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CENTRE

# Sensory Map

## SPACE FOR EVERYONE

This map represents an average sensory experience but this may vary on the day of your visit.

If you have any concerns or questions about sensory disturbances during your visit, please do not hesitate to talk to a member of staff.

If you require any further information prior to your visit, please us contact via:

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*Please note: our offices are open  
Monday to Friday, 09:00-17:00*

# Useful Information

## Lights

- The ground floor is dimly lit throughout, following the theme of outer space
- You can find areas with natural light on each deck of the Rocket Tower

## Sounds

- Announcements sound regularly around the galleries, these can be loud for some visitors
- Occasional events taking place in our LIVE Space galleries can be a source of loud sounds coming from science experiments
- Some of toilets have automatic hand-driers, these can be a source of loud noise for some visitors
- The lift on Deck 4 of the Rocket Tower occasionally makes a loud click sound as it reaches the top

## Smells

- Some of our Discovery Team's busking activities can be a source of strong smells
- Our proximity to the river can, at times, be a source of strong smells throughout the year

## Busiest times

- Our busiest times are:
  - 11:00 (peak arrival time)
  - Rainy days
  - February and October half term
- Boosters café can get very busy between 12:00 and 14:00
- Our free Annual Pass upgrade gives you the option to come back at no cost and see anything you might have missed









## Quieter times

- Quieter times are:
  - During the week after 14:00
  - Sunny days
  - The first two weeks of the summer holiday
  - The holiday prior to Christmas













## Temperature

- The temperature varies as you move through the galleries, you may want to bring a bottle of water and a jacket just in case
- Some areas can be quite warm, such as Decks 3 and 4 of the Rocket Tower

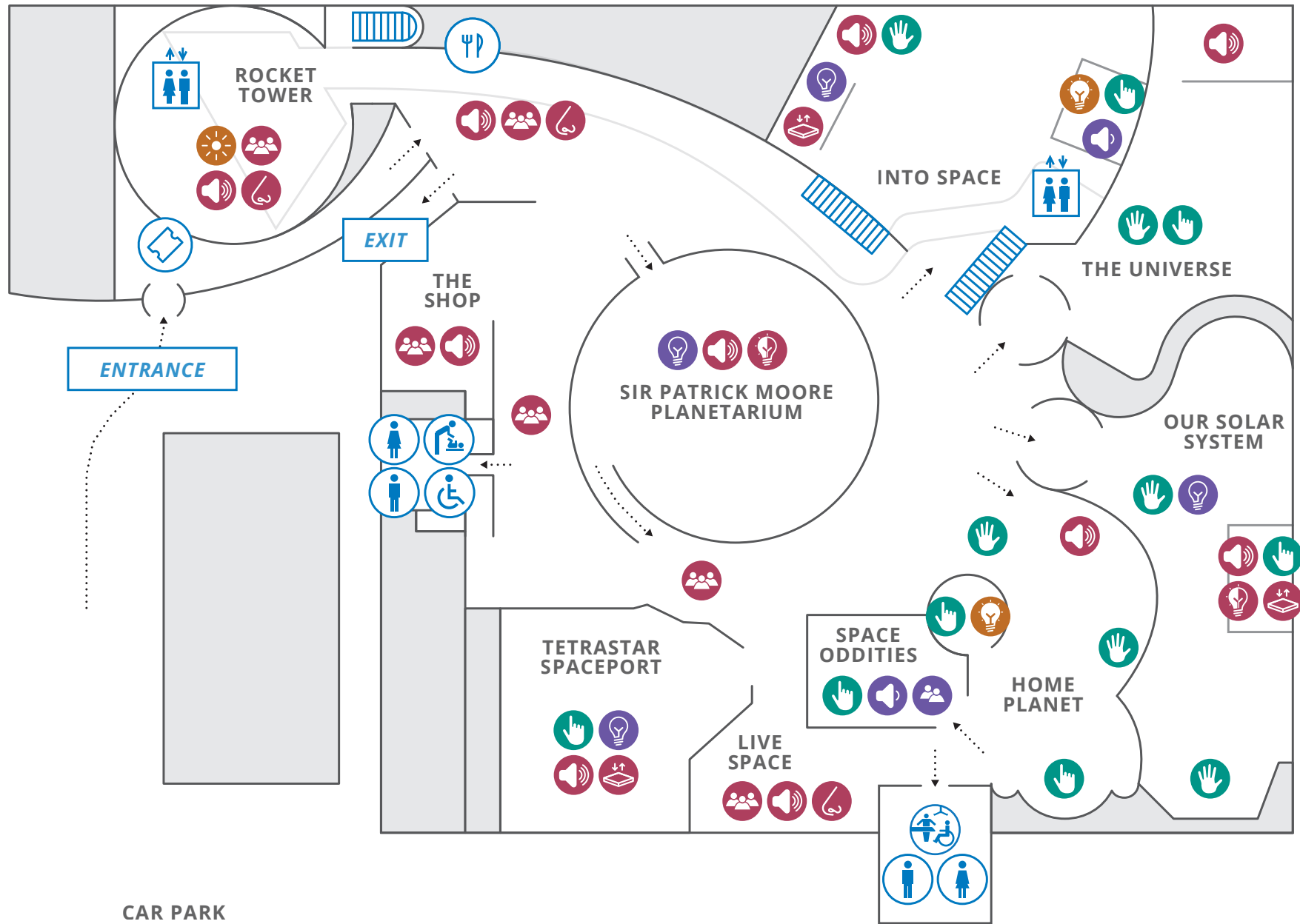
## KEY

 Stairs	 Lifts
 Tickets	 Accessible Toilet
 Boosters Cafe	 Baby Changing Facility
 Toilets	 Changing Places Toilet

