We are going to the Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum for Kids Week.
The Intrepid Museum is based on an aircraft carrier that floats on the Hudson River.
The Museum is on West 46th Street and 12th Avenue in Manhattan. When we arrive, we will see busy roads with cars and bikes. There may be a line.
We will go inside the Welcome Center. A security guard will ask us to walk through a metal detector.
Next, we will wait in line to buy our tickets before going into the Museum.
We will use the stairs or elevator to go up to the hangar deck or to the flight deck.
We will walk across a gangway that looks like a metal bridge. It connects the stairs and elevator to the ship.

To hangar deck

To flight deck
We can ask questions at the Information Desk, located on the hangar deck. We can get a map and borrow a sensory bag and other resources. The sensory bag includes fidgets and noise reduction headphones.
People who work at the Museum can help us. Security guards wear white shirts with a badge. We can also ask people who wear yellow, red and blue Intrepid Museum shirts.
When we are in the Museum, there are some things we can touch and some things we cannot. Signs and stanchions protect the aircraft.
We can check out the Kids Week activities in the interactive Exploreum.

If it feels too loud or crowded, we can take a break nearby.
We can watch demonstrations and performances on the Exploreum stage. These change each day and include:

- Science demonstrations
- Theater performances
- Live animal demonstrations
- Scientist talks
We can visit activity stations. These change each day and include:

Science exploration tables

Design challenges and art activities
The Kids Week schedule and activities are different each day. We can check the website for more information.

Themes:
Saturday-Sunday: Art & Music Fun
Monday-Wednesday: Safari & Nature Adventure
Thursday-Saturday: Exploring Space & Science

Schedule*: [www.intrepidmuseum.org/kidsweek](http://www.intrepidmuseum.org/kidsweek)

*Schedule and partners are subject to change. We can check the schedule again when we arrive at the Museum.
There is a lot more we can do and see. We can see airplanes and helicopters on top of and inside the ship.

Flight Deck
On top of the ship

Hangar Deck
Inside the ship
We can find places on *Intrepid* where sailors worked, ate food and slept.

In the fo’c’sle, we can touch the anchor chains, tools and mooring lines. The galley (kitchen) is located on the third deck. It looks and sounds the way it did when crew cooks made food for 3,000 men! Look nearby for where the crew ate and slept.
We can learn about space exploration in the Space Shuttle Pavilion on the flight deck.
There is a movie that re-creates a kamikaze attack on the ship. It is very loud and has flashing lights. I can cover my ears if I walk past it.

Daily show times
10:30am - 10:45am
11:30am - 11:45am
12:30pm - 12:45pm
1:30pm - 1:45pm
2:30pm - 2:45pm
3:30pm - 3:45pm
4:30pm - 4:45pm

Located near the World War II Avenger airplane on the hangar deck.
If we get hungry, we can go to the mess deck (third deck) or Welcome Center to buy food or eat the food we brought.
On the pier, we can visit an exhibit about submarine Growler called A View from the Deep. If the Museum is crowded, we may have to wait in line to enter.

After we walk through the exhibit, we may go inside the submarine.*

*See last page for more information about Growler restrictions.
If we decide to go inside the submarine *Growler*, we will walk through a special type of door used in submarines.*

*See last page for more information about *Growler* restrictions.
If there are some things we did not see, we can come back another time, or we can look online.

Discover the Intrepid Museum’s [YouTube Channel](#) or explore [Google Arts & Culture’s 360 street views](#) within the Museum complex.
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Growler Guidelines

Please note the following requirements to enter the submarine Growler:

• All guests must be able to pass through the replica hatch without assistance.
• Areas inside are narrow and may not be suitable for guests with claustrophobia.
• All guests must be at least 40 inches tall.
• Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
• Strollers, large bags and backpacks are not permitted.
• Food and beverages are not permitted.

The line to the submarine Growler and exhibition may close early.