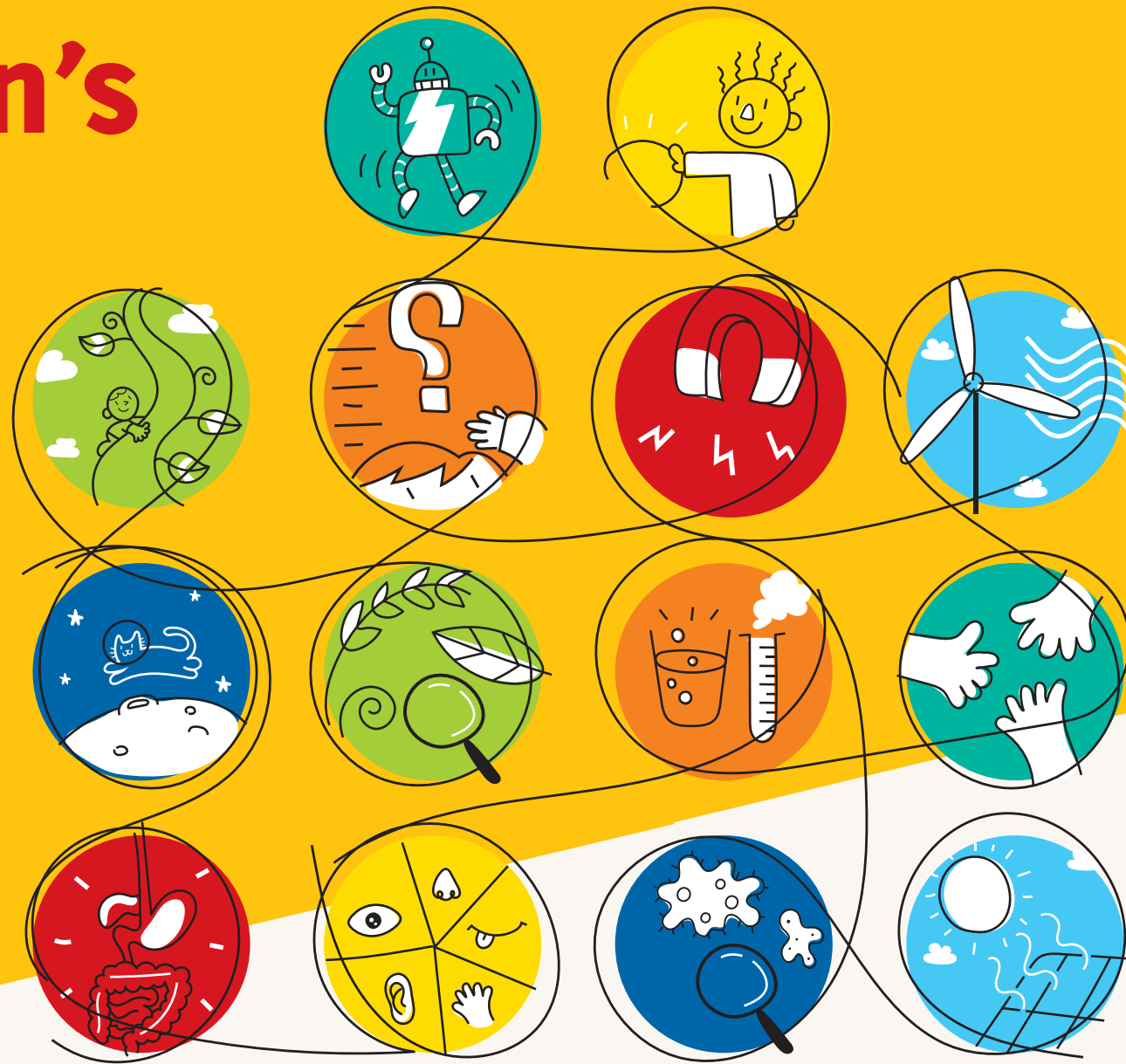


The Children's Museum Jordan



Teacher's Guide

To School Visits and Workshops

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Play . Explore . Learn

Hello!

The school term has started and fun visits to the Children's Museum Jordan are back!

Dear teachers, we would like you to think of the Children's Museum Jordan as a resource for fun learning that supports teaching in your classroom. You can make the best of the Museum by joining: the self-guided visits, one of the innovative workshops, or our year-round events.

