

SCIENCE WORLD

Science World Visual Guide

CAN
CANUCKS AUTISM NETWORK

Getting to Science World



Science World is located at 1455 Quebec Street
Vancouver, BC, V6A 3Z7

Here is online information on getting to Science World!

Welcome to Science World!



Science World is full of fun things to do!

You can:

- **Explore** different galleries
- **Interact** with exhibits
- **Learn** about science
- **Watch** live presentations

Following the Rules



There are some **rules** to follow at Science World:

- Stay with the person(s) you came with
- Take turns trying exhibits
- Respect people's space
- Watch for "No Food or Drinks" signs
- Listen to Science World staff

Staff and Volunteers







Science World staff wear **black shirts** and volunteers wear **purple vests** (see photos!).

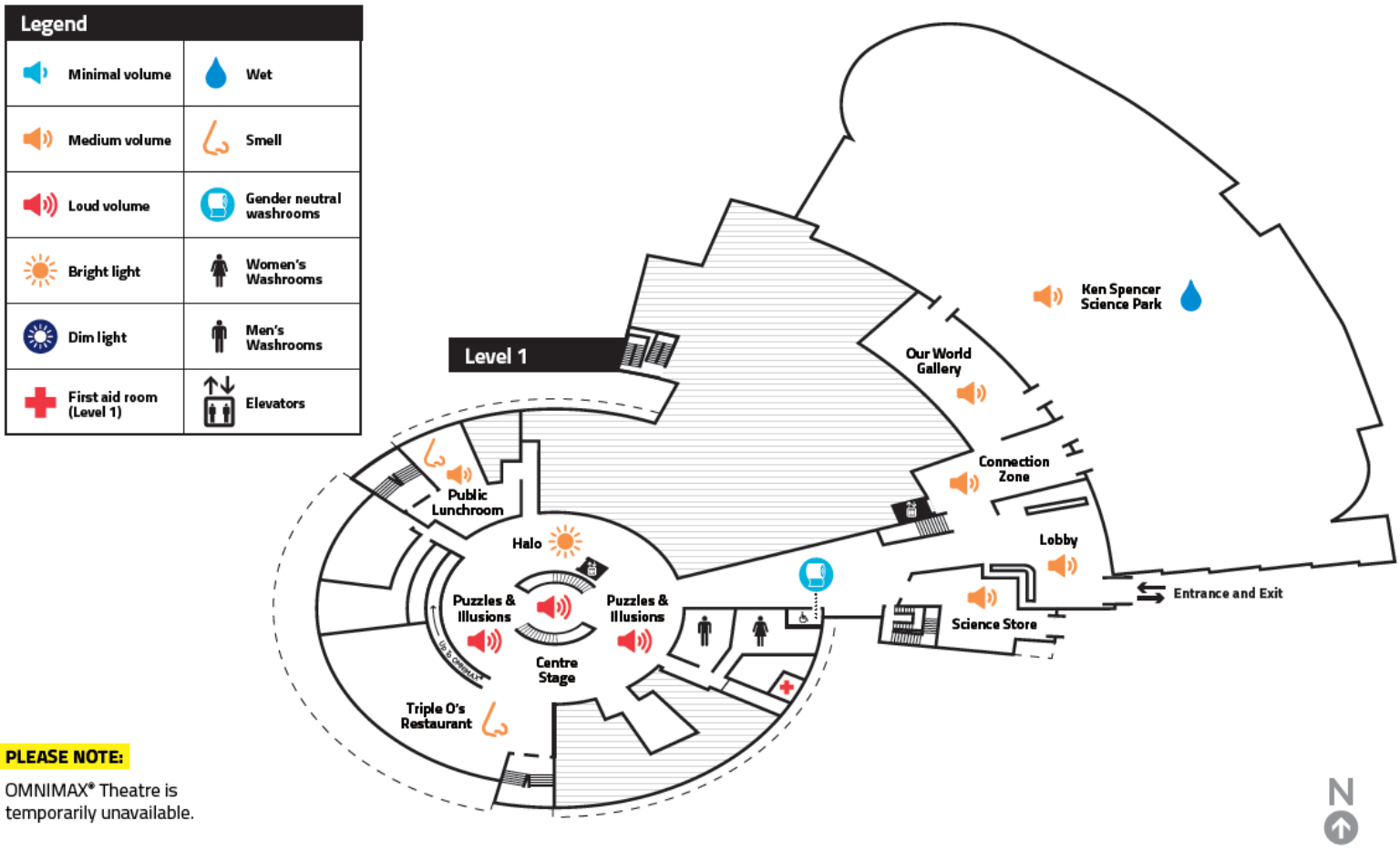
They can answer your questions, show you where different exhibits are, and help if you are lost.

