

FACT SHEET

Field Trips

With more than 400 things to experience at Space Center Houston, students can learn while experiencing real science, math and technology, including the interactive Mission Mars exhibit, the international landmark Independence Plaza, multiple flown spacecraft, a real moon rock your students can touch, one of the world's most comprehensive collections of space suits and so much more!

Space Center Houston is a nonprofit science and space exploration learning center, a Smithsonian Affiliate and the Official Visitor Center for NASA Johnson Space Center. We offer a full day of interactive learning experiences to thrill both students and educators.

About

- Independence Plaza: Experience the historic shuttle carrier aircraft NASA 905 with the high-fidelity shuttle replica Independence mounted on top.
- Mission Mars: Experience a virtual Martian sunset, climb into a simulated Orion capsule and feel the texture of rock cliffs inspired by the red planet in this hands-on interactive exhibit.
- Starship Gallery: See flown spacecraft including Gemini V, Mercury "Faith" 7 and Apollo 17. Touch one of only eight moon rocks on earth available for the public to touch inside our Lunar Vault.
- NASA Tram Tour: Go behind the scenes at NASA Johnson Space Center. Tour Rocket Park, home of the Saturn V rocket, the most powerful rocket ever built.
- Astronaut Gallery: Walk among one of the world's most comprehensive collections of astronaut apparel and spacesuits.
- Films and live presentations: See an inspiring film or educational presentations about deep space, the International Space Station and scientific principles.
- Meet an Astronaut: Hear fascinating stories from NASA astronauts about their inspirational space experiences. *Check schedule for availability.

Pricing

- Register and pay at least one week in advance: \$10.95
- Register in advance and pay on arrival: \$12.95
- Pay on arrival without advanced registration: \$24.95 child; \$29.95 adult
- Title 1 school special pricing: \$5.95

Field Trip Enhancements

Launch your students on a journey with our field trip enhancements such as Stars & STEM, interactive learning experiences, Starship Gallery tours and Neutral Buoyancy Lab tours.



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