

It's happening...

LIVE from the Stepping Stones Studio!

Get connected with new virtual STEAM-powered (science, technology, engineering, arts and math) workshops, tours and other immersive and “happening” events from **Stepping Stones** Museum for Children. The NEW Stepping Stones Studio goes live this fall with a lineup of play-filled, brain-building educational offerings for young learners that inspire and delight.

Big Adventures Workshops

Travel first class on a wacky, whimsical (and sometimes warped) time machine and encounter the most excellent adventures – past, present and future. Explore a land where dinosaurs roam or journey through the universe in time-tested transportation innovations.

The Virtual Learning Playlist for Schools and Groups – Fall 2020

Eco Kids Unite!

Make worldwide kindness connections with cool, caring and kind young citizens who want to protect Planet Earth and the universe. Explore the work of citizen scientists, kindness ninjas, planet hunters and others who are making a positive difference in the world. Embark on real-world STEAM excursions to investigate, invent and implement eco-friendly solutions to local and global environmental challenges. *All Grades*

Energy Lab!

Take a virtual trek through the Earth's layers and systems to investigate the different forms of ENERGY that all living things need and use. Energy Lab! workshops can be customized by selecting an investigation topic that supports your group's specific interests. Investigation topics include: Animal Habitats, Contraptions and Thingamajigs, Light as a Superpower, Playground Physics, Robotics, Simple Machines, Sound Science, Space Matters and Water Ways. *All Grades*

Dinosaurs

Become paleontologists to investigate the mindboggling evolution of dinosaurs and unearth their amazing stories. Dinosaurs workshops can be customized by selecting an investigation topic that supports your group's specific interests. Investigation topics include: The supercontinent Pangaea, Arthropods and Trilobites, Amphibians and Reptiles, Not Just Dinosaurs, Dinosaurs and Birds, Local Fossil History and Pollution Solutions to help protect Planet Earth today and in the future. *All Grades*

Going Places

Travel the universe by air, land and sea on innovative transportation vehicles while exploring the science of magnets, compasses, maps and other navigation tools to help find their way. Whether coming or going, using critical thinking skills, imagination, purpose and intention, everyone will go far on this one-of-a-kind adventure. *All Grades*

Lights, Cameras, Action!

Stepping Stones Studio Workshop

Sneak a peek, or get Bird's eye view, of the Stepping Stones Studio. Meet members of the museum's multimedia team. Explore their different jobs and try out favorites. The Lights, Cameras, Action! Stepping Stones Studio workshop can be customized by selecting an investigation topic that supports your group's specific interests. Investigation topics include: Acting, Cartooning, Comedy and Improvisation, Costume Design, Mixing It Up, Puppetry, Readers Theater, Script Writing, Storytelling and Storyboarding, Songwriting and Stop Motion Animation. *All Grades*

The Healthy Foodshed

Join Lucy Somebody, Bree and other members of the *Healthyville*® Youth Advisory Team to investigate why healthy food benefits our bodies and where it comes from. Make it! Create a unique game showing how healthy food travels from farm to fork. Try it! Measure, Mix and Bake it! Take home a unique, healthy recipe from a local chef and farmer. *All Grades*

The Innovation Station

Explore amazing architectural design feats from around the world. DIY! Make your own team construction and enter it in the virtual Innovation Station Showcase. *All Grades*



GRADES PK – 5



Stepping Stones Museum for Children

Virtual Workshop Details

Capacity: Group of up to 20 children; additional children may also participate at a reduced fee.

Grades: PK – 5

Length: 30 to 50 minutes depending on the workshop selection.

Pricing: \$90 for the first session, \$85 for additional workshops.

Scope and Sequence: Each workshop is designed to fulfill state and national educational standards and may be customized to support group needs and interests.

For more information about virtual and onsite museum tours, workshops and events, please contact our team at schoolsandgroups@steppingstonesmuseum.org.

“As a proponent of free play and gently guided exploration, I applaud the staff and studio at Stepping Stones for creating – and creatively delivering – relevant, engaging, open-ended content for kids of all ages. #FreeToBeAKid”

– Renata Bowers, Frieda B.
Children’s Book Series Author



“The work that the Stepping Stones Studio is doing will go a long way toward addressing the need for substantive virtual experiences. While Covid continues to necessitate the use of technology to support students’ exposure to content, Stepping Stones Studio will provide immersive, interactive, and content-rich learning experiences.”

– Margie B. Gillis, Ed.D., President
of Literacy How, Inc.

