ADVENTURE PLANNER

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**KEY**

Each heading of the Adventure Planner is color-coded and numbered to match Pacific Science Center Guide & Map.

- Yellow: Theaters
- Orange: Building 3
- Gray: Courtyard
- Purple: Building 4
- Green: Building 1
- Blue: Building 5
- Gray: Building 2
This is the main entrance to Pacific Science Center. It is outdoors. Before entering the museum, I need to have a ticket.

You can get a stamp here on your hand or wrist, so that you can leave and come back to the Science Center on the same day.

This is the Denny Way entrance. You may have to wait in line inside. Once you have a ticket and a hand stamp, you can explore the Science Center.

This entrance has a special whisper exhibit outside. You can whisper into the tiny silver ring. The big blue plate will send the sound over to the other side.

The person who puts their ear close to the silver ring will hear the whisper! You can take turns talking and listening with your family.
These are pictures of Pacific Science Center staff, name tags and uniforms. You can ask the people wearing name tags for help at any time. If you have a science question, you can ask the staff to learn more.

It is important to stay safe when your family visits Pacific Science Center. That is why you need to stay close to your family and listen to directions. Walking is a better choice than running inside the Science Center.
**WATER WORKS**

Kids can play with water outside at Water Works. The water is cool.

Most exhibits you can play with will be dry.

You have the choice to let your hands get wet on the granite ball or watch others.

You might feel water droplets on a windy day if you walk in this area.

**OUTDOOR STAGE**

The Outdoor Stage is a place where the Science Center will have exciting extra things to look at or do on special days.

When it is empty, you can play on the stage, be silly, act out a story or even tell your family about what you just learned!

You can see the Water Works exhibits from here, while staying dry.
When guests are hungry and bring food with them, they can eat at the Brown Bag Corner, which is outside. It has a covering to protect everyone from hot sun or rain.

Sometimes families share tables with others. It is polite to ask if the seats are taken before sitting down next to someone new at Brown Bag Corner.

This is a place where our family can purchase food. There can be a line at busy times, so you may have to wait. The Cafe is also a place where you can take a break. There are tables and chairs for your family to sit and eat.

We walk up the stairs or we can take the elevator near the Information Desk and Guest Services to get here.
This is where families go to get more information and ask any questions you have about Pacific Science Center. This desk has schedules for shows at the Live Science Stage, Planetarium, special shows and films.

They have free maps to help you find the things you want to see and do. Usually, this is an exciting place to be, because it’s where your family decides where to go first.

There is a line on busy days. You should try your best to remain patient and calm.

The Live Science Stage is where Pacific Science Center staff give shows to teach us about science. A sign outside the seating area lists the show times for the day. The shows can be fun and loud. We can ask about the shows at the Guest Services desk next door. On busy days, you should go to the show early to get the seat you want.

The shows are exciting. The staff love to have the audience say the answers to questions. If you think you know the answer, you can say it too.

The shows sometimes use helpers; you can raise your hand if you want to participate. Many people think the shows are one of their favorite parts of visiting Pacific Science Center!
The planetarium is an exciting place to look at stars and learn more about them. You need to buy tickets to see a planetarium show.

A few minutes before the show starts, you should wait in line to find your seats. You will see red computer screens when you walk in.

After everyone sits in their seats, the show will start. The planetarium changes slowly from regular light to bright starlight, so that you can see the stars and constellations. Sometimes the stars will move, so that you can see new galaxies.

At the end of the show, the lights come slowly back on.

The dinosaurs are exciting to look at. Some dinosaurs move and others make noises.

In this area, you can sit in a dinosaur footprint, flip cards to learn more about dinosaurs and make a T-Rex jaw open and shut.
Science On a Sphere is a special globe. It is made by using pictures and movies and projecting them onto the blank globe.

Staff will sometimes use this globe to teach people about our planet. You can sit or stand to watch the show from behind the railings.

It is interesting to see how clouds move across the Earth to make the weather when there is not a show.

You can use your quiet voice when you walk by and look at other exhibits about the planets.

You can look at sea creatures and touch some of them at the Saltwater Tide Pool.

Rinse your hands with water to wash away the germs before walking up the steps to see the animals. When you touch sea creatures, the water will be cool.

Use gentle touch with the sea creatures by using only one finger to softly feel them. When you are done looking and touching, tell your family. Rinse your hands again with water so that you wash away all the salt off your hands.
**JUST FOR TOTS AREA**

This is an area for small kids. They need a place to get wiggles out!

If you are taller than 42 inches, you can play with the water toys on the edge outside of the Tots Area. There is a special water fountain box where you can play with water and stay very dry because all of the spray is inside the clear box.

