



August 2019 Program Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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			In the Art Café: Kandinsky Drawings & Plastic Bag Bracelets →	10:00a-12:00p Mini Makers: Open Lab! 2:30p Pop Up Science!	10:00a Parachute Games! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:00a Pop Up Science! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!
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MUSEUM CLOSED	10:00a-12:00p Mini Makers: Open Lab! 2:30p Make and Take Minute! In the Art Café: Masks & Circle Birds →	10:00a-12:00p Tech Tuesdays: Open Lab! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:30a Super Small Science! 11:00a Get Up & Go! 2:30p Make and Take Minute! 3:30p + 4:00p Planetarium: Sky Stories!	2:30p Pop Up Science! 10:00a-11:00a Let's Get Cooking! 4:00p Painting & Popcorn! 5:00p-7:30p Bonus Play!	10:00a Parachute Games! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:00a Pop Up Science! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
MUSEUM CLOSED Downtown Block Party! 11:00a-3:00p	10:00a-12:00p Mini Makers: Open Lab! 2:30p Make and Take Minute! In the Art Café: Not Just a Scribble & Origami Whale →	10:00a-12:00p Tech Tuesdays: Open Lab! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:30a Super Small Science! 11:00a Get Up & Go! 2:30p Make and Take Minute! 3:00p-4:00p Let's Get Cooking!	10:00a-12:00p Mini Makers: Open Lab! 2:30p Pop Up Science! 4:00p-7:00p Countdown to Kindergarten!	10:00a Parachute Games! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:00a Pop Up Science! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
MUSEUM CLOSED	10:00a-12:00p Mini Makers: Open Lab! 2:30p Make and Take Minute! In the Art Café: You Build & Ice Cream Cones →	10:00a-12:00p Tech Tuesdays: Open Lab! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:30a Super Small Science! 11:00a Get Up & Go! 2:30p Make and Take Minute! 3:30p + 4:00p Planetarium: Sky Stories!	10:00a-11:00a Let's Get Cooking! 2:30p Pop Up Science!	10:00a Parachute Games! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:00a Pop Up Science! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
MUSEUM CLOSED	10:00a-12:00p Mini Makers: Open Lab! 2:30p Make and Take Minute! In the Art Café: Butterfly Bracelets & Create Your Own Sunshine →	10:00a-12:00p Tech Tuesdays: Open Lab! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:30a Super Small Science! 11:00a Get Up & Go! 2:30p Make and Take Minute! 3:00p-4:00p Let's Get Cooking!	10:00a-12:00p Mini Makers: Open Lab! 2:30p Pop Up Science!	10:00a – 2:00p Cardboard Construction! 10:00a Parachute Games! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!	10:00a – 2:00p Cardboard Construction! 10:00a Pop Up Science! 2:30p Make and Take Minute!



Program Descriptions

Super Small Science!

Introduce your preschool scientist to exciting hands-on and age-appropriate experiments! Activities this month include:

- August 7 – Disappearing Packing Peanuts
- August 14 – Quicksand
- August 21 – Shadows and Shapes
- August 28 – Moon Rocks

Pop Up Science!

Museum Playologists have several different fun and interactive science kits to break out with kids and explore all things STEAM-related! Activities this month include:

- August 1 & 3 – Stomp Rockets
- August 8 & 10 – Chemistry is Colorful
- August 15 & 17 – Memory Metal
- August 22 & 24 – Mystery Sand
- August 29 & 31 – Spark of Life

Get Up & Go!

Designed to keep your kiddos moving, these fun and physical games teach teamwork and skills that can carry home to your own backyard! Get Up & Go programming brought to you by Mayo Clinic Health System.

- August 7 – Standing Pool Noodles
- August 14 – Head Balance
- August 21 – Kiddo Yoga w/ a certified children's yoga instructor from Wright Way Yoga
- August 28 – Line Tag

Parachute Games!

Kiddos ages three and up will love jumping, moving, dancing, grooving and all sorts of games with the GIANT parachute!

Painting & Popcorn!

Your child will be able to create their own one-of-a-kind painting to hang on the wall at home or give to a special person in their life. Plus, snacks and juice boxes provided to fuel the creative energy! This class is \$5 per child, with Museum membership or admission. Register online at www.ChildrensMuseumEC.com

Cardboard Construction!

Failsafe will convert into a fort-building space, full of cardboard, MakeDo Kits and all of the necessary items to create some huge structures! Feel free to stop in anytime to join in the architectural fun. Free with Museum membership or admission.

Make and Take Minute!

Museum Playologists could pop up anywhere with a fun new activity or craft for you and your family to enjoy and take home with you! We're only there for a short time, so listen for the announcement to let you know where we are to meet us and do these fun activities:

- Week 1 – Nature Prints
- Week 2 – Pipe Cleaner People
- Week 3 – Faux Stained Glass
- Week 4 – Painting with Bubbles
- Week 5 – Filter Flowers

Tech Tuesdays: Open Lab!

Join us in our Failsafe Lab where you'll get to create and play with our coding kits, 3D printers, robots, Augmented Reality Sandbox, and more! The experience is only limited by your imagination! Free with Museum membership or admission. Feel free to drop in anytime during the two-hour window.

Mini Makers: Open Lab!

We're providing all the string, beads, cardboard, wood, tape, etc. to create the project of your dreams...and then you get to take your masterpiece home with you! Free with Museum membership or admission. Feel free to drop in anytime during the two-hour window. Mini Makers brought to you by Ayres Associates.

Let's Get Cooking!

We're cooking up a storm in the Let's Get Cooking lab kitchen this month, learning all about healthy snacks and basic food prep skills! Kids will be able to take the tasty treat and the lessons learned home to your very own kitchen. Free with Museum membership or admission. Feel free to drop in anytime during the one-hour window.

- August 8 & 14 – Toast Spread
- August 22 & 28 – Banana Sushi

Planetarium Show: Sky Stories! (August 7 & 21)

Join us in our inflatable Planetarium for an outta this world show! Visitors will explore the many constellations in our night sky. Shows start promptly at listed times, with room for only 25 guests. Sign-up sheets will be posted outside Failsafe 30 minutes prior to the start of the show. Free with Museum membership or admission. Planetarium Shows brought to you by United Bank.

Bonus Play!

Join us for Bonus Play one night a month at the Children's Museum! Enjoy extended hours and more play time with your family. Museum membership or admission required.



For special event information, hours and more about our mission, visit

www.ChildrensMuseumEC.com

