



StarDome Information

Our StarDome is a portable, inflatable planetarium, which fits into most school halls or gym, requiring at least 4.5 meter clearance, and a 6x6 metre floorspace to set up. The StarDome must be set up in a quiet environment, cannot be deflated during the day and cannot be set up outside. We are able to accommodate for up to 30 children or 25 adults per session.

StarDome sessions run to a tight schedule and cannot be delayed. We aim to arrive to your venue 45 minutes before sessions begin to give us enough time to set up, aiming to begin at 10:00. We also require 15 minutes between sessions to allow group change overs and tidying/resetting if required.

Our sessions typically last around an hour, within which the presenter leads a curriculum focused workshop covering a specific topic area. They will also include a short tour of the night sky to allow participants to experience the stars.

Please see below for an example timetable:

Show	Start	Finish	Group	Programme
SET-UP	~9:00	10:00	SET-UP	
1	10:00	11:00	1	Your choice
2	11:15	12:15	2	Your choice
Break - 45 minutes				
3	13:00	14:00	3	Your choice
4	14:15	15:00	4	Your choice
Pack away	15:00	15:30	Pack away	

Please note, programmes are chosen prior to your visit, and cannot be changed or altered on the day of your visit.

Things to consider for a StarDome visit:

- We require 45 minutes set up time; please ensure we can access the facility at the required time
- Please ensure there is an allocated space for us to be able to park our van
- Access to the space where we will set up the dome – is there any stairs?
- We require plug sockets to set up the dome
- The dome cannot be taken down during lunch time
- Please check the timings and group numbers you require and have booked
- Anyone with accessibility requirements or SEND
- Is there anything while leaving that we are