



CHAPERONE'S GUIDE TO A GREAT SCHOOL VISIT

Please share with all of your chaperones prior to visiting SCI!

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CHAPERONE RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Make sure your group arrives on time to scheduled programs and activities
- Keep track of your group members or ensure they are keeping track of one another
- Ensure appropriate and respectful behavior and resolve discipline issues
- Assist in case of a student emergency

TIPS FOR A SUCCESSFUL VISIT:

- Regularly check your visit schedule and plan to arrive at least 10 minutes early for scheduled programs and Discovery Labs.
- During exploration, split into small groups of 10 students per chaperone and stay together
- Count your students before moving to each new area or activity
- Encourage discovery by asking questions using keywords such as “how” and “why”. You don’t have to have all the answers – you and your group can be curious together!
- If you have questions or experience an emergency, ask the SCI team for assistance
- Have fun and encourage your group to do the same!

SCIENCE CENTER OF IOWA CONDUCT:

- Use indoor voices
- No running, please!
- Treat the facility with care so others may enjoy the experience
- Enjoy food and drink outdoors or in other designated eating spaces, not near exhibits
- Respect others in your group and other SCI participants
- Stay with your group at all times
- Prepare for your visit and visit sciowa.org/learningresources

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