Sensory Map

Level 1

Level 1
SENSORY MAP

SCIENCE WORLD



SCIENCE WORLD
1455 Quebec Street, Vancouver, BC Canada V6A 3Z7
t 604.443.7440 f 604.443.7430 w scienceworld.ca

20210520

Science World has many different **Sensory Experiences**.

Use this map to decide if there are **areas** you would like **to visit or avoid!**

Sensory Map

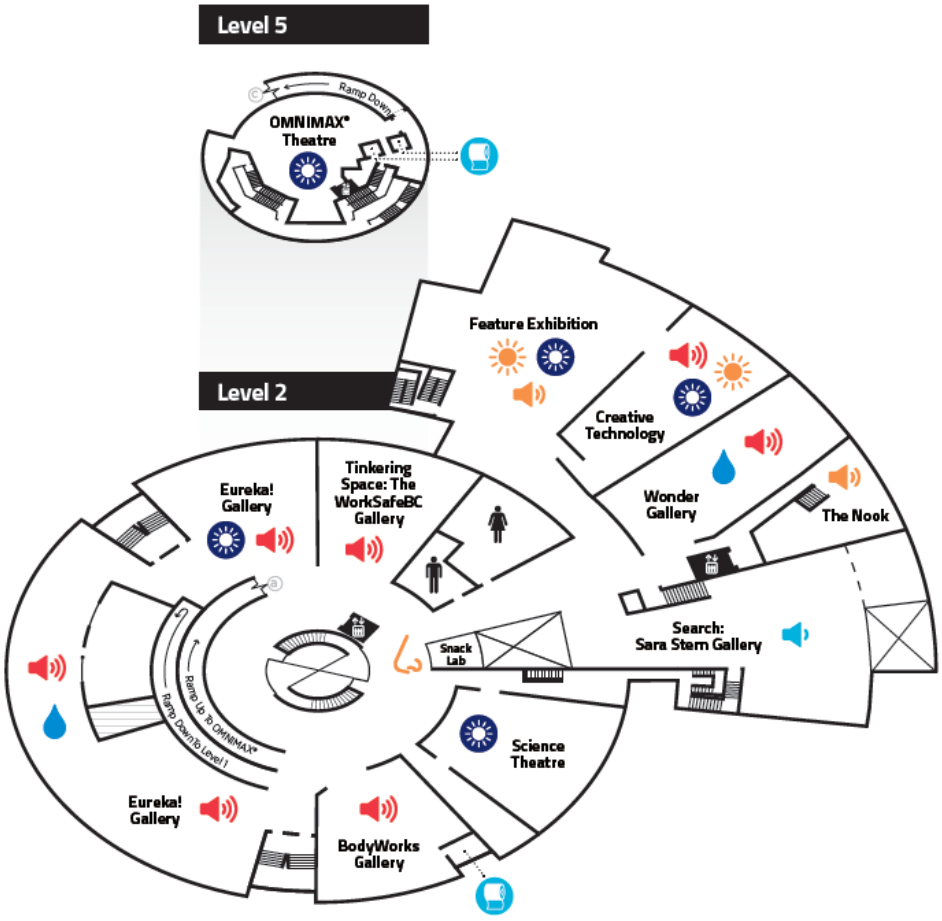
Levels 2 and 5

Levels 2 and 5

SENSORY MAP

SCIENCE WORLD

Legend			
Minimal volume		Wet	
Medium volume		Smell	
Loud volume		Gender neutral washrooms	
Bright light		Women's Washrooms	
Dim light		Men's Washrooms	
First aid room (Level 1)		Elevators	



PLEASE NOTE:

OMNIMAX® Theatre is temporarily unavailable.