This year, we designed a collection of resources with useful information, to help you plan your visit to be more effective and enjoyable.

Self-guided Visits

Students can play and explore, individually or in groups, in the Exhibit Hall which offers more than 185 interactive educational exhibits on topics linked to the curriculum, as well as skills development.

For a memorable visit, our educational Facilitators will assist you by playing with your students, answering your enquiries and providing information during your tour.

To expand on your visit, you can also participate in the curriculum-linked activities we offer at the Art Studio, Library, Tinker Lab and the Exhibit Hall such as the Mrs. Y shows.

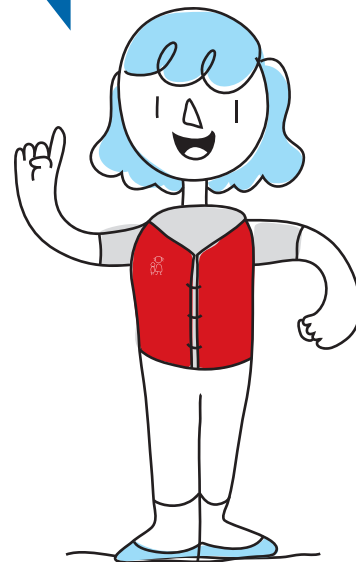


Exhibit Hall

Enclosed a map of the Exhibit Hall specifying the age groups most suitable for each exhibit area.

A minimum of 10 minutes per exhibit area is recommended.

Art Studio

Where students get to express their thoughts and feelings in a variety of artistic ways.

Duration: 20 minutes.

Library

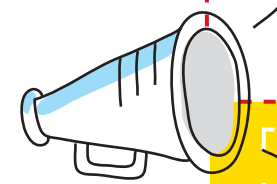
Where students are immersed into the world of story-telling and films.

Duration: 15 - 20 minutes.

Tinker Lab

Students learn scientific concepts by trial and error while working to build a product.

Duration: 20 minutes.



For Teachers

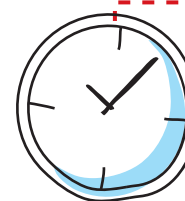
- Read about our activities for the semester in the Semester Calendar.
- You can request the Semester Calendar from the Groups' Booking Officer via e-mail or from the Reception Desk.
- You can access the Museum for free to plan your visit – Inquire with the Groups' Booking Officer.
- Each exhibit requires at least 10 minutes of interaction, so encourage your students to question, observe and play with things that interest them and at their own pace.
- You are the first reference and source of inspiration for your students, it is important to play with them to make their visit even more enjoyable.



Plan your visit

- All visits require pre-booking.
- The duration of the tour inside the Museum is an hour and a half.
- We welcome students from KG 1 to Grade 6.
- Your visit will coincide with several other visiting schools.
- Make sure that you allocate one teacher/chaperon for every 10 students during the visit.
- You can plan an educational/entertaining visit to specific areas in the Museum to link them with a module or lesson plan in the curriculum.

Example: The environment subject for Grade 6 – can be linked to the "Biodiversity in Jordan" and "I Am Change" exhibits.



Visiting times/slots:

Sunday, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday

- 9:00 am (the duration of the tour is an hour and a half)
- 11:00 am (the duration of the tour is an hour and a half)

