

Houston Museum of Natural Science Rental Pricing

Rental pricing includes: 4-hour facility rental, on-site security, building supervisor, janitor and maintenance fees. Use of an additional location is available at an hourly rate with a 4-hour facility rental from January - November. All pricing is subject to change.

GENERAL EVENING EVENTS					
(Applies to any event scheduled during January - November)					
Event location	Classroom Capacity	Theatre Capacity	Seated Dinner Capacity	Cocktail Reception Capacity	Rental Rate
Grand Hall	-	-	350	900	\$4,000.00
Glassell Hall	-	-	200	300	\$3,000.00
Wiess Energy Hall	-	40	50	100	\$2,500.00
Morian Hall of Paleontology	-	150 Wedding ceremony capacity	360	800	\$7,500.00
Cullen Hall of Gems and Minerals	-	100 Wedding ceremony capacity	150	200	\$4,000.00
Farish Hall of Texas Wildlife	-	40	40	60	\$2,500.00
Cockrell Butterfly Lobby	-	150 Wedding ceremony capacity	120	200	\$2,000.00
Cockrell Butterfly Center	-	-	-	50 Wedding ceremony capacity	\$1,000.00/hour
Burke Baker Planetarium	-	161 (Max Capacity: 187)	-	-	\$1,200.00/hour

Giant Screen Theater	-	400	-	-	\$2,500.00/hour (additional hour - \$1,000.00)
Sundial	-	180	120	200	\$3,000.00 or \$1,200.00/hour
Moran Lecture Hall	100	220	150	200	\$1,800.00
Paleontology Hall and Wiess Energy hall	-	-	400	900	\$8,500.00
1st floor exhibits	-	-	520	1200	\$10,000.00
2nd floor exhibits	-	-	300	600	\$5,000.00
2nd floor exhibits and Glassell	-	-	500	900	\$7,500.00
3rd floor	-	-	-	300	\$3,000.00

GENERAL DAYTIME EVENTS**(Events during January-November)**

Event Location	Classroom Capacity	Theatre Capacity	Seated Dinner Capacity	Cocktail Reception Capacity	Rental Rate
Arnold Space Hall	70	250	150	200	\$500/half day \$1,000/full day
Classroom	9-24	30-80	16-40	40-90	\$200/half day \$400/full day
Conference Room	45	100	60	100	\$600/half day \$1,000/full day
Moran Lecture Hall	100	220	150	200	\$1,200/half day \$2,000/full day
Morian Overlook	-	100	150	150	\$1,200/half day \$2,000/full day

Holiday Pricing

HOLIDAY EVENTS					
(Applies to any event scheduled during December)					
Event location	Classroom Capacity	Theatre Capacity	Seated Dinner Capacity	Cocktail Reception Capacity	Rental Rate
Grand Hall	-	-	350	900	\$5,000.00
Glassell Hall	-	-	200	300	\$4,000.00
Wiess Energy Hall	-	40	50	100	3,500.00
Morian Hall of Paleontology	-	150 Wedding ceremony capacity	360	800	\$8,500.00
Cullen Hall of Gems and Minerals	-	100 Wedding ceremony capacity	150	200	\$5,000.00
Farish Hall of Texas Wildlife	-	40 Wedding ceremony capacity	40	60	\$3,000.00
Cockrell Butterfly Lobby	-	150 Wedding ceremony capacity	120	200	\$3,000.00
Cockrell Butterfly Center	-	-	-	50 Wedding ceremony capacity	\$2,500.00/hour
Burke Baker Planetarium	-	161 (Max Capacity: 187)	-	-	\$1,200.00/hour
Giant Screen Theater	-	400	-	-	\$2,500.00/hour (additional hour - \$1,000.00)

Sundial	-	180	120	200	\$4,000.00 or \$1,500.00/hour
Moran Lecture Hall	100	220	150	200	\$1,900.00
Paleontology Hall and Wiess Energy hall	-	-	400	900	\$9,500.00
1st floor exhibits	-	-	520	1200	\$11,000.00
2nd floor exhibits	-	-	300	600	\$6,000.00
2nd floor exhibits and Glassell	-	-	500	900	\$8,500.00
3rd floor	-	-	-	300	\$4,000.00

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