

Robotics Discovery Day School Groups FAQs

ONSITE ARRIVAL

This event is located at the David L. Lawrence Convention Center, Hall B, 1000 Fort Duquesne Blvd, Pittsburgh, PA 15222. Upon arrival, enter through the East Lobby entrance and proceed up the escalator. Follow signs for Robotics Discovery Day (Hall B).

WHERE SHOULD SCHOOL BUSES DROP OFF AND PICK UP OUR GROUP?

Buses may drop off and pick up students at the East Lobby on 10th Street (see map for details) before proceeding to parking. Once inside the East Lobby, take the escalator up to the second floor and follow signs for Hall B!

WHERE CAN SCHOOL BUSES PARK WHILE OUR GROUP VISITS?

The Eleventh & Smallman Lot (1101 Smallman St) will have an attendant scheduled November 16 from 7am to 12pm. Buses arriving in this time frame will be directed by the lot attendant. Parking is first come first serve - reservations are not available. Bus rate: \$30.00 / bus

WILL THERE BE SPACE TO STORE PERSONAL BELONGINGS AT THE CONVENTION CENTER?

There will be a sectioned off area near the cafeteria tables where schools may store lunches. Schools must bring lunches in a container (ie laundry basket, rubbermaid, box, etc) so that your school's lunches are grouped together. You may store your container in the designated area while you explore the floor, and retrieve them at lunch time. Please take your containers with you when you leave the Convention Center. No shoes, jackets, or other personal items will be permitted in this area.

WILL LUNCH BE PROVIDED?

Schools may bring packed lunches. Please bring a large container to store your lunches in, and label it with your school's name. There will be an area onsite to store your bins. Note: No restaurant food will be allowed onsite, per Convention Center rules.

A concession stand will also be available from 10AM - 3PM.

Be aware that if a student wants to purchase anything at the Convention Center it is a cashless facility. Accepted forms of payment are Visa, Mastercard, Discover, American Express and Apple Pay.

HOW SHOULD I REGISTER MY GROUP?

Teachers must register their schools via the <u>Robotics Discovery Day School Group Registration</u> <u>Form</u>. Student names are not required, however we need an accurate count for how many students are attending.

HOW LONG SHOULD I PLAN TO STAY AT THE EVENT?

Most groups will stay for 2-3 hours to get the full experience. There will be no schedule of events as demos will run throughout the day.

HOW CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION ON BUSSING REIMBURSEMENTS?

Schools can request transportation reimbursement via the <u>Robotics Discovery Day School</u> <u>Group Registration Form</u>. Reimbursement (for up to \$400) may be available for some groups (20+ students) in need of assistance. Someone from our team will follow up with next steps.

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