



Overnight Chaperone Information

We are looking forward to your Science Central Overnight! The following information has been assembled to help make your overnight event run smoothly. Please make as many copies of this information sheet as you need to for all of your chaperones.

Q: What are my responsibilities as a chaperone?

A: You are responsible for your group and their behavior during your visit to Science Central. Chaperones are expected to stay with their groups at all times.

Q: How will we know what to do and where to go?

A: Easy! You will receive a Schedule of Events at check-in that tells you what you will be doing at all times.

Q: What should we bring?

A: Wear comfortable clothes and shoes. Everyone must bring a sleeping bag and pillow. Also bring a toothbrush, toothpaste, and a comb or brush. Air mattresses are permitted.

Q: What should the kids *not* bring?

A: The kids should not bring any electrical appliances that require an outlet. Electronic games are also discouraged. Personal items are easily lost!

Q: Will we need money?

A: Only if you want to shop at our Gift Shop! The Gift Shop will be open Saturday morning.

Q: Where do we put all of the workshop projects and Gift Store purchases?

A: Chaperones have found it helpful to bring a large carrying bag or small backpack to hold items purchased or otherwise collected by the group.

Q: What if we lost something?

A: Science Central does not assume responsibility for the loss of personal items. Lost items are usually turned in to a staff member. There is a Lost and Found Box in the lobby which you may check.

Q: May we bring our own food?

A: We recommend that you eat dinner before you come. Science Central will have a small pizza party before bed, and a light breakfast in the morning. Please do not bring your own food into the building.

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First Aid & Safety

Visitor safety is a high priority at Science Central. First aid kits can be accessed in several locations. Safety rules for the group will be given at Orientation.

Sleeping Arrangements

You and your group will be snoozing among the exhibits on the Lower and Top Levels! When it's time for "Lights Out", most children will unwind slowly. Please help your group settle down for the night. Always escort your children to the restrooms and back to their sleeping quarters. Remember we will rise and shine at 6:30 a.m. for a light breakfast.

Food

All food is to be eaten in the Cafeteria. A late night snack will be scheduled for your group. In the morning, a light continental breakfast will be served.

Activities

Activities begin at 7:30. Participants will experiment with hands-on/minds-on science activities and make-it-take-it projects. The activity locations and times will be on the schedule that you will receive at arrival.

Overnight Schedule

6:45-7:00

- Arrive & store gear in the Entry Level as directed by staff
- Adults check-in & receive schedules

7:00-7:30

- Play for a little while
- Attend orientation (location on schedule!)

7:30-10:00

- Activities, exhibit exploration time, & pizza parties (follow your group's schedule)

10:00-10:30

- Set up sleeping area

10:30-12:00

- Lights out!
- Movies begin in the demonstration theaters.

6:30 AM

- Rise & shine!
- Bring belongings to Lobby.
- Light breakfast in the cafeteria.

7:30-8:00 AM

- Explore ~~unmanned~~ exhibits & visit the Gift Shop!