

Preparation Guide



Welcome to LEGOLAND® Discovery Center Chicago!

This Preparation Guide and the Resource Packs are designed to help you enjoy your day and make the most out of the educational and entertainment opportunities available at the Center.

LEGOLAND Discovery Center's educational programs offer the unique opportunity to:

- Use LEGO® bricks in an interactive, educational setting
- Challenge young minds to think critically about their world
- Play and learn in team-based workshops
- Inspire young learners to apply their favorite play activities to their education
- Explore many exciting professions, including architecture, engineering, art, and more

Our educational program is designed to help young minds explore and learn in the colorful world of LEGO. Our workshops correspond with the Illinois State Curriculum to help introduce or reinforce classroom learning. Our resource packs, available for download at www.LEGOLANDDiscoveryCenter.com, have additional information about each workshop along with suggestions for activities before, during, and after your visit to help you use our workshops to their fullest.

Our workshops must be booked two weeks in advance to ensure staff and room availability. To ensure the best possible educational experience, our workshops have a student limit of 25 per class. Therefore, please have your group pre-sorted into groups no bigger than 25 students and make sure each group knows when to arrive to their workshop. During the day of your visit please arrive to your workshop 10 minutes early as the classes do start on-time.

Many of the attractions at the Center have a guest limit. Smaller numbers are highly recommended to help your group make the most of their time and spend less time in line.

Groups are welcome to stay in the Center up to three hours.

We welcome your questions or comments about our education program and resources.

We hope we enjoy your day at the LEGOLAND Discovery Center Chicago!



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Deposit and Final Payment

The deposit on your school group is required two weeks in advance of your visit. The final balance is due on the day of your visit. In order to make your entrance in the Center as quick and easy as possible please have the final number of students and adults ready and available when you arrive at the Center.

Please note that if your pre-printed check to make your final payment is more than the amount due, LEGOLAND Discovery Center does not give cash refunds. Your leftover balance will be placed on a gift card that can be used for purchases in the Center or used as money towards a future visit.

Tax Exemption

If your group is tax exempt, you must submit a tax exemption letter prior to the day of your visit or your group will be responsible for paying the tax on their visit.

Food

Schools can:

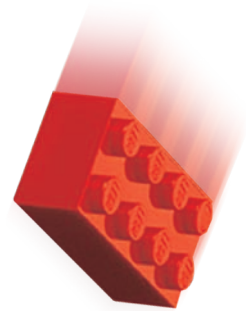
- Bring their own lunches and enjoy them at the tables available at our café. Please note, however, that seating is on a first come, first serve basis.
- Book a meal deal for \$5 per person. Please note that meal deals must be booked with final numbers two weeks in advance.
- Purchase food from our café. Most meals are \$4 and up.

What to Wear

The LEGOLAND Discovery Center is an entirely indoor attraction. Socks and closed-toed shoes are recommended. Visitors without socks and shoes may not be able to ride our rides or play in the Physical Play playground.

Additional Costs

All of the attractions of the LEGOLAND Discovery Center are included in the price of admission. Students may wish to bring additional money if they wish to purchase food from our café or LEGO products from our retail shop. Also note that LEGO models from our Model Builder Workshop (separate from the educational workshop) are available for purchase for \$5 plus tax.



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Storage

Due to our limited space, The LEGOLAND Discovery Center is not able to store your coats or lunches. Coat racks are available at a First come, First serve basis. Pay lockers are available to store valuables at the cost of 25 cents per use.

Safety

Quality and safety are at the heart of LEGO products; these same attitudes and standards are incorporated throughout the LEGOLAND Discovery Center:

We ask that children under the age of 12 are under adult supervision all at times.

LEGOLAND Discovery Center Staff

Our Friendly and knowledgeable staff are available throughout the Center should you have any questions or need assistance.

Our educational staff are thoroughly trained to provide the best possible experience during your workshop.

Free Planning Visit

Teachers can take advantage of our Free Teacher Pass, available for download at www.LEGOLANDDiscoveryCenter.com, to help plan their visit.

In order to use your Teacher Pass, please download the Form online and fill it out. Then please Fax it back to the number on the sheet. We will then send you your coupon. There are date restrictions so please take a look before planning your trip.

Checklist

This list may be useful to help plan your visit:

- Transportation arranged
- Deposit made 14 days in advance
- Final payment ready for day of visit
- Free Teacher planning visit
- Arrival and departure times arranged
- Chaperons and groups pre-sorted into groups 25 students or less
- Pre-visit activities completed
- Post-visit activities prepared
- Special medical requirements addressed
- Chaperons briefed – objectives, programs for the day, grouping of students and adults
- Final number of children and chaperons ready on day of visit