SCIENCE WORLD
1455 Quebec Street, Vancouver, BC Canada V6A 3Z7
t 604.443.7440 f 604.443.7430 w scienceworld.ca

20210520

Science World has many different **Sensory Experiences**.

Use this map to decide if there are **areas** you would like **to visit or avoid!**

Admissions



When you arrive at Science World:

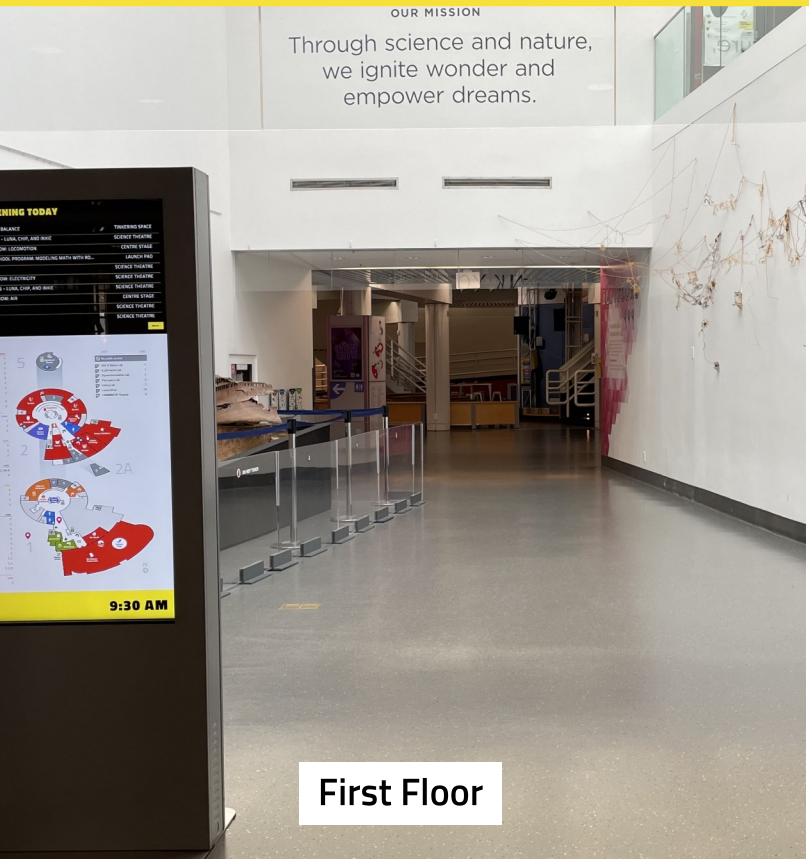
First, buy your ticket

Then, you can enter!

