

SPACE CENTER HOUSTON

Official Visitors Center of NASA's Johnson Space Center

MAP & SHOW SCHEDULE

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Space Center Theater
Journey through space in our 5-story giant screen theater. Feature films change throughout the year. Allow 1 hour.



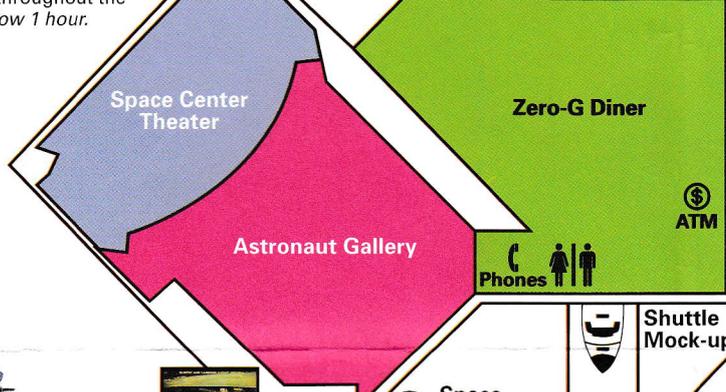
NASA Tram Tour
Peek behind the scenes of NASA on a Johnson Space Center tram tour. Trams fill quickly, so plan to take a tour early in your visit. Allow 1 1/2 hours.



Tram Tour Departure



Blast Off
Experience the spectacular sensation of Blast Off. You will see and feel what it is like when over 7 million pounds of thrust pushes a 4 1/2 million pound vehicle skyward. After your launch, you will make your way into Blast Off Theater for an update on current shuttle missions, as well as future explorations of Mars. Allow 30 minutes.



The Feel of Space
Experience the challenges of living and working in space during this live presentation. Allow 45 minutes.



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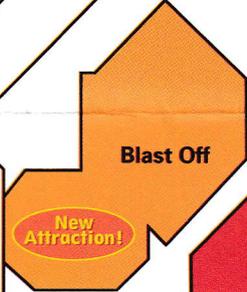


First-Aid

Space Station Model

Space Center Plaza

Shuttle Mock-up



Blast Off

New Attraction!

Starship Gallery
Destiny Theater

Artifact Gallery & Exhibits



Starship Gallery
Relive the triumphs of America's manned space flight program with "On Human Destiny," then trace the progression of the space program in our artifact gallery, space time line and multiple exhibits. Starship Gallery also features the world's largest display of Moon rocks. Allow 30 minutes.

Space Center Plaza
The Plaza is the central hub of activity at Space Center Houston. Please direct children to go to the Information Desk if they are separated from their group during your visit. Allow 20 minutes.



Member Desk



Space Trader Gift Shop

Newly Remodeled!

Entrance

Info Desk
ATM

Phones



Kids Space Place & Martian Matrix

Kids, grab your imagination and hold on! Kids Space Place is going to take you on the adventure of a lifetime. Build a rocket, launch a rocket, or better yet, sit in a rocket while you talk to your friends at mission control. Find out how much you weigh on Neptune or Jupiter, or climb to the top of our five-story Martian Matrix and slide all the way down. Allow 30 minutes.

Special Exhibits & Events
Special exhibits and events are part of the Space Center Houston experience. Our exhibits change throughout the year and include a mix of space themes. From stellar art to hands-on interactive exhibits, all ages will have the chance to discover more about our quest for exploration. Call for more information about upcoming exhibits.



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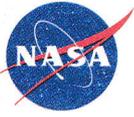


Official Airline of Space Center Houston

DAY
ATTRACTIONS

BLAST OFF	TRAM TOUR	MAZDA THEATRE		THE FEEL OF SPACE
NEW! NEW! NEW! FEEL THE CHANGE THE	Tour of Johnson Space Center	"To Be An Astronaut"	"Inside the Space Station"	"Living in Space"

Johnson Space Center



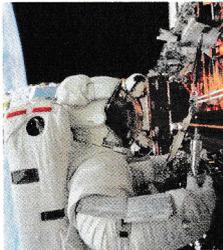
Johnson Space Center (JSC) occupies more than 1,600 acres and employs more than 14,000 people, including contractors and civil servants. Here's some of what goes on behind the scenes:



JSC is a federal facility, home to Mission Control Center, where Space Shuttle missions are monitored and directed from seconds after launch to landing. This is where astronauts are trained and the Space Shuttle program is managed.

The Center also studies and cares for more than 800 pounds of lunar rocks and soil collected during the Apollo program.

Scientists and engineers work here to study human adaptation to space and develop the technologies that will allow humans to reach out into the Solar System.



Johnson Space Center is the lead center in the design and implementation of the International Space Station, coordinating the efforts of 16 spacefaring nations.



Come back soon – you'll find the future at JSC!

NASA Tram Tour

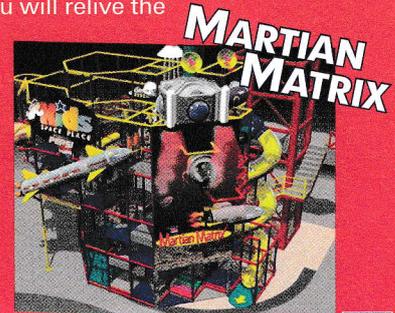
When you visit Space Center Houston, you may choose to take a tram tour of JSC. Departure location to the right of the Zero-G Diner.

Visit NASA/JSC on the Internet: <http://www.jsc.nasa.gov>

ABOUT THE CENTER

Welcome to Space Center Houston, the Official Visitor Center of NASA's Johnson Space Center. The Center is owned and operated by the Manned Space Flight Education Foundation, Inc., and is a non-profit organization.

Applaud the accomplishments of NASA and the American manned space flight program at Space Center Houston. You will relive the past achievements of the space program and witness today's history in the making.



Everything you see in the facility is realistic. Space Center Houston's creators kept in

close contact with NASA to ensure guests the most accurate experience. Each attraction is self-guided so you spend as much time, or as little time, in each area as desired. Most guests spend four to six hours in the Center.

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