

'I am fascinated by the gallery documenting the history of medicine, from 16th-century medicine chests to the fantastic artificial arm and noses that date back to the 17th century.'
- Liz Bonnin

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The Wellcome Museum of the History of Medicine:

- 1 The Science and Art of Medicine
- 2 Veterinary History



'The Science Museum can generate a spark in a child that lights a fire that even "incompetence at maths", "boredom in the science classroom" and "difficulty with exams" can't extinguish.'
- Stephen Fry

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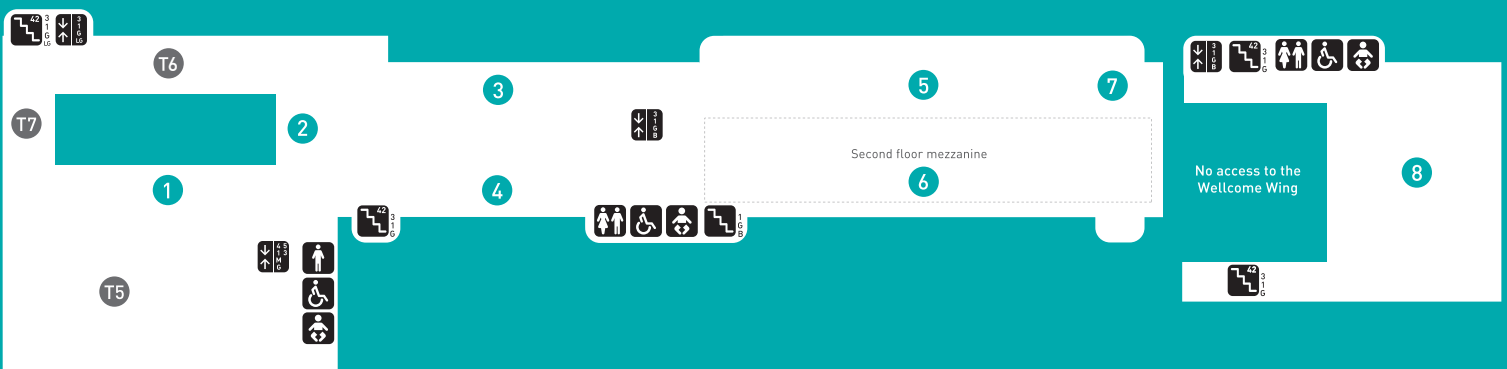
- 1 Glimpses of Medical History



'The Science Museum is one of my favourite places. It does such a great job of introducing young people to the wonder and excitement of scientific discovery.'
- Stephen Hawking

- 1 Science in the 18th Century
- 2 Launchpad
- 3 Health Matters
- 4 Flight
- 5 Wellcome Wing
- 6 In Future

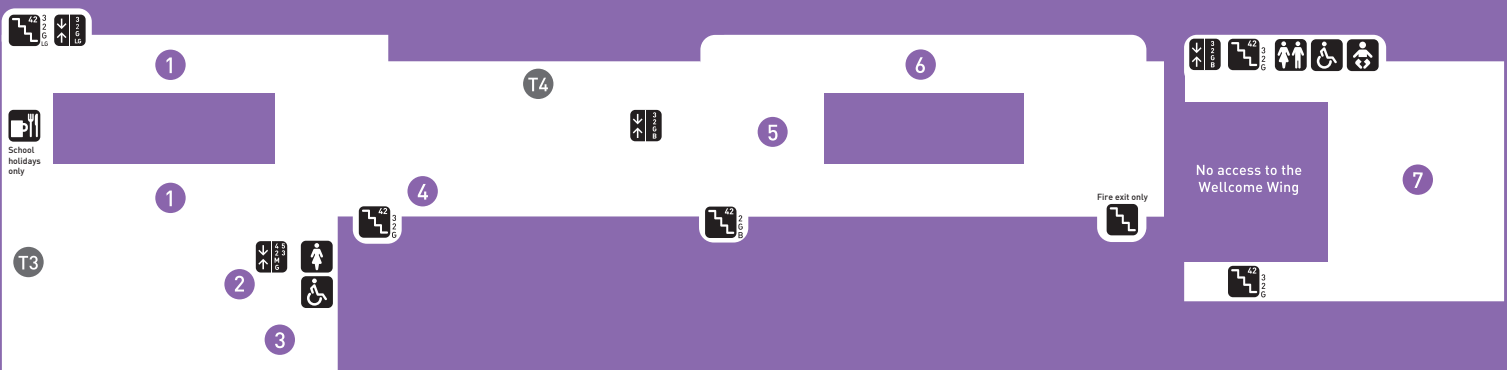
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'I greatly enjoyed my visit to the Science Museum's exhibit on climate change and look forward to more powerful educational experiences from the Museum.'
- Al Gore

- 1 Public History: Oramics to Electronica
- 2 Energy - fuelling the future
- 3 Computing
- 4 Mathematics
- 5, 6, 7 Closed for redevelopment
- 8 Atmosphere ...exploring climate science
- T5 Closed for redevelopment
- T6 Signs, Symbols, Secrets
- T7 Closed for redevelopment