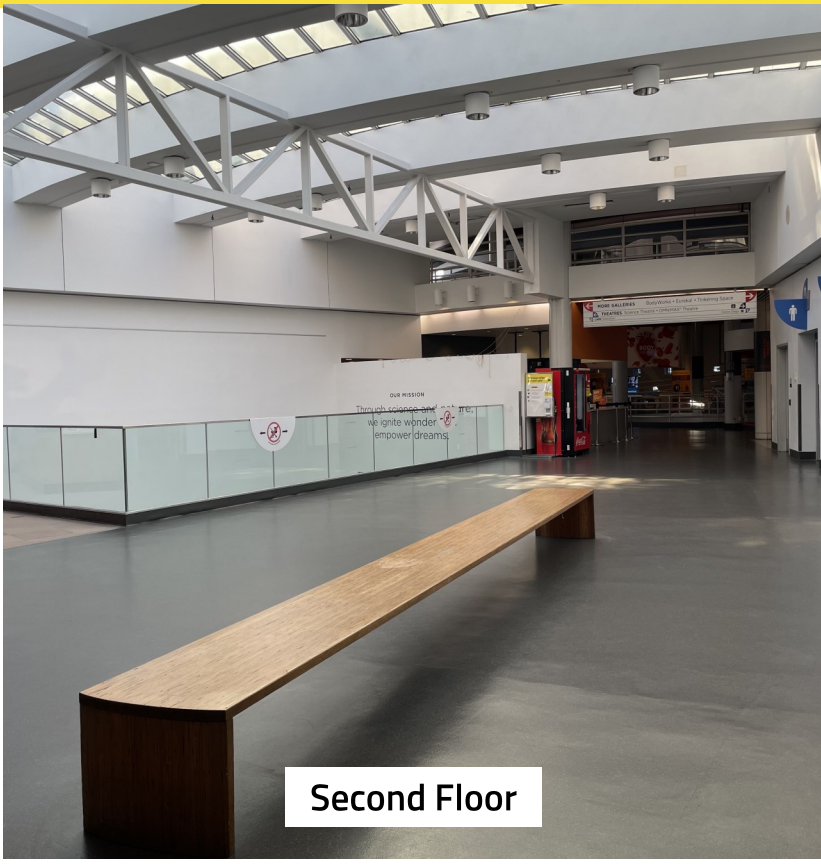
There might be a line, but it won't take long!

You can book your ticket online here before you arrive.

Break Area



First Floor


Second Floor

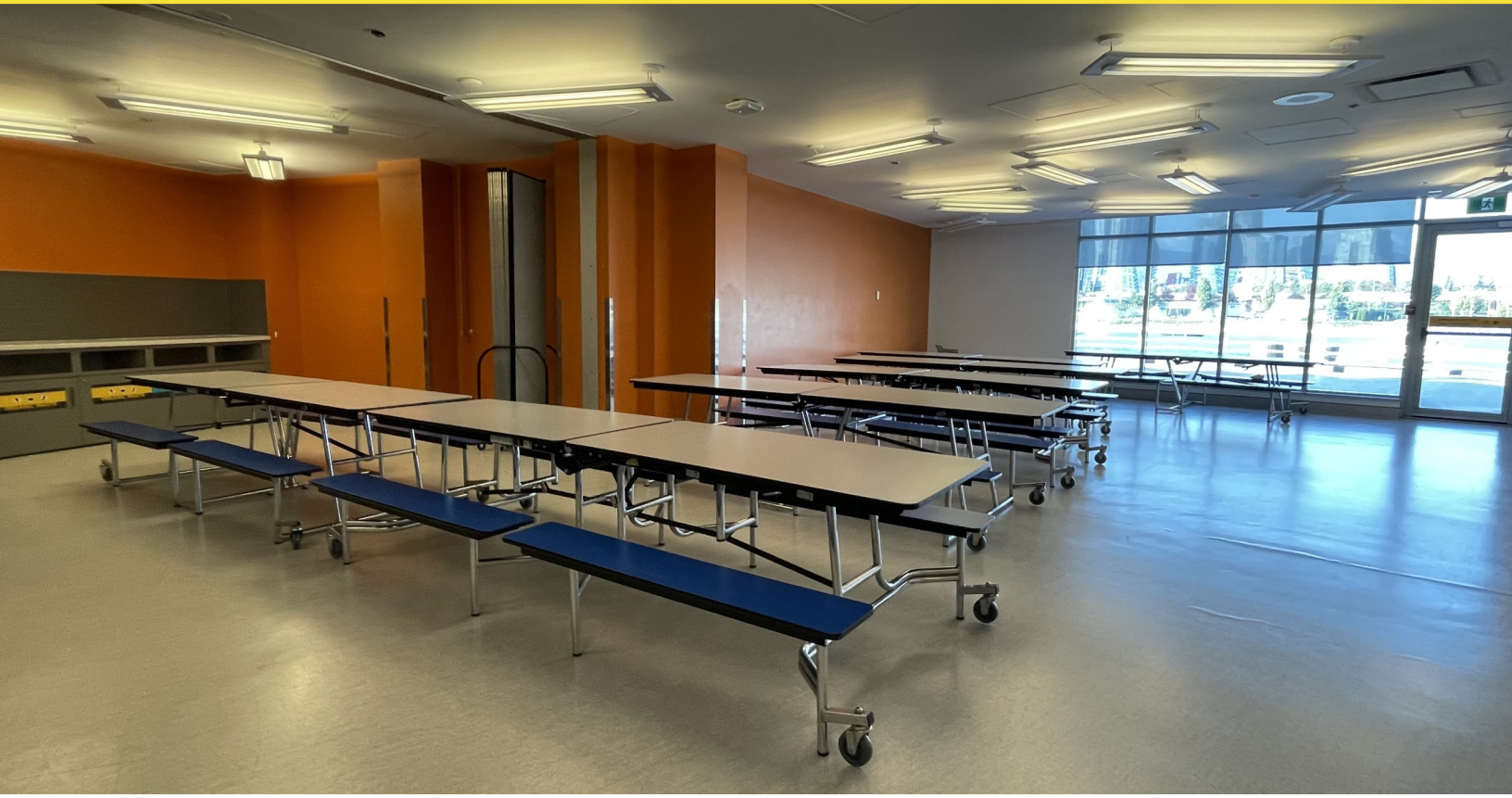
If you need a **break** you can go to:

