

Northern Virginia Science Center Foundation



Mission Today

Northern Virginia Science Center Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that provides families and schools with unique STEM opportunities at the Children's Science Center Lab at Fair Oaks Mall and STEM programs traveling to schools and other community venues across the region.

Children's Science Center Lab

The Lab is open to the public for two-hour general admission sessions on weekends and major school holidays.



Camps

In-person camps focused on STEM exploration for rising 1-5 graders

Field Trips

Students enjoy hands-on STEM in the Lab's four exciting experience areas

Family Science Night

Traveling program to 50+ schools annually (free for Title 1 schools)

Science On the Go

Offers children a fun, interactive science related program facilitated off-site

STEM Chicas

Program to engage Latina youth under-represented in STEM in partnership with local elementary schools

Youth Development Initiative

Youth Development Initiative includes an extensive variety of leadership and internship programs for high school and college-aged youth that emphasize professional skills development and STEM engagement. Programs enable students to obtain employment and employers to develop their workforce.

Vision Tomorrow

The Northern Virginia Science Center will be a place for discovery, innovation and fun. This world-class, interactive science center for all ages will feature five expansive galleries with interactive exhibits, educational facilities for hands-on programs and special event spaces. The Science Center will be located in the Dulles Technology Corridor, adjacent to 200 acres of natural parkland, offering experiences inside and out celebrating that science is everything and everything is science.

The Launch the Future capital campaign to build the Northern Virginia Science Center, a division of the Science Museum of Virginia, is well underway. Pivotal Partners include the Commonwealth of Virginia, Loudoun County, Northwest Federal Credit Union and Kincora. The award-winning teams of HGA, Roto and Balfour Beatty are engaged in the architecture, exhibit design and construction of this world class facility which is projected to serve over 300,000 guests annually.

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