



Birthday Party Guidelines

We are excited to welcome you and your party to the museum!

The UL Lafayette Science Museum is a great place to spend the day with the exhibits, but it also houses our research collections. We have hundreds of thousands of artifacts and specimens that represent Louisiana's (and beyond!) history from prehistoric to modern times! To protect the museum's collections from pests or from becoming damaged, we need your help. Please review the important guidelines below and pass the information on to your party guests. If you have any questions, please contact us at (337) 291-5544 or email lafayettesciencemuseum@louisiana.edu.

Arrival: You can have access to your party room up to 15 minutes before your party to prepare for your party guests.

Food: Food (cake, snacks, candies, etc.) may be brought into the museum, but must remain in the party space or on the cart provided by your party host. Due to time limitations, the museum does not allow deliveries of food for birthday parties.

Drinks: Please bring only individual serving beverages (juice boxes, bottled water, etc.). This helps keep messes at a minimum and our museum bug free!

Decorations: You are welcome to bring additional table decorations and party decorations. The following are **NOT** allowed in the museum:

- Glitter confetti, streamers, crepe paper
- Wall decorations—nothing can be taped or attached to the walls
- Items made of organic materials (i.e., live plants, feathers, moss, potpourri, straw, etc.)

Service Ware: You are welcome to bring your own paper products for the party such as napkins, plates, forks, spoons, etc. Serving utensils can be provided for cutting cake. Coolers and Tupperware-style containers are permitted.

Miscellaneous: All food, other items, and gifts brought in by your guests must be placed on the cart(s) provided by your party host. Your party host will set up the party area with your items.

Call (337) 291-5544 to reserve your party today!