- the **First Floor** hallway
- the **Second Floor** seating area

If you need some alone time, you can ask a Science World Staff member to go to a quiet room.

Public Lunchroom

First Floor



Science World has a **Public Lunchroom** on the **First Floor.**

You can bring your own food to eat there.

You can also purchase food at:

- The Snack Lab
- Triple O's
- Vending machines

Puzzles and Illusions

First Floor





In this gallery you can try different **puzzles** and **visual illusions**!

Sometimes there is a live science show in this area. It might be loud. You can stay and watch the show, or keep exploring.

Centre Stage

First Floor





This is the **Peter Brown Family Centre Stage.**

During the show, staff will do **science experiments**!

You might have to wait until the show starts. Please be patient.

Sometimes staff ask audience members for help with the show. If you want to help, you can raise your hand. If you don't get picked, you can just watch and enjoy!

Science Park

First Floor





***PLEASE NOTE: The Science Park is currently closed.**

This is the **Ken Spencer Science Park.**

It is open from March to October. You can explore outside, discover the gardens, or visit our hens!

This is also a nice place to take a break.

Tinkering Space

Second Floor





This is the **Tinkering Space: The WorkSafe BC Gallery**.

You can build structures with wooden KEVA planks.

There might be loud sounds when the planks fall down.

The activities might change. There will be a guide to help you.

You cannot take creations home, so remember to take a photo!

BodyWorks

Second Floor





Welcome to **BodyWorks!**

First! You can test your sport skills outside the gallery. There is climbing, jumping, and more. All activities are optional, you might have to wait your turn.

Then! Go inside the gallery to learn about how the body works. There are things like skeletons and x-rays to play with.

Some stations are loud, you can skip them if you want to.

Search Gallery

Second Floor





This is the **Search: Sarah Stern Gallery**.

Here you will learn about animals, plants, crystals, and more.
There are even some live insects!

There is also a big skeleton of a Tyrannosaurus rex!

This gallery is quiet and a **good place to take a break** if you need.

Wonder Gallery

Second Floor





The Wonder Gallery is for ages 0-5.

Here you can explore with your hands, crawl, build, and splash!

If the gallery is full, you need to scan the QR code and join the waitlist. You might have to wait, or come back another day.

Eureka! Gallery

Second Floor





This is the **Eureka! Gallery.**

You can play, use a pulley, shoot balls into water, and more!

There are **2 areas** of the gallery.

