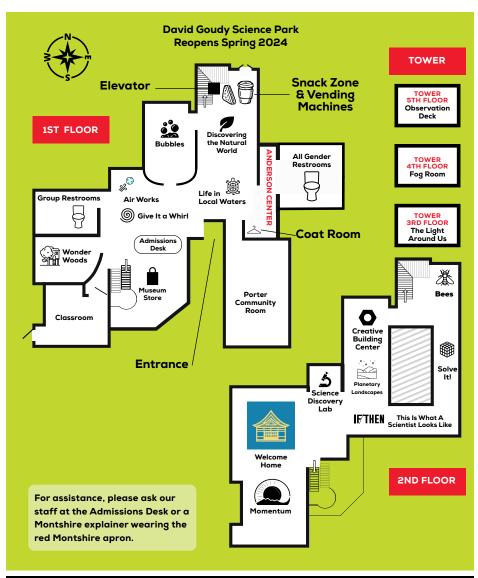
WELCOME TO THE MONTSHIRE!





VISITOR GUIDELINES

COMING AND GOING

The Museum is open to visitors 10am - 5pm. Use of Museum property outside of open hours is not permitted.

PLAY TOGETHER

Adults must supervise children and help make good choices for their age and ability. If adults get separated from their children, please notify an Explainer or Front Desk staff.

NO FOOD AND DRINK IN GALLERIES

Water bottles are okay, but please use the Snack Zone or tables outdoors for eating and drinking.

BE CONSIDERATE

From newborns to great grandparents, we want all visitors to feel welcome and safe. Inconsiderate treatment of Museum property, staff and visitors will not be tolerated. Please use walking feet when inside the museum.

1ST FLOOR



Give It a Whirl: Exploring Motion Explore the science of movement.



Bubbles: Science in Soap

Marvel at the science behind soap and water.



Wonder Woods

For children ages 5 and under.



Discovering the Natural World

Meet our leaf cutter ants and learn how they cultivate fungus gardens.



Life in Local Waters

An up-close view of turtles, frogs, fish and other native aquatic creatures.



Air Works

Examine the properties of air and the science behind it.

2ND FLOOR



Welcome Home

Pretend and play while visiting Hmong, Chinese, and Japanese homes. This exhibition celebrates Asian childhood while building school readiness for children ages 0-4.



Momentum

Think big with Chain Reactions, Rollways and Big Blue Blocks.



Creative Building Center

Build three ways with curves, tiles, and a giant construction set.



Planetary Landscapes

Experience the dynamic forces that shape our solar system.



Solve It!

Test your problem-solving skills with puzzles and games.

IF/THEN

This Is What A Scientist Looks Like
A tribute to today's women scientists.



Bees

Explore the world of honey bees.



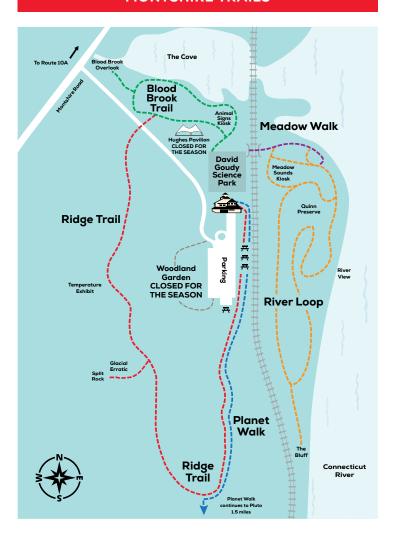
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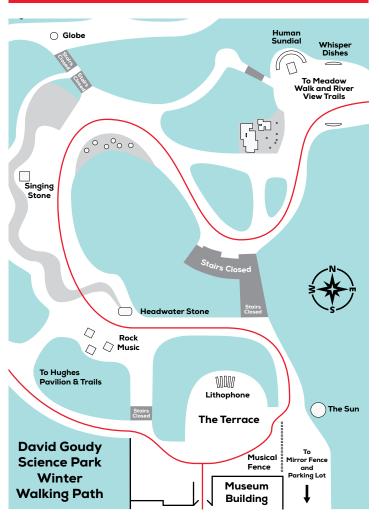
Take part in scientific investigations.

Discover more when you become a member! Join by 5pm and today's visit is FREE!



DAVID GOUDY SCIENCE PARK





GENERAL INFORMATION

TRAIL INFO

Please stay on the trails. Leave plants and animals undisturbed.

NO SMOKING

Smoking is permitted in the parking lot only.

FIRST AID

Please ask any Montshire employee if you need assistance.

NO PETS

Pets are only permitted in the parking lot, with the exception of service animals.

SNOW SHOES

Snowshoes available to borrow at the front desk.

Sensory resources are available to borrow at the Admissions Desk.

OUTDOOR EXPERIENCES AND TRAILS

During the winter, trails are not maintained.

Snowshoes or strap-on ice spikes are recommended. River Loop is the recommended trail for snowshoeing.



A walk in the Quinn Nature Preserve, along a meadow.

River Loop (0.8 mile)
A scenic trail with river views.

Blood Brook Trail (0.4 mile)

A trail with variety, from an open field to a grove of trees.

Woodland Garden (0.1 mile)

Closed for the season



Ridge Trail (1 mile)

A rugged trail with exhibits that explore ecology.



Planet Walk (3 miles to Pluto and back)

A scale-model journey that travels the solar system.



David Goudy Science Park

Water features will be available in May 2024.







