Hands-on Science



We're not afraid to get dirty at the Akron Fossils and Science Center!

Our Super Science Saturdays emphasize hands-on learning and

student creativity.

WARNING: This program can get very messy!

Many of our spring and summer Saturdays take place outdoors. Please dress accordingly.

Other Programs

Our center is fun for the whole family! We offer tours, park admission, science classes, summer day camps, lectures, scout programming, canoe trips, birthday parties, and more!

About Us

Akron Fossils & Science Center is a 501-c(3) nonprofit which exists to provide visitors of all ages with balanced, affordable, and hands-on educational opportunities to explore the science of the world past, present, and future.



2080 S. Cleveland-Massillon Rd. Copley, OH 44321

Location

Conveniently located in Copley Township only fifteen minutes from downtown Akron.

Find and print **driving directions** on our website at akronfossils.org.



Other things to do...

Be sure to leave time to tour the center and play in our play park where you can have fun on our Giant Slide, 200 ft. long zip-line, 4-man Helicopter Swing... and more!

We have a Dino-Kiddie-Land play area for the younger children and a picnic area for your convenience. Feel free to pack a lunch. Drinks and snacks are available in our gift shop.

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Super Science Saturday

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- When: One Saturday a Month (usually the third Saturday of the month)
- Time: 10:30 –3:30p.m.
- Cost: \$15 (Members \$10)
- Activities are for students in the K-7th grade.
- Students can be dropped off for the day's activities. No food is provided. Students staying all day must bring a packed lunch to be eaten during the supervised lunch break.
- Our science lessons include hands-on learning activities and take-home projects. Be prepared to get messy!
- Preregistration and payment are required. Visit our website at www.akronfossils.org for more details.
- Should changes or cancellations take place, details will be listed on our website and social media pages.

Super Science Saturday 2024



Exotic Ecology (January 20) – This month, we will be discovering the ecology of exotic creatures. Some of the most unique living organisms have some exotic ecology.

Healthy Heart (February 17) – Join us this month, as we take a look at some of the key features to a healthy heart!



Building Bridges (March 16) – Excited to create new things? Explore with us as we discover the world of building bridges.

Crazy Chemistry (April 20) – Did you know that, at times, experiments do not always go as planned? Come learn with us about some crazy chemistry fun!



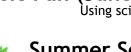


Fancy Ferrets (May 18) – What is a ferret? Discover the science behind these living organisms, their classification, and their fancy lives.



Forensic Fun (June 15) — Join us this month as we look at the world of forensics. Using science to solve crimes will definitely be fun!





Summer Science (July 20) - Did you know that summer is filled with some cool science? Explore with us this month for some summer fun!

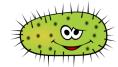
Chill Chinchillas (August 17) - Take a look with us, this month, as we study the life of these chill creatures.



Darling Deciduous (September 21) — Did you know that some trees loose their leaves? Join us this month, as we look at the darling world of the deciduous trees!

Perfect Pumpkins (October 19) – The month of fall fun is a great time to learn about pumpkins. Visit with us as we explore these perfect plants.





Microbe Madness (November 16) – Join us, this month, as we take a look at the mad world of microbes. Good and bad, these tiny creatures are everywhere! Join us as we take a look into their little lives.

Chocolate Christmas (December 21) – Chocolate is one of the most loved candies, especially at Christmastime. Explore the chocolate making world and see the many varieties and creations!







Questions? Please call the Science Center at 330.665.DINO (3466) or e-mail us at kids@akronfossils.org.

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- Activities are for students in the K-7th grade.
- Students can be dropped off for the day's activities. No food is provided. Students staying all day must bring a packed lunch to be eaten during the supervised lunch break.
- A detailed schedule with all activities will be posted on our website each month.
- Super Science Saturdays are Special Events and are not included in any discount pricing except membership.
- Families are welcome to participate together. Lunch can be brought and eaten together during lunch break, also.
- Groups wanting to participate in Super Science Saturdays must call or email kids@akronfossils.org at least one month in advance to secure a spot. The program has limited capacity and sells out quickly.