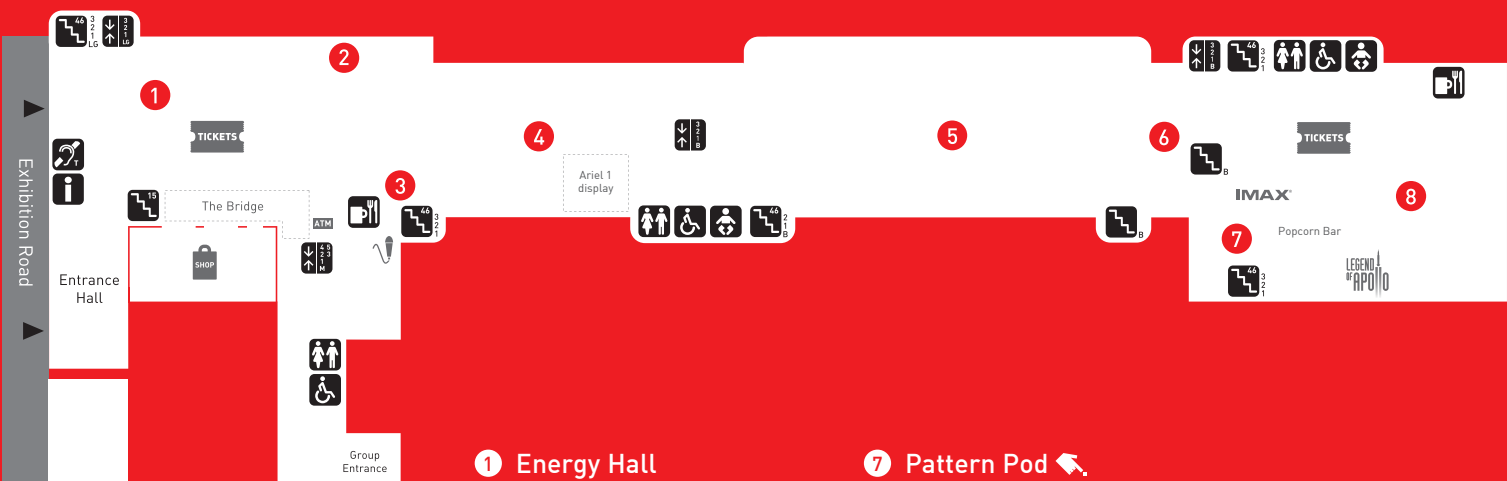
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'I was taken to see the Jet 1 gas turbine car as a small boy by my father and was mesmerised by its purposeful beauty.'
- Jools Holland

- 1 Challenge of Materials
- 2 Contemporary Arts: Listening Post by Mark Hansen and Ben Rubin
- 3 Telecommunications
- 4 Agriculture
- 5 Cosmos & Culture
- 6 Measuring Time
- 7 Who am I?
- T3 Temporary exhibition space
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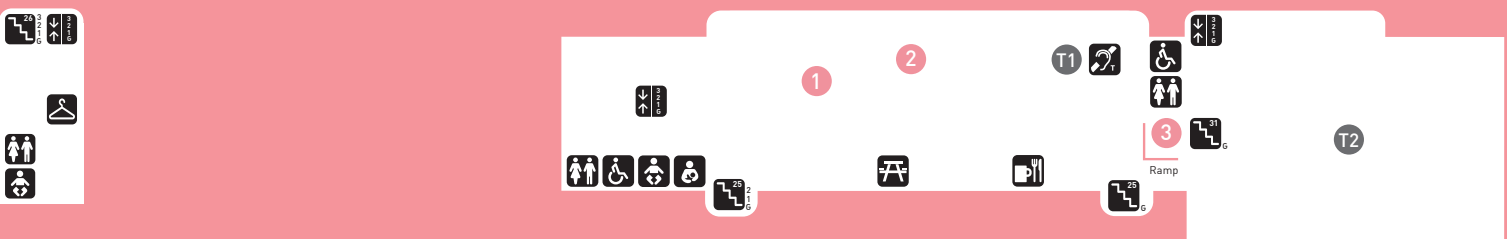
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'One of my favourite objects is Reynolds' X-ray set.'
- Professor Alice Roberts

- 1 Energy Hall
- 2 James Watt and Our World
- 3 Foucault's Pendulum
- 4 Exploring Space
- 5 Making the Modern World
- 6 Wellcome Wing
- 7 Pattern Pod
- 8 Antenna - science news
- The Theatre
- The Bridge: Codebreaker: Alan Turing's Life and Legacy

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- 1 The Garden
- 2 The Secret Life of the Home
- 3 Wellcome Wing
- T1 Things
- T2 Web Lab

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Map key

- Information desk
- Café/restaurant
- Picnic area
- Baby changing
- Family room
- Cloakroom
- Induction loop
- Toilets
- Accessible toilets
- Hands-on gallery see overleaf for details
- Lifts including floors accessible
- Stairs including number of steps up to next floor, and floors accessible

FREE



Highlights

As there's so much to see and do, below is a selection of the highlights we think will make your visit more enjoyable and memorable...