In one area, it is dark and there are flashing lights. *You do not have to go in this area.*

Feature Galleries





These are the **Feature Galleries**:

- **OMNIMAX® Theatre**
- **Science Theatre**
- **Feature Exhibition**
- **Creative Technology Gallery**

These are extra areas you can go to! You might need to buy extra tickets for these areas. Sometimes they are closed.

OMNIMAX® Theatre





***PLEASE NOTE: The OMNIMAX® Theatre is temporarily closed.**

You can watch movies at the **OMNIMAX® Theatre.**

First, show your ticket and go up the ramp.

Then, enter the theatre and find your seat!

The **screen is very large** and fills the whole dome.

It can be loud and intense to look at, if you need a break you can go into the hallway.

Science Theatre





This is the **Science Theatre**!

Sometimes, it is a **quiet space** with relaxing music and imagery where you can **take a break**.

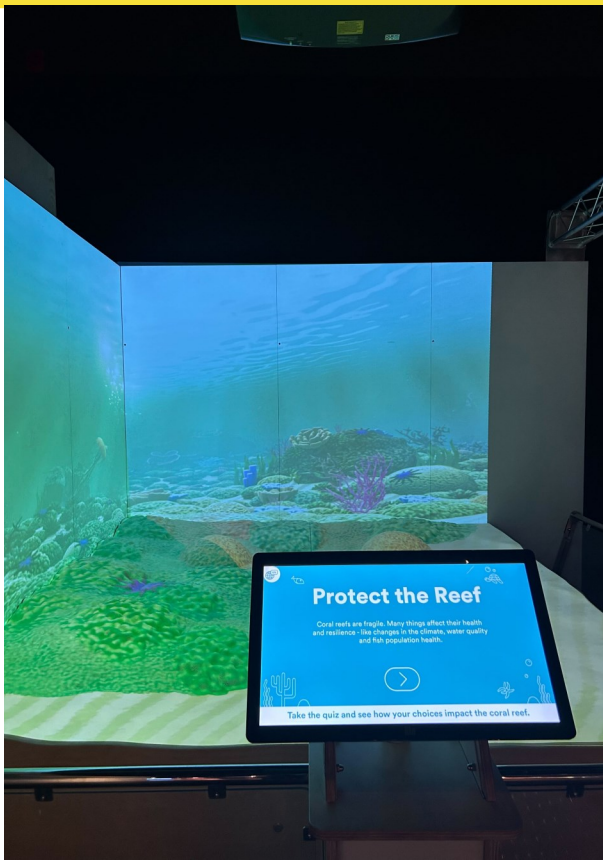
Sometimes, there are **films** or **live presentations** here.

If the theatre is closed, you can come back another time!

Earth Matters







Earth Matters is open May 31, 2024—January 9, 2025.

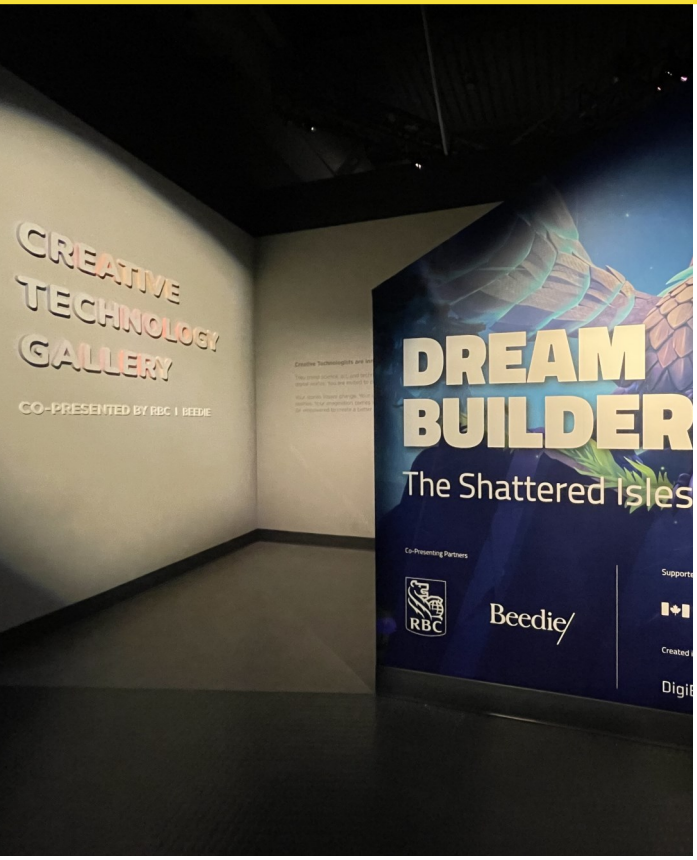
In this gallery, you can learn about **tackling climate change**.

