

What's A Fantastic Friday Visit Like?

The typical Fantastic Friday visit begins at 9:30 a.m. Student buses can drop off their students in the traffic circle on the south side of Nestor Hall. COTA has a bus stop which services the CSCC campus, located a short distance from Nestor Hall.

WHERE IS NESTOR HALL? <http://www2.csc.c.edu/about/columbus/>

NOTE: Please be aware of all highway ramp closures; there have been several that affect access to the CSCC downtown campus. You can find out more information at:

<http://www.pavingtheway.org/>

Students will be met in the Nestor Hall lobby by Fantastic Friday staffers. Students are instructed to BE SILENT while moving inside campus buildings. There will always be regular college classes in session. Schedules are distributed to teachers and all adult chaperones. Students and chaperones get started on the day's activities immediately afterward. Each lab can accommodate 24 students, so larger groups will be asked to divide into smaller squads. The day's activities are chosen in advance by the sponsoring teacher, and each class of students will be rotated between activities. All students will be able to perform all of the activities chosen by the teacher. A sample schedule for a group of 48 students might look like this:

Time	Team 1 Mr. Jones (24 students)	Team 2 Mrs. Smith (24 students)
8:30-9:00	Students eat a snack* and depart school	Students eat a snack* and depart school
9:00-9:30	Students arrive and gather in Nestor Hall	Students arrive and gather in Nestor Hall
9:30-10:30 a.m.	Eyes Have It (Anatomy)	Solving the Acid-Base Mystery (Chemistry)
10:30-11:30 a.m.	Simple Stain (Microbiology)	Eyes Have It (Anatomy)
11:30-12:30	Solving the Acid-Base Mystery (Chemistry)	Simple Stain (Microbiology)
12:30-1:30	Lunch in campus cafeteria	Lunch in campus cafeteria

***Please don't skip this step! Your students won't learn or have fun if they're hungry.**

Each activity is designed to last approximately 1 hour from beginning until final clean-up. ***All activities are actual college science laboratory experiments, scaled down for younger students!*** Students typically work in teams of 2 to ensure that everyone gets a chance to participate.

Lunch

Lunch is in the college cafeteria. Three options are available for lunch:

1) Purchase pizza lunch. Pizza (that favorite college food!) pop and a cookie are available for purchase. This must be arranged with the college catering service. Contact: Cathering Manager Alex West at 614-287-5447.

2) Brown-bag it and bring your own. Pop, juice and water are available in cafeteria vending machines. Lunches must be stored upon arrival—food cannot be brought into the laboratories.

3) Purchase lunch at the student cafeteria. Pizza, sub sandwiches, grilled items, salads and soups are just a few of the items available for purchase. The typical cost for lunch is \$5-6 when purchased a la carte.

Parking

Limited visitor parking is available on campus. It is strongly recommended that all visitors come in the same buses due to limited parking. Buses must depart after students have been dropped off.

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