

## OH WOW! FIELD TRIPS

Let OH WOW! help your science lessons reach a new level outside of the classroom. Here at OH WOW! you can explore all of the hands-on STEM-based exhibits and stretch your students minds through exploration and a meaningful experience! Use our facility to foster a love of science and math and promote students to consider careers in these areas.

### CUSTOMIZE YOUR TRIP

Here at OH WOW! we can customize your field trip to include specific activities and/or lessons done around one of the “WOW ZONES” available at the museum. Just give us a call and speak with one of our licensed educators and we can work with you to make your trip a meaningful “EDUTAINING” experience.

Funding may be available. Don't let cost effect your decision to take advantage of all the wonderful things the museum has to offer. There are many funding sources that can help reduce the cost of admission for groups. Call us to discuss your unique situation; we may be able to assist you.



## FIELD TRIP GUIDE

**Self-guided group rates of \$5.00 per student are available to groups of 15 or more individuals with advance reservation.** Groups with fewer than 15 will be charged for a minimum of 15 people at the group rate. 1 adult for every 5 students are free, with any over this amount being \$5.00 each. **For a guided tour or customized programming, please contact our Education Department for special pricing and arrangements.**



**Group reservations are not guaranteed until a \$50.00 deposit is paid in advance along with completing a reservation form.** We can complete the reservation form for you over the phone and hold it until we receive your deposit. We can accept a credit card deposit over the phone, and can also accept purchase order, cash, or check, delivered in person or by post.

**Payment must be made by sending a Purchase Order or can be made that day at the museum with cash, check, Visa or MasterCard.** Make checks payable to OH WOW! Any overpayments will be given back through a credit towards an upcoming visit or free passes to the museum, (not to exceed the total refund amount), we do not give cash refunds.

## OH WOW! EXPECTATIONS

At OH WOW! we encourage the group leaders, teachers and parents to be **ACTIVELY ENGAGED** during the field trip. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

To ensure safety and fun for all who are learning at the museum, we ask that all food and drink be kept in the "OH KNOW! Bistro" area.

Cell phones are to only be used in an emergency.

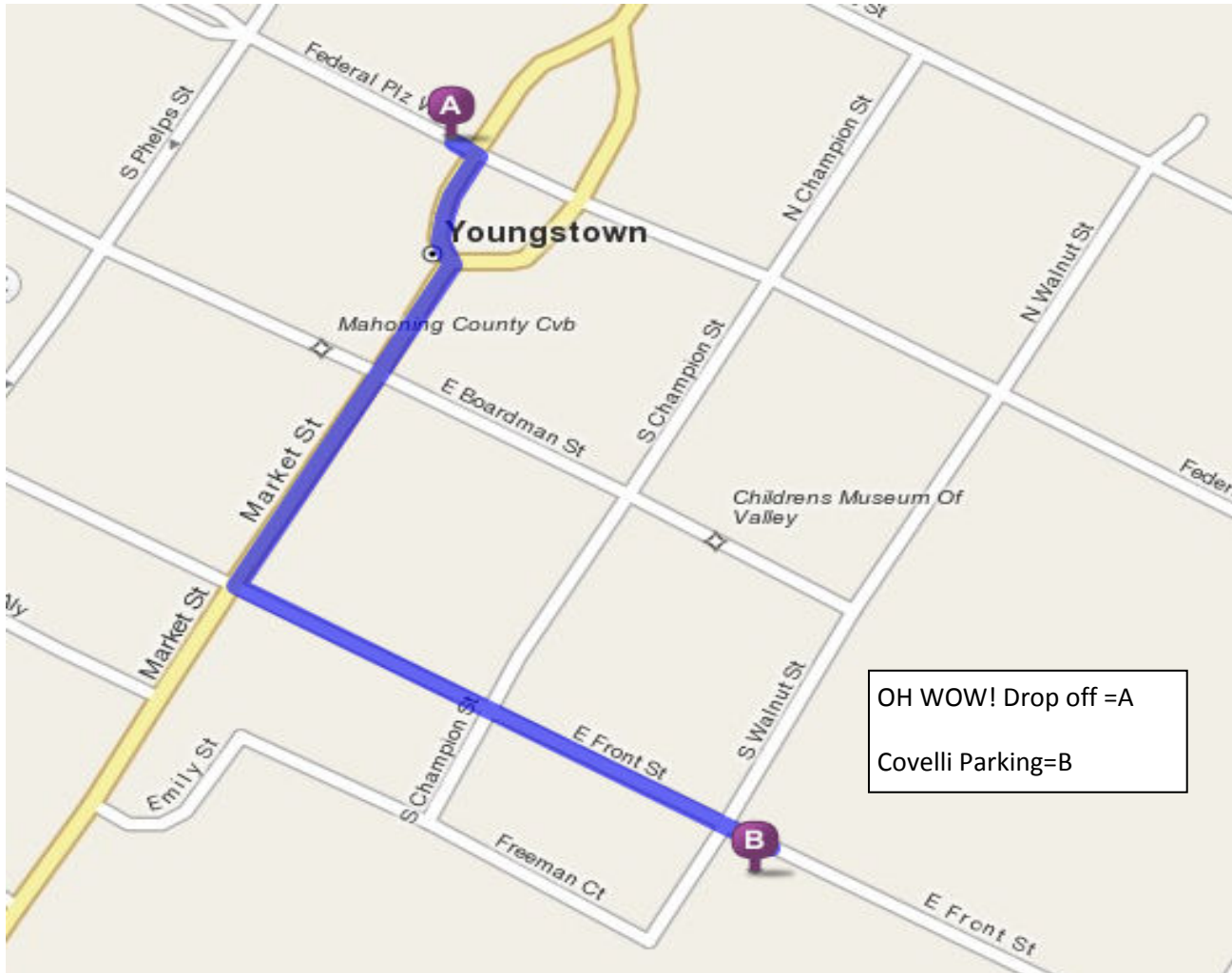
Please throw gum away before entering the museum and refrain from using tobacco products.

Use walking feet when moving around the exhibit floor.

Be respectful with the water exhibits. Not everyone likes to get wet so please do not splash or spray others nearby. We expect the chaperones to help remind the students of this.

We understand that some classes like to have name tags that stick on the student's shirts or hang around their neck ... we are asking that you do not use these because they will get wet and fall off and can stick to the floor as well as fall into the water exhibits and clog the filters.

## PARKING



For school buses, the drop-off and pick-up area is on the Market Street side of our building on the Market Street Square. A member of the Education Department will be meeting the bus and then walking you to the museum's front entrance.

Buses will park at the Covelli Centre on E. Front Street.



### **DURING YOUR VISIT**

Once you enter the museum, an educator will address the group as a whole. They will do a welcome and review the rules and reminders for the time you are here. We ask that the chaperones know what time you are to be leaving the museum and start to gather students 15 minutes before your departure time to ensure a proper head count. At this time the group leader will give a final total to the front desk and settle the bill before you enter the exhibit floor.

### **OUR MISSION**

Our mission is to foster independent thinking and enrich the lives of all children by creating a welcoming environment where they can develop learning skills and knowledge through the exploration of HANDS-ON interactive exhibits and educational programs which are rooted in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM).

If there is anything we can do before, during or after your trip to OH WOW!, please don't hesitate to call at (330) 744-5914.

**Thank you!**