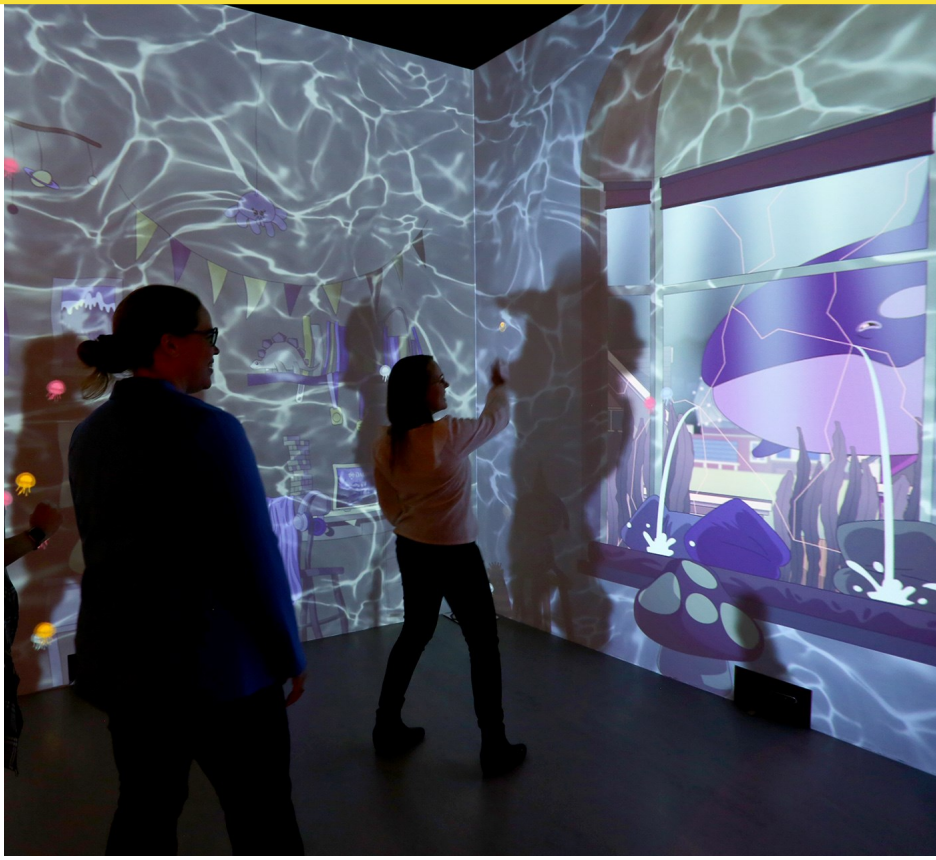
Try:

- Helping an insect find its perfect home!
- Taking trash out of a pond and catching some fish!
- Powering a city by riding a bike!

There are lots of activities to try. Some exhibits are **loud**. Others have **flashing lights**.

Creative Technology Gallery





Inside the gallery you **learn how video games** are made!

Try:

- Playing with virtual jellyfish
- Building behemoths
- Pouncing with pufflehops!

There are lots of **lights and sounds in the gallery**. There is a break area outside if you need to rest.

