

Unfield Trip Resources K-1 Unfield Trip Guide

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- Schedule your Unfield Trip with an Amazeum Representative at reservations@amazeum.org. You can reserve a <u>Hershey's Lab Workshop</u> or a <u>Tinkering Workshop</u> at this time. We recommend eating lunch at Orchard's Park before or after your arrival time. Receive your **confirmation letter** from Amazeum Reservations.
- 2. Schedule transportation.
- 3. Review resources:
 - Use **<u>Pre-Visit Activities</u>** in your classroom
 - Watch the Unfield Trip video
 - Share the **4 key points** with students and chaperones
 - Connect with our Unfield Trip Coordinator, Bailey Belanger, at bbelanger@amazeum.org to help you develop educational goals.
- 4. Connect with parents using the Amazeum Parent Letter.
- 5. Organize students in **chaperone groups** (1:5 for K, 1:10 for 1st) with the Grouping Planner. Kindergarten Planner. 1st Grade Planner.
- 6. Identify a lead teacher for your Unfield Trip: upon arrival, the Amazeum will need a **head count** of total adults, a **head count** of total students, and any payment for students and adults in **one transaction**.

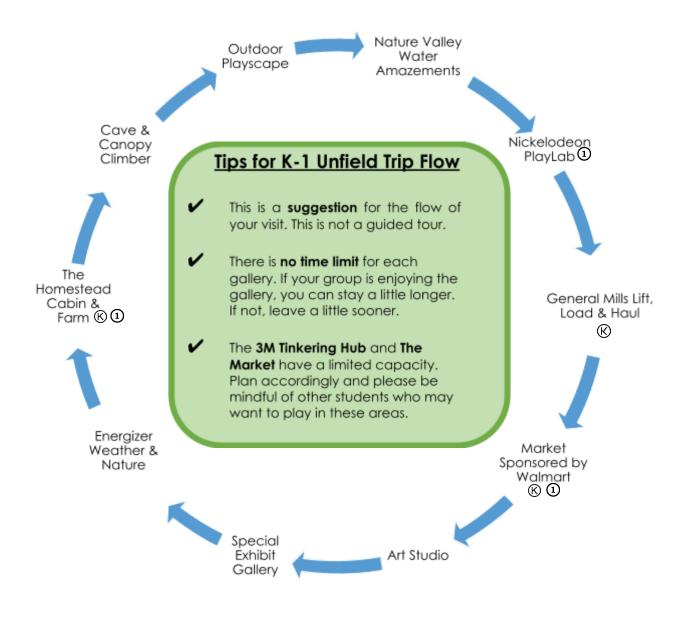
Arrival

- 1. Your bus will pull up to the **north side** of the Amazeum to unload and pick up students. After you have unloaded, bus drivers will park their buses at the nearby **Orchards Park**.
- 2. **Stay on the bus**; an Amazeum team member will greet you. **The students will stay on the bus** while the adults have an orientation. If needed, 1-3 adults can stay on the bus to watch the students.
- 3. Adult Orientation: an Amazeum team member will explain the **4 key points**, discuss the agenda, assign a departure spot, and designate adults to share the **4** key points with students on the bus.
- 4. The lead teacher will **check in** at admissions with the Unfield Trip Lead and will give payment, if needed.
- 5. Students will hear the 4 key points on the bus from an adult volunteer, unload, and **get into chaperoned groups outside**.
- 6. Communicate departure time to your bus drivers.
- 7. The Amazeum team will direct you inside, pair each group with an Amazeum team member, and each group will be taken to an exhibit area to begin your visit!

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Explore the Amazeum remembering the 4 Key Points:

- Stay-Together, Play-Together: Teachers will divide their students into smaller chaperone groups. Chaperones must supervise their small groups at all times.
- Gentle Touch: This is a hands-on museum where we encourage as much interaction with our exhibits as possible. We ask that you use a gentle touch on exhibits and to share with our younger guests. Also, remember to use walking feet throughout the museum.
- 3. <u>Look for Us</u>: Please ask Amazeum team members to help deepen your experience. This is not a guided tour. We will have team members lead you in to start you off, but from there you are free to move at your own pace.
- 4. <u>Certain Areas Are Unavailable</u>: The Hershey's Lab Workshop is only available with a reservation before your Unfield Trip; There are clearly marked early learner spaces (inside and outside) that are just for families.



Don't miss these galleries! Check out this KWLS and Vocabulary Activity!

- $^{ ext{(6)}}$ Questions for Kindergarten in these areas are on the KWLS document.
- ① Questions for First Grade in these areas are on the KWLS document.

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	Departure
1.	Meet at the assigned departure site (assigned during adult orientation).
2	An Amazeum team member will lead you out through the lobby or the outside
9	gate to your buses.
	After —

- 1. Use the **Post-Visit Activities** in your classroom; lead a discussion about the trip.
- 2. Postcard reflections: You will receive a letter, postcards, and a return envelope from the Amazeum to reflect on your Unfield Trip; send them back to us so that we can continue to improve! Note: If you reserve an Unfield Trip for a late spring date, you may not receive postcards.