

## INFORMATION

### ¥ Paying zone

A ticket is necessary to enter the Permanent Exhibition sites [EX2-EX5], the Science Workshops, and the Dome Theater GAIA. (Special fee may be applied on Special Exhibitions.)

### 🎫 Dome Theater GAIA

A numbered ticket is distributed to visitors who purchased an admission ticket at the entrance. (One ticket per person, on a first-come-first-served basis)

### ★ Event of the day

Check the information board on each floor.

### 📷 Photographing

Except for some exhibits, you can take photos for personal use only, of all the exhibits. (An advance permit is necessary to photograph for commercial purposes, copying, and broadcasting.)

### 🚭 No smoking in the museum

Smoking is prohibited in the building

### 🍴 Restaurants

**1F** Fast food shop (9:00~19:00)

**5F** Café (10:00~17:00)

Area for drinks (in the middle of oval bridge)

**7F** Restaurant (11:00~18:00 [17:00 Last call])

Area for drinks

※ The opening hours may differ according to the season. ※ Please eat and drink only in the designated areas. ※ Eating is not allowed in the area for drinks. ※ Cold water machines are available in the area neighboring the 1F Orientation Room1 and in the 7F Area for drinks. ※ Visitors in a group can use the 1F Orientation Rooms 1 and 2 to have lunch. (Reservation necessary)

### 🛍 Shopping

1F Museum Shop (10:00-17:00 The opening hours may differ according to the season.)

### 🧳 Locker Room

1F Coin lockers (Refundable)

### 🚌 Free bus service

Free bus service connecting major facilities in Odaiba is available at intervals of 15-25 minutes from 11:00 a.m. till 8:00 p.m.

### ♿ Service for persons with physical disabilities

Rental wheelchairs and machines for communication by means of writing are available at the 1F Help Desk.

### 👶 For small children

A baby buggy is available at the 1F Help Desk. "Baby's Café," a room provided where one can feed on infant is located at the rear of the 5F Café.

## Visitors Guide

Opening Hours	10:00~17:00 (Entrance allowed up to 16:30. Opening days and hours are subject to change.)
Closed	Tuesday (Open on Tuesdays that fall on holidays or in the spring, summer, or winter vacation periods), December 28 - January 1
Admission Fee	Adults: 500 yen, 18 years old and under: 200 yen Groups (8 or more people) Adults: 400 yen, 18 years old and under: 160 yen Free admission for children age 6 and under Free admission for 18 year olds and under on Saturday (Special Exhibitions excluded) Free admission for those in possession of a Disability Book and one accompanying person Special fees may apply for special exhibitions.
Member's Club "Friends of Miraikan"	Annual free pass with privileges Individual 1,000 yen Family 2,000 yen (all family members living together)
Group Reservation Desk	TEL: +81-3-3570-9188 (The reservation desk is open from 10:00-17:00)
Parking	Standard-sized: 300 yen for the first hour (100 yen for every 30 minutes after that) Full-sized: 3,000 yen/during visit (advance reservations not necessary)



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The National Museum of Emerging Science and Innovation (Miraikan) is a science museum open to all to share the new wisdom of the 21st century. In addition to the Permanent Exhibition in four separate fields, theaters, library, and a variety of other facilities provided to allow visitors to experience and enjoy science. Visitors can experience cutting-edge science and technology through dialogues with interpreters and volunteers. Through these activities, Miraikan aims to share this cutting-edge science and technology with the whole society as part of enriched human culture.

### Guide to Museum

7 F	HAL	MIRAI CAN Hall	
	LNG	Lounge	
	INH	Innovation Hall	
	CR1-3	Conference Room 1-3	🍴 ♿
6 F	GAIA	Dome Theater GAIA	♿
5 F	EX4	Life Science	
	EX5	The Earth Environment and Frontiers	🍴 ♿
3 F	EX2	Innovation and the Future	
	EX3	Information Science and Technology for Society	
	SWS	Science Workshop	♿
	SCL	Science Library	♿
1 F	EX1	Exhibition Space	
	SBZ	Symbol Zone	
	OR1-2	Orientation Room 1-2	🍴 ♿

## Permanent Exhibition

Themes in the four fields have been shown to allow visitors to understand science and technology from the view of the Universe, Earth, and Humans.

### EX2 -3F- Innovation and the Future

Introduced here are technologies that will make our life richer, more convenient, and develop the society.

- a Robot
- b Nanotechnology
- c Micromachine
- d Superconductivity
- e Innovation in Chemistry

### EX3 -3F- Information Science and Technology for Society

Here information science and technology that will change the future of society and culture is studied from various aspects.

- f Connection
- g Anything
- h Anytime
- i Anyone
- j Anywhere

### EX4 -5F- Life Science

You will understand the origin and frontiers of life science and think about the problems posed by new science and technology.

