# **Virtual Experiences for School Groups**

In-Classroom Programs Delivered Through the Web. Turnkey science block content.

### **Planetarium Programs**

#### **Exploring Planets**

Grades: 3-5
Capacity: 30 students
Length: 45 minutes
Students will:
Fly through the solar system to investigate features of planets and dwarf planets
Explore characteristics of a planet
Learn about current space missions

#### Shapes in the Sky

Grades: 1-2 Capacity: 30 students

Length: 35 minutes

Students will:

· Look for familiar shapes among the stars in the sky

- Imagine and create personal star patterns
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Observe patterns of the motion of stars and the Moon

#### The Sky Tonight

Grades: 3-5, 6-8

Capacity: 30 students

Length: 45 minutes

Students will:

- $\cdot$  Observe seasonal constellations of the night sky
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Find and identify stars, planets, and phases of the Moon
- · Learn how to use a starmap for backyard stargazing

# **Pricing and Availability**

Planetarium programs	Fridays 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:00	\$225
Pre-recorded programs	Monday – Friday Anytime	\$175

# **Pre-Recorded Programs**

Dinosaur Mysteries Virtual Tour

Grades: K-2, 3-5 Capacity: 30 students

Length: 45 minutes

## Students will:

- Take a pre-recorded tour of the Dinosaur Mysteries exhibit led by our very own paleontologist
- Learn about how we find fossils and what they tell us about dinosaur life cycles, diet, behavior, and the ecosystems in which they lived
- After the pre-recorded tour, do two hands-on activities in your classroom to explore paleontology further

#### Newton's Alley Virtual Tour

Grades: 3-6 Capacity: 30 students Length: 45 minutes

Students will:

- Explore scientific concepts of physics covered in our Newton's Alley exhibit: air pressure, centripetal force, distribution of mass, momentum and energy transfer, pulleys, and sound waves
- $\cdot$  Engage in hands-on activities related to our exhibit components
- $\cdot$  Make informed scientific arguments based on the activity result

All planetarium programs are presented live via Zoom. Alternate platforms may be available. Dinosaur programs and Newtons Alley utilize a unique link. Teachers must have Internet access and be able to project feed for in classroom programs. Payment is due one week in advance.

