearly marked for babies and toddler-aged children only.



Communicate:

Ask your teacher what time your group is departing the museum. Make sure to meet back at group entry (downstairs) at your departure time.



Limit Cell Phone Use:

To encourage engagement between chaperones and students, we ask that all chaperones limit their cell phone usage.

AS YOU EXPLORE THE MUSEUM ...

Use your imagination • Collaborate • Problem-solve • HAVE FUN!



ASK GUIDING QUESTIONS

- What do you notice?
- Tell me about what you're doing.
- What does this make you wonder?
- How could you change this?
- What does this remind you of?
- What else do you want to explore?



CAPTURE MEMORIES!

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Take a Thinkery memory home with you!

During your visit, stop by the store (on Level 1) in your small group.

