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# Road to Zero at Melbourne Museum

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ROAD  
TO ZERO 

AN INTERACTIVE  
ROAD SAFETY EXPERIENCE



We are going on a class trip to Road to Zero at Melbourne Museum to learn about road safety.



## Getting to Melbourne Museum

We are going on a school excursion to Melbourne Museum.

We might take a:

- bus
- train
- tram
- or we might walk.

Melbourne Museum is a big building.

Inside, there are many exhibits and displays.



### **Arriving at the museum**

When we arrive, we may need to wait outside the Museum.

There are undercover areas here and concrete blocks we can sit on if we want to.

My teacher will go to the Schools Entrance. They will go inside to collect things we might need for our visit.



## School bags

If we have brought our schoolbags, we can leave them at the museum Schools Entrance.

Someone from the Museum will bring out a trolley. It looks like shelves on wheels. This is where we put our bags.

After we put our bags on the trolley, people from the Museum will wheel it inside. They will look after our bags.

We may come back to our bags at lunch or snack time.

If we feel like we'd prefer to keep our bags with us, we can speak with our teacher.



### **Bringing support items**

There are some things we might like to take into the Museum with us if we want to.

Because Museums can sometimes be noisy places, some of us might like to bring headphones or ear defenders.

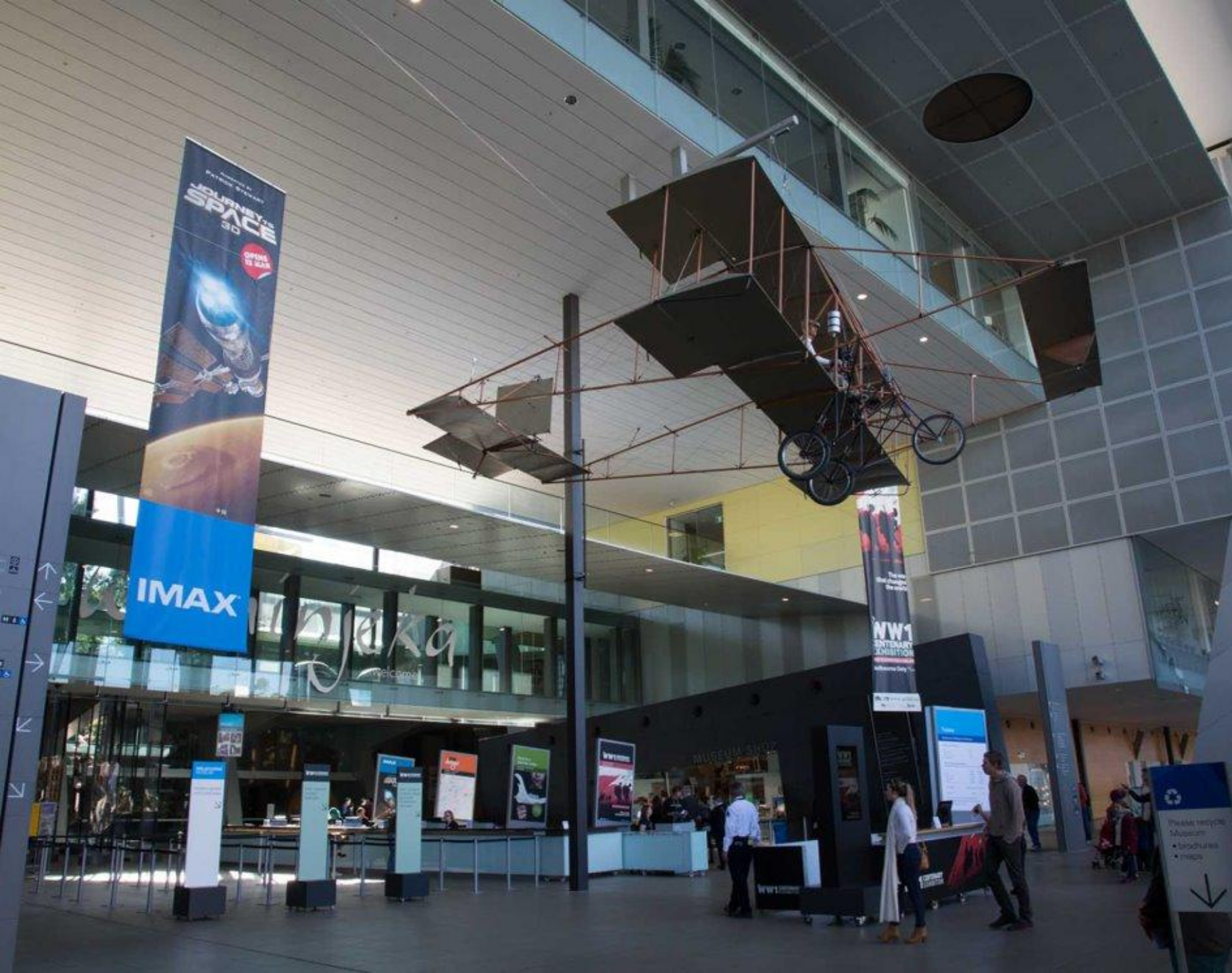


## **Food and eating at the museum**

We can eat our lunch or snacks outside.

If our food is in our bags, we can collect our bags from the trolley at Schools Entrance.

If it is raining, we might sit on the floor inside the Museum to eat.



## Entering the museum

We can enter the Museum through glass sliding doors.

This space is called the Foyer.

It might be busy and noisy in here as there could be other school groups and people visiting the Museum too.

Because there will be other people visiting the Museum, we will make sure we stay together as a group.



After we enter through the glass sliding doors, we can go down the escalator, stairs or take the lift to the lower ground floor.

Our Road to Zero teacher will meet us there and will let us know where to go next.

This area can sometimes smell of popcorn because IMAX Melbourne is underneath it.

ROAD TO ZERO

Learning Studios



A Road to Zero teacher will stay with our group for our visit.

Road to Zero and museum staff are easy to see because they have coloured lanyards around their neck.

We can ask these people questions and for help.



There are 3 main spaces at Road to Zero:

- lounge area
- Experience Space
- Learning Studio

Our teacher knows where we are going to be and when we are going.



There are toilets next to the Learning Studios.

There is also a drinking fountain where we can fill up our water bottles.

We can use either the bigger cubicle bathroom or the private all-persons bathroom. There might be other people in the bathroom too. We might have to wait to use it.