Science Store

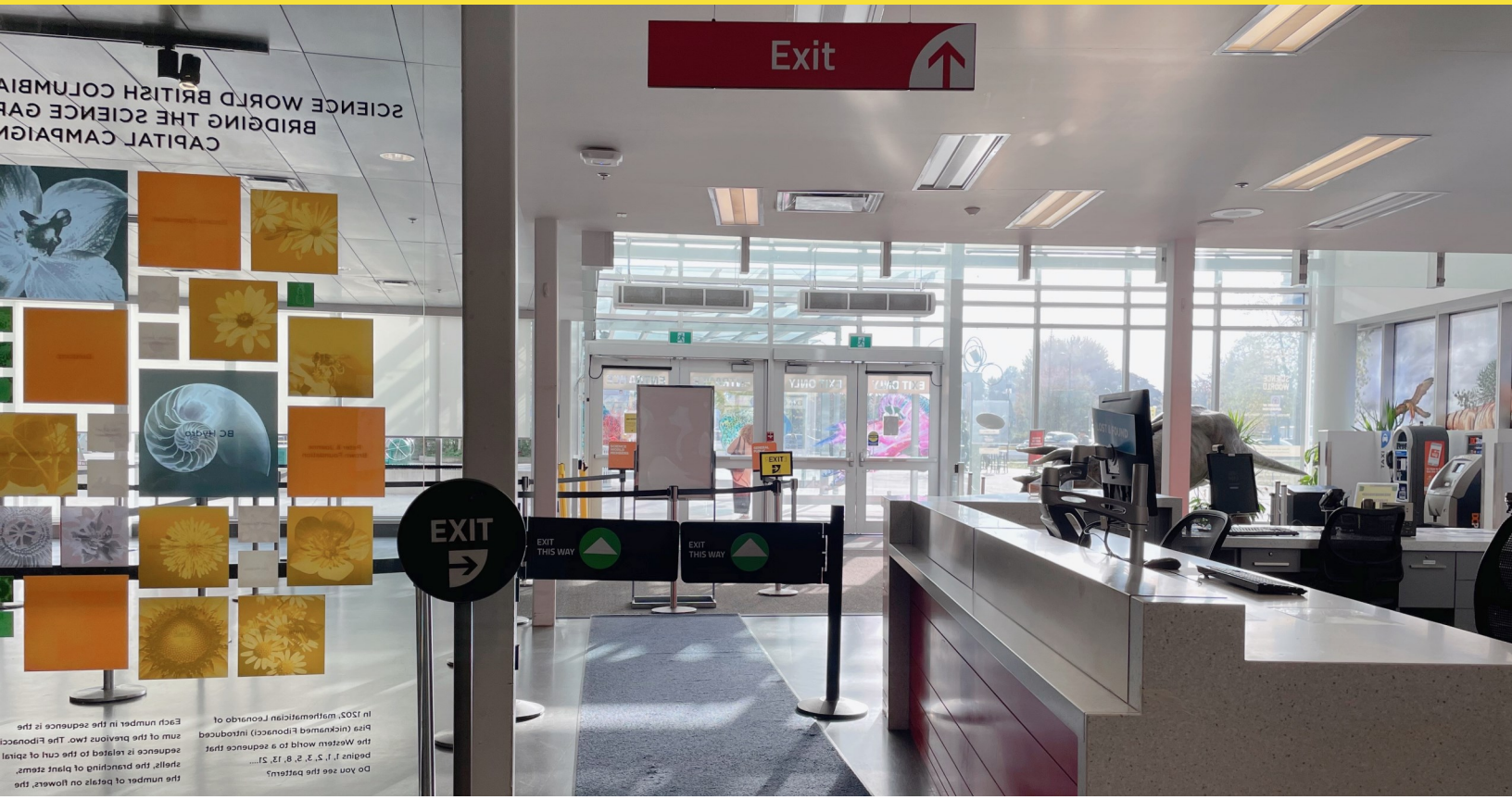




Before you leave Science World, check out the **Science Store on the first floor**!

There are puzzles, toys, and games that you can buy and bring home with you!

Home Time



When you are ready to leave, exit out the main doors!

We hope you had fun learning new things and trying lots of fun activities at Science World!

SCIENCE WORLD

CAN
CANUCKS AUTISM NETWORK