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**WELLBODY ACADEMY - Cafedium**

**THERE ARE MANY THINGS TO SEE IN WELLBODY ACADEMY.**

**HERE IS WHERE YOU CAN MAKE A PRETEND MEAL.**

The Food Analyzer tells you about food.

You can pick up a picture disk of a food. Then you put it into a hole in the computer.

The computer will tell you about the food.

You can pretend you are making breakfast, lunch, dinner or a snack.
THERE ARE MANY THINGS TO SEE IN WELLBODY ACADEMY.

HERE IS WHERE YOU CAN MAKE FIGURES ON THE CEILING MOVE.

There is a cyclist, acrobat and swimmer high up above that you can move.

You have to pull on the ropes, crank a wheel or run in place several times and look up!

If you think it is too hard, you can ask your family to help you.

You can ask your family to go upstairs to see them up close.

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THERE ARE MANY THINGS TO SEE IN WELLBODY ACADEMY.

You can go upstairs in Wellbody Academy.

There are computers to play with that take your picture. You can decide on healthy or unhealthy choices to see how your face might look as an adult.

Your family can take pictures in the photo booth. You can choose the background. When the photos come out you can put them on the wall with other families photos. Having fun can be healthy!
There are many things to see in Wellbody Academy.

**Sneeze Wall**
You can visit the Sneeze Wall. There will be a big screen with a close-up of someone’s face.

They will get ready to pretend sneeze. The closer you stand, the more spray you will feel. There is a chart on the floor to let you know how wet you will get. To stay dry, stand farther away.

The sneeze is imaginary and is made out of water. It can be funny to watch your family and friends be pretend sneezed on.

**Practice Washing Hands**
You can practice washing away pretend germs from your hands.

You can smell different things here. You can try to guess what you are smelling.

If you do not like strong smells, you can ask a family member to smell and guess instead.

You can squeeze the scent tubes. Then you can lift the silver flap to see if you are right!
THERE ARE MANY THINGS TO SEE IN WELLBODY ACADEMY.

WELLBODY ACADEMY - Slumbertorium

Here you will learn all about sleeping and snoring. There are fun videos of animals sleeping and a giant clock that shows all the things going on in your body while you sleep.

WELLBODY ACADEMY - The Studio

You can learn all about exciting new research going on right here in Seattle in The Studio.

The exhibit changes every six months and showcases local scientists and the research they are doing.

Maybe one day your research will be on display here!
ACKERLEY GALLERY

This room is open and bright. It has games with large pieces that you can play with your family. There is a giant chess board and a giant table and chairs you can climb on.

There are many activities that use hand and finger muscles here.

Sometimes there will be a live science demonstration in this room you can watch.

LIVE INSECT VILLAGE

At the entrance is a large grasshopper robot and a large talking robot beetle in a cage. You can get close to or stay away from the insects.

You can walk into the red tent area with games that can teach you about insects. The lighting is dim in the tent.

There are naked mole rats near the insect village. Mole rats look different from other rats and mice because they have no fur. You can watch them crawl through tunnels and sleep in their nests. You can also see glass cages with different types of creatures.

If a Science Center staff member is there, they might have a special insect that you can touch gently.
TROPICAL BUTTERFLY HOUSE

There are special rules for the butterfly house.

1. Leave food outside the exhibit.

2. Go through the first set of doors. Make sure it is closed. Listen to instructions, then go through the second set of doors to get inside.

3. Keep your hands to yourselves to keep the butterflies safe.

4. Careful where you step. There are butterflies on the ground too!

There are many types of butterflies with charts to help identify them. It is very bright and warm. It can be crowded.

Sometimes the butterflies will land on you. You might not feel them, or they might tickle a little bit. For butterflies to land on you, it helps to wear bright colors and hold very still.

PORTAL TO CURRENT RESEARCH

This room has displays showing what scientists who live in the Pacific Northwest are interested in and studying to learn more about in order to help our planet.

Each time you come here you will find different and exciting things to learn.

They could be studying volcanos, the ocean, outer space or even the jungle! Someday your research might be on display in this room for everyone to see.
**PACIFIC SCIENCE CENTER STORE**

This is Pacific Science Center’s store. It sells science toys, games and experiments. There are many things to look at.

**BODY WORKS**

This area has many things to touch, pull, push, look at and try. You can ride a bike, do a pull-up, smell things and test how well your family members see.

This room is noisy on busy days. You can go downstairs or outside to find a quieter space to take a break.
MOVIE THEATERS

There are two movie theaters at the Science Center with very large screens. Your family needs to have tickets to see a movie. It is best to use the bathroom before your family goes into the movie theater.

Once the movie starts, use your whisper voice.

For 3D movies, you will need special 3D glasses. Put them on at the start of the movie. If you wear regular glasses put the special 3D glasses over your own glasses.

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