The hand dryers in the bathrooms can be very noisy, and we may want to cover our ears or wear ear defenders/headphones.



The lounge area is in an open space that can be loud with other visitors walking past. We can wear our ear defenders/headphones or cover our ears if we need to.

We can sit on the couches or floor, or we can stand.

The Road to Zero teacher will give a talk and might show us a short video.

We might answer some questions.

We can move our bodies or use a fidget if we need to.



Our Road to Zero teacher will give us lanyards with a card. This will activate some of the activities in the Experience Space.

We can wear our lanyard on our necks, carry it in our hands, or put it in our pocket.

We need to give back our lanyard at the end of our visit.



Why should we work towards zero?

Because it is unacceptable that people are killed or seriously injured on our roads.

The Experience Space has lots of interactive screens. Some screens are in small dark spaces, and some are in open areas.

We can do each activity as a group or by ourselves.

If we need a break from this space, we can let our teacher know.

We need to move carefully in this space because there might be other visitors.

It may be busy at times, and we might have to wait our turn.



We might log-in using the screens at the start.

We can do this by touching our card onto the symbol at the bottom that matches the symbol on the card.

It will then ask us to enter in our details, including our:

- first name
- email address
- age
- gender (you can choose undisclosed)

It will also ask us to take a picture or choose an avatar.

Our teacher, Road to Zero teacher and museum staff can help us with this.



**How can we stop  
people taking risks?**

Smarter vehicles, ongoing enforcement and greater awareness will help us stay safe.

**How can we  
protect others?**

We need to be aware of other road users, especially those not traveling by car.

There are some couches in the Experience Space if we need to take a rest.



The Experience Space has four virtual reality (VR) headsets.

They will be playing a video.

We need to stay seated whilst using the VR.

We can watch the video on an iPad instead.

Our Road to Zero teacher will ask us if we would like a turn on the VR and will let us know when it is our turn.



The Learning Studio is a room that only our school group will be in.

We can sit on the carpet, a stool, the couches or stand if we need to.

Our Road to Zero teacher will give a short talk and we might watch some videos.

We might answer some questions.



We might work in a group inside a pod.

Each pod has a touchtable and a screen.

We might watch some videos with instructions.

We can touch the touchtable; it is important to be gentle because they are fragile.

We can ask our Road to Zero teacher if we need help or have questions.



## **Leaving the museum**

Our teacher will let us know when we need to leave the Museum.

We might go with our teacher to Schools Entrance to collect our bags or wait outside school entrance for our teacher to bring our bags trolleys to us.

**We hope you enjoy your visit to  
Melbourne Museum.**

# Lower Ground Floor