*Access with pin code, please ask a member of staff.*

 Tactile	 Interactive
 Natural Light	 Brighter Lights
 Quieter	 Dimmer Lights
 Noisier	 Flashing Lights
 Strong Smells	 More Crowded
 Moving Floor	 Less Crowded

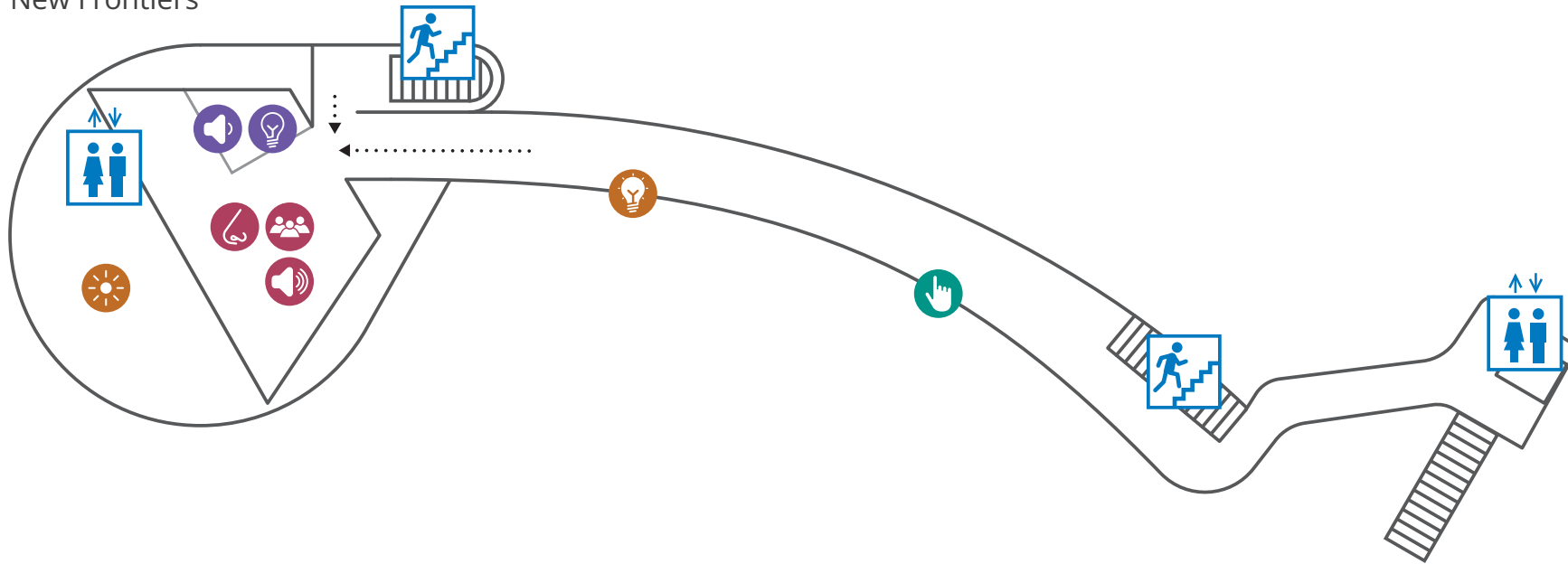
# GROUND FLOOR



# ROCKET TOWER

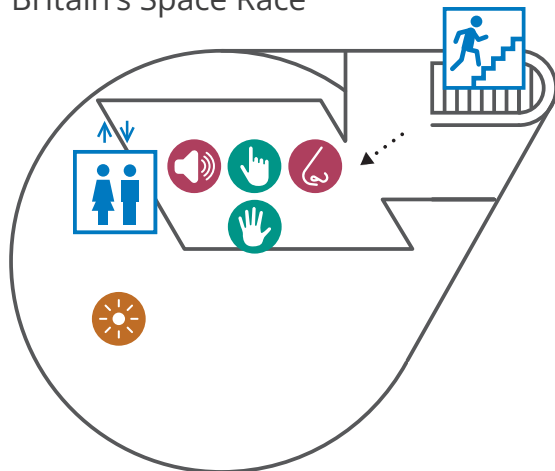
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New Frontiers



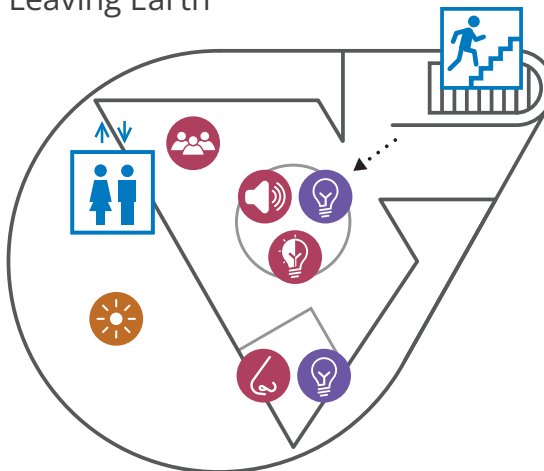
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Britain's Space Race



## DECK 3

Leaving Earth



## DECK 4

Destination Moon