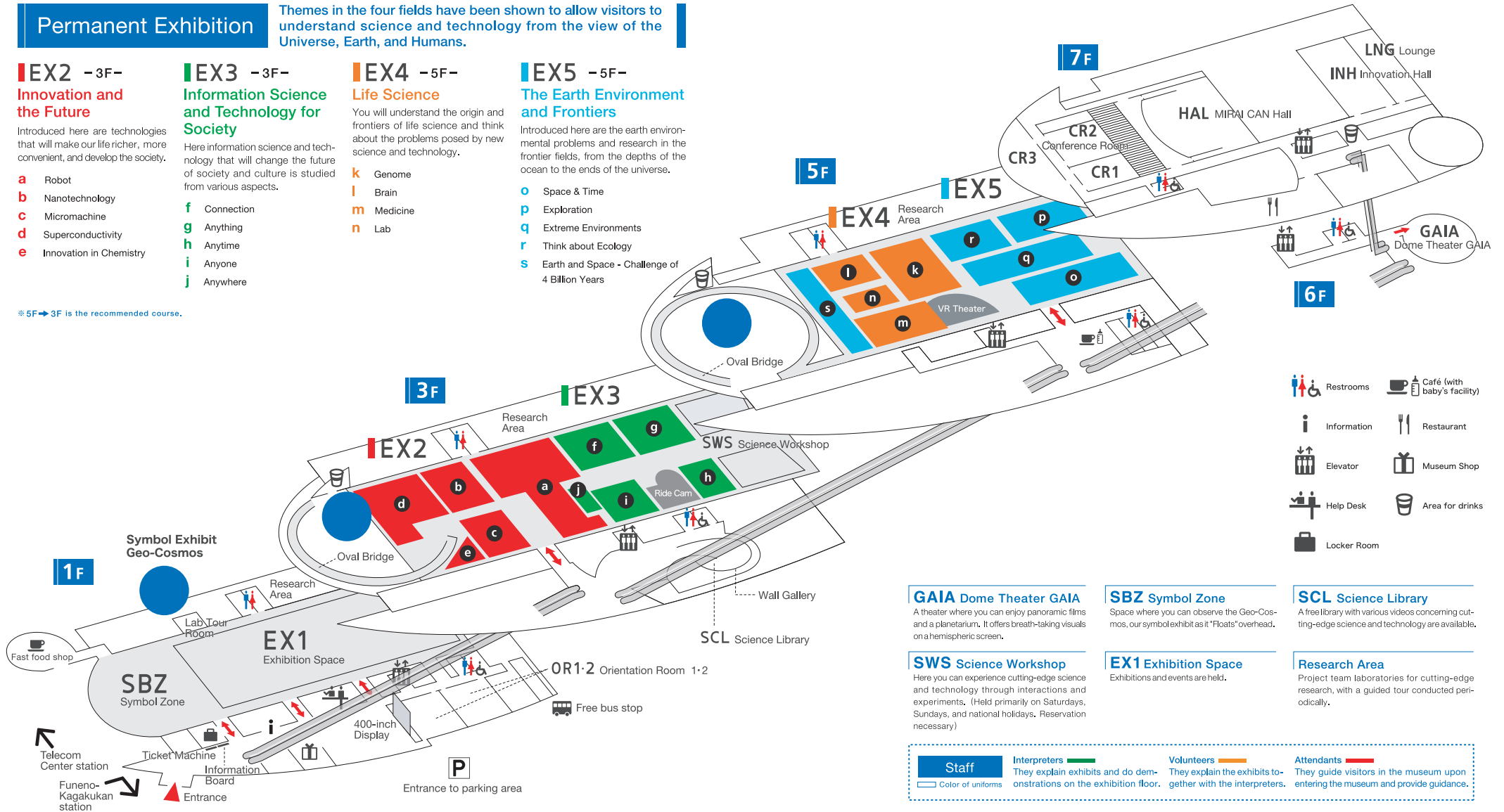
- k Genome
- l Brain
- m Medicine
- n Lab

### EX5 -5F- The Earth Environment and Frontiers

Introduced here are the earth environmental problems and research in the frontier fields, from the depths of the ocean to the ends of the universe.

- o Space & Time
- p Exploration
- q Extreme Environments
- r Think about Ecology
- s Earth and Space - Challenge of 4 Billion Years

※ 5F → 3F is the recommended course.



#### GAIA Dome Theater GAIA

A theater where you can enjoy panoramic films and a planetarium. It offers breath-taking visuals on a hemispheric screen.

#### SWS Science Workshop

Here you can experience cutting-edge science and technology through interactions and experiments. (Held primarily on Saturdays, Sundays, and national holidays. Reservation necessary)

#### SBZ Symbol Zone

Space where you can observe the Geo-Cosmos, our symbol exhibit as it "floats" overhead.

#### EX1 Exhibition Space

Exhibitions and events are held.

#### SCL Science Library

A free library with various videos concerning cutting-edge science and technology are available.

#### Research Area

Project team laboratories for cutting-edge research, with a guided tour conducted periodically.

#### Staff

Color of uniforms

**Interpreters** (Green)  
They explain exhibits and do demonstrations on the exhibition floor.

**Volunteers** (Orange)  
They explain the exhibits together with the interpreters.

**Attendants** (Red)  
They guide visitors in the museum upon entering the museum and provide guidance.