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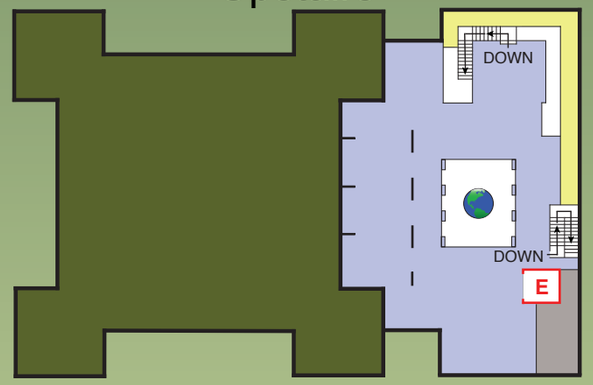

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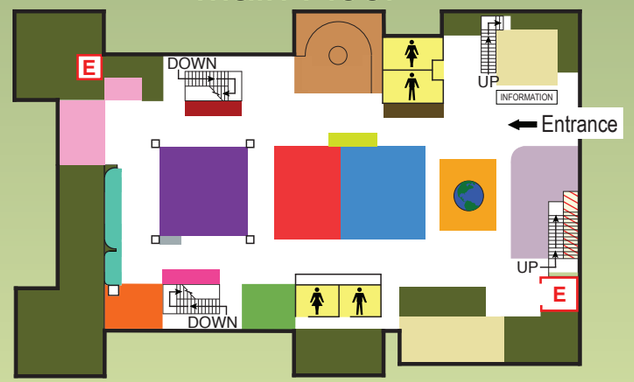

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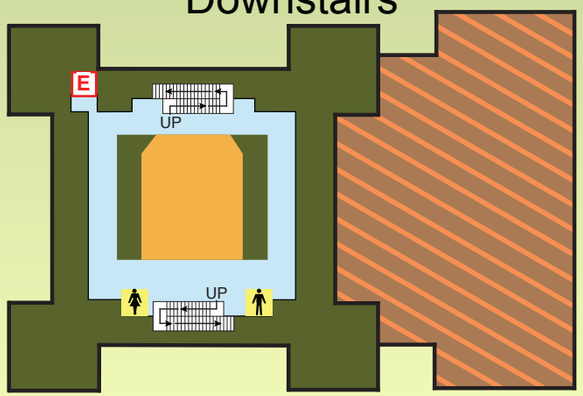

- Auditorium
- Restrooms
- Vertebrates of Utah
- E Elevator
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- Exhibit Preparation Area (Employees Only)

Our Living Planet

This exhibit explores the unique life-supporting physical characteristics of planet Earth.

Fred & Sue Morris Bird Gallery

This remarkable collection features over 100 different birds from around the world.

Life on Top: Apex Predators

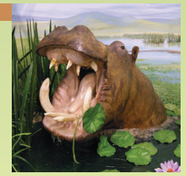
This exhibit features interactive scenes highlighting issues related to top-predators.

Life Submerged: Marine & Freshwater

This exhibit highlights features of both freshwater and marine ecosystems.

Into Africa

This exhibit highlights key interactions in several of Africa's ecosystems.



Faith and Science

This exhibit examines the relationship between science and faith by exploring how evolutionary theory and Creation can coexist.

Boyd K. Packer Gallery

The Packer Gallery highlights President Packer's life and remarkable talent as a wildlife artist.

Our Sacred Stewardship

This exhibit teaches the inspired doctrines related to our divine stewardship responsibilities.

Protect Your Planet

This exhibit includes the museum's full mount bull elephant with information about species conservation-related issues.

Quest for Knowledge

This recent addition illustrates the fluidity of the scientific method and process using new touch screen technology.

Riparian Ecology

This exhibit, initially developed by the Natural History Museum of Utah, is tailored to educate visitors about the Provo River drainage.

"Beyond exhibits, the museum houses extensive research collections of vertebrates, insects, plants, etc. Although these are not normally available for public viewing, they may be visited through advance arrangements with the respective curators."

Monte L. Bean
Life Science Museum
Brigham Young University

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Museum Hours:
Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Closed Sundays

Food and drink are not permitted.

Free Admission

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Museum Mission Statement

The Monte L. Bean Life Science Museum at Brigham Young University is a dynamic repository and trustee for a remarkable group of biological collections. These collections are used to celebrate the role of Jesus Christ as Creator, while enhancing student learning and mentoring and promoting faculty teaching and research. They also serve as a unique venue for inviting the public and scientific community to explore and contemplate intricate biological relationships and processes.

The Museum opened to the public in 1978, is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums, and maintains membership in the Natural Science Collections Alliance. The museum was expanded and renovated between 2012 and 2014. It houses nearly three million specimens in nine separate research collections.

Schedule a Live Animal Show

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All of our shows include at least 3 live animals

Animal Discovery - Preschool
Animal Comparisons - Kindergarten
Classification - First Grade
Habitat Hunters - Second Grade
Nature Interactions - Third Grade
Utah's Diversity - Fourth Grade
Adaptations - Fifth Grade
Vertebrate Variety

We present our live animal shows in the following formats:

- **Inhouse Shows (FREE)**
- **Public Shows:**
  Monday 6:30 PM & 7:30 PM
  Tuesday – Friday 7:30 PM
  Saturday – 1:00 PM & 3:00 PM
  Private Shows can be scheduled online
- **Outreach Shows**
  $45 in Utah County,
  $65 outside of Utah County
- **Webcast Shows (FREE)**
- **FHE Outreach Shows**
  FREE for groups in Provo

Additional Educational Opportunities:

Bio-boxes
Nature Experienceships
Wildlife Adventures
Tanner Lectures
Website Resources (classroom activities, videos etc.)

For more information see our website mlbean.byu.edu

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