Glimpses of Medical History

Explore medical scenes in vivid detail from Neolithic times to 1980, including dentistry and open-heart surgery.



The Science and Art of Medicine

Be amazed by this display of over 5000 medical objects that reveal the history of medicine over thousands of years across many cultures.



Fly with the Red Arrows in Fly Zone

Discover the thrill of flying in the cockpit of a Red Arrows jet in our breathtaking Red Arrows 3D flight simulation theatre. Or take the controls yourself in Fly 360°, a thrilling interactive flight simulator.

Charges apply



Launchpad

(Ages 8-14)

From firm favourites to world firsts, *Launchpad* is packed with over 50 hands-on exhibits, plus electrifying shows and lively demos, all from the wonderful world of physics.

Create-it Wall sponsored by Haier



Atmosphere ...exploring climate science

Step into a whole new world and explore the science of our changing climate in this interactive and immersive gallery.



Signs, Symbols, Secrets: An Illustrated Guide to Alchemy

Marvel at this beautiful display of historical books and illustrated manuscripts relating to the ancient art of alchemy.



Cosmos & Culture

From ancient heritage to cutting-edge technology, trace the history of people and the stars through multimedia explorations of our collections.



Who am I?

What makes you you? Discover more about what makes you unique in this fun interactive gallery that looks at the brain and genetics.



Codebreaker: Alan Turing's Life and Legacy

Explore this special exhibition examining the achievements of pioneering computer scientist Alan Turing.



Antenna - science news

Get to grips with the latest breakthroughs... *Antenna* brings you headline-grabbing gadgets and hot topics. Visit the latest in-depth feature exhibition, *Pain Less*, and discover the future of pain relief.



Making the Modern World

Chart the development of modern society in this peerless display of original iconic objects that have shaped our lives. Or have James May bring them to life for you with the *James May Science Stories* app!



IMAX Cinema

Journey through distant galaxies, explore the universe and be part of the action in our IMAX Cinema - the world's most powerful and immersive movie experience.

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Legend of Apollo 4D Cinema

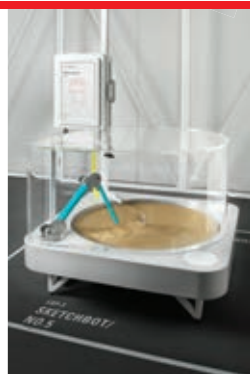
Feel the impact of a Saturn V rocket launch, take a trip on the lunar rover and discover the smell of space - watch *Legend of Apollo* in our 4D motion effects theatre.

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Web Lab

Enter *Web Lab*, a series of interactive Chrome Experiments made by Google that bring the extraordinary workings of the internet to life. Join online visitors to create music together, watch your portrait being drawn by a robot and discover much more at this first-of-its-kind web-based exhibition.



Hands-on

This symbol highlights the galleries where visitors are encouraged to get hands-on, and where trained Explainers help you get the best from the exhibits.



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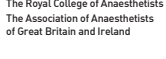
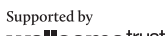
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The British Pain Society

Atmosphere

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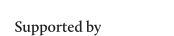
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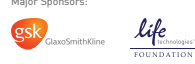


Who am I?

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Information

Opening hours: Daily 10.00-18.00
Last admission 17.15. Galleries start to close 17.30.
During school holiday periods the Museum will close an hour later.

Closed 24-26 December. Contact us on 0870 870 4868.
Information is available at the Information desk on the front concourse.

Tickets are available wherever you see this symbol or you can book online at sciencemuseum.org.uk.

A **cloakroom** is located on the lower ground floor and can be accessed by the lifts and stairs at the front of the Museum.

The **Science Museum Shop** has a range of science-inspired souvenirs and gadgets for adults and children, or you can shop online at sciencemuseumshop.co.uk.

Join the conversation by following the Science Museum on Facebook and Twitter or sign up to our e-newsletters online. **Free Wi-Fi** is available throughout the Museum.

Food and drink

Energy Café (on the ground floor) is a self-service café, with seating on two levels, offering hot and cold dishes, sandwiches and cakes and a range of hot and cold beverages.

Deep Blue Diner (in the Wellcome Wing) is a waiter-service family restaurant serving a range of appetising meals.

Eat Drink Shop (in the basement) sells a wide selection of drinks and light snacks. During school term open 11.00-15.00 only.

Shake Bar (on the third floor) serves milk shakes and ice cream, light snacks and hot and cold drinks.

Pop-Up Café (on the first floor) stocks a variety of light refreshments. Open during school holiday periods.

Packed lunches can be eaten in the picnic areas located around the Museum.

All children under the age of 13 must be accompanied by an adult. Photography taken at the Science Museum cannot be used for commercial purposes unless by prior arrangement.

Our galleries display unique historic objects. We want you to enjoy seeing them close up but please don't touch...



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