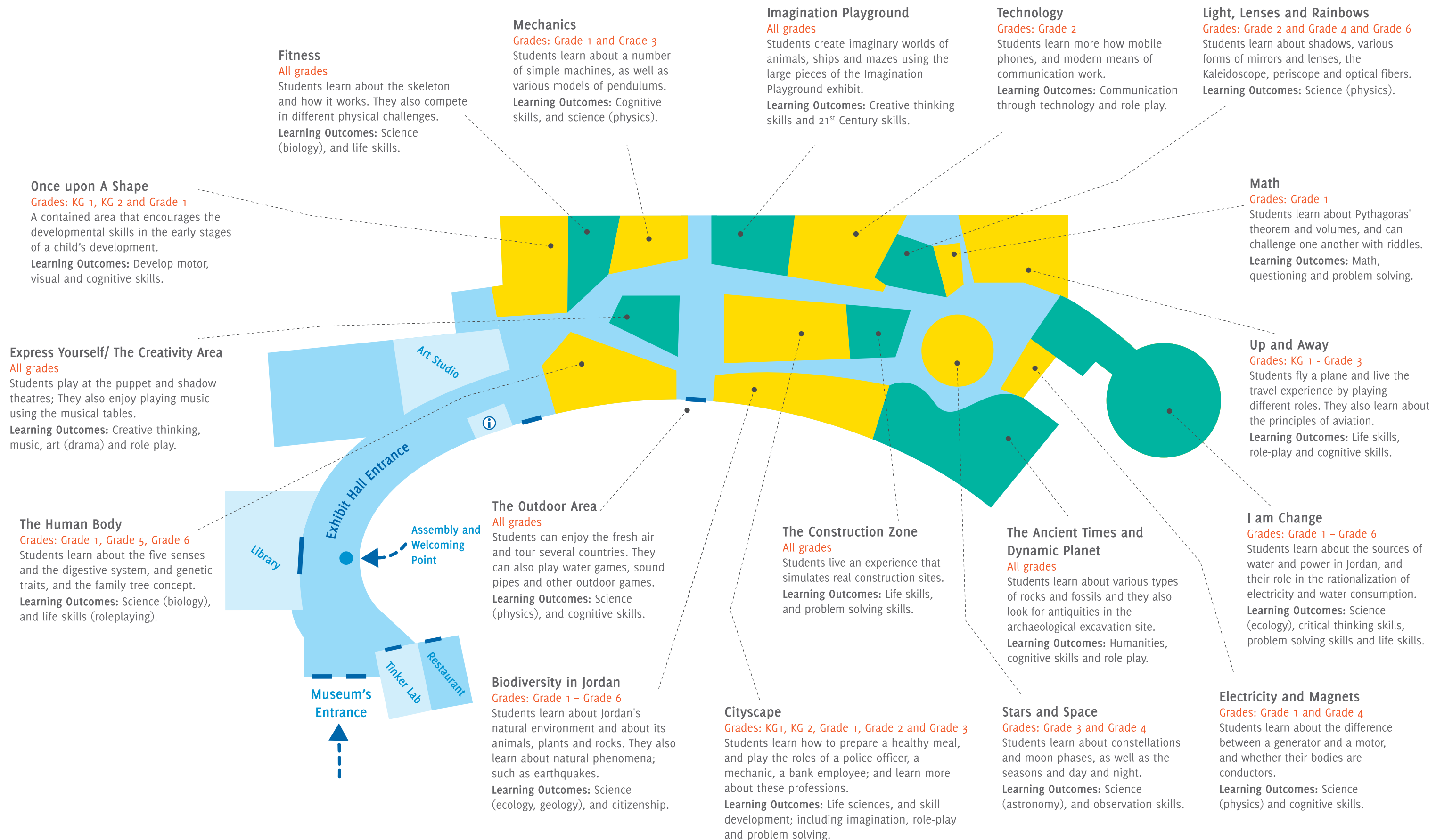
Saturday

- 10:00 am (the duration of the tour is an hour and a half)

Admission fees:

JD 2 per student (for non-member schools), inclusive of chaperons.

The Museum's Map



Workshops

To support the learning in the classroom, we have designed workshops in which students learn through hands-on and curriculum-based topics. The workshops are led by an educational facilitator, where each workshop has its own learning methodologies that work best for the topic and the target age group.

Plan a Workshop:

- The duration of the workshop is 60 minutes for grades: 1 - 6.
- The duration of the workshop is 45 minutes for KG 1 and KG 2.
- We receive one class per workshop (maximum 30 students).
- Some workshops can be offered in English.
- Workshops do not include self-guided tours in the Exhibit Hall of the Children's Museum.

Workshops' Times:

Sunday, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday

First workshop: 9:00 am – 10:00 am

Second workshop: 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Third workshop: 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

My Germs and I

Grades: KG 1 and KG 2

Children will assist Inspector Eye in his investigation of harmful and useful germs, and will learn about how germs are passed and how to protect themselves from them, while dancing to the tunes of his infamous hand washing song.

Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

My Senses and I

Grades: KG 1 - Grade 1

Students will assist Inspector Eye in his exploration of the world of senses where they pick magical oranges, while dancing to the music of senses, and building the paper wheel of senses.



Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

Larry the Cat

Available in English

Grades: KG 2 - Grade 3

In the planetarium, students will watch the story of Larry the Cat and how he managed to get to the moon. They will then build their own rocket.

Fees per booking: JD 3 per student
Minimum of 20 students per booking

Amazing Magnets

Grades: Grade 1 and Grade 2

Students will examine magnets, and how they work and react to various materials, and will compare magnets in terms of strength and classify objects as magnetic and non-magnetic.

Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

The Young Botanists

Grades: KG 1 - Grade 1

Students will use their five senses to explore the Secret Garden and its hidden secrets, and will compare plants' leaves by color, size and shape.



Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

Games and Values

Grades: Grade 1 - Grade 4

Students will play games that promote and enhance values; such as cooperation, acceptance and respect for diversity. They will also learn how to apply these values in their day-to-day lives.



Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

How Tall Am I

Grades: KG 1 and Grade 1

Students will use wooden blocks to measure the length of various objects so as to understand the concepts of same, longer, and shorter, then they will compare their heights to others.

Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

Our History

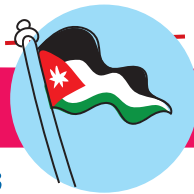
Grades: Grade 2 and Grade 3

Students will play different roles in the story that tells the events of the Great Arab Revolt, and will learn about the history of Jordan and the monarchy system to enhance their sense of belonging to the country.



Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

Our Jordan



Grades: Grade 2 and Grade 3

Students will locate Jordan on the globe and learn where the name "The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan" came from. They will also learn about the flag and its colors and compete in building the highest flagpole using LEGO bricks.



Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

Dancing Bots

Grades: Grade 3 – Grade 6

Students will design and build their own dancing machines using batteries, motors and coloring pens. They will also learn about electrical circuits, movement and enhance their creative thinking.



Fees per workshop: JD 120
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 105

Jack and the Beanstalk

Available in English

Grades: Grade 2 and Grade 3

Students will first listen to the story of "Jack and the Beanstalk". By dissecting a plant, students will then learn about the various parts of it and their functions, and how plants make food and what they need to grow.



Fees per workshop: JD 90
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 80

Static Electricity

Available in English

Grades: Grade 4

Students will learn about static electricity and the difference between static and current electricity. They will try to generate static electricity through various experiments, and will see how static electricity affects things around it.



Fees per workshop: JD 120
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 105

States of Matter

Grades: Grade 4 and Grade 5

Students will learn about the three states of matter: solid, liquid and gas, and how matter transforms from one state to the other. They will also make a fizzy drink using solid carbon dioxide.



Fees per workshop: JD 120
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 105

Solar Power

Grades: Grade 5 and Grade 6

Students will learn about renewable and non-renewable sources of energy and how they affect our environment. They will also generate electricity using solar cells to run a miniature car.



Fees per workshop: JD 120
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 105

Wind Power

Grades: Grade 5 and Grade 6

Students will learn about renewable and non-renewable sources of energy and how they affect our environment. They will also generate electricity using wind turbines to light a small bulb.



Fees per workshop: JD 120
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 105

Once upon a Bite

Grades: Grade 6

Students will learn about what happens to food in the digestive system as they watch the scientific comedy show in which Shorooq tries to eat Humam, the burger.



Fees per workshop: JD 120
When booking 3 workshops or more, fees are JD 105



How to book your visit?

Call us on 06 5411479 ext. 2091 to talk to the Groups' Booking Officer. We are available to answer any enquiries you may have.



FAQs

- **Is it possible to book a visit to the Library, Art Studio or a specific area only?** Yes, you could ask to include this area to your tour when you call to book. However, we are unable to close this area for the whole visit.
- **Do workshop bookings include a tour in the Exhibit Hall?** No, they do not include a tour in the Exhibit Hall, however, you could ask for an additional 10-minute visit to the exhibit area related to the topic of the workshop.
- **Is it possible to book a workshop for a class, if their grade is not within the recommended age range?** Yes you may, if the topic works for your class.
- **Is there a place to eat at the Museum?** Yes, we have a restaurant that can provide pre-paid meals to students, however, please make sure to arrange that with the Groups' Booking Officer when you book the visit.
- **How can I link the self-guided visit to the curriculum?** The Semester Calendar and the Museum's Map provide you with information on how the Exhibit Hall and our Daily Program link to the curriculum.
- **Is it possible to book the Museum for one school only?** Yes, this can be done in accordance with the Museum's booking policies and capacity.

Visit Infographic

Workshop Visit Infographic

Self-guided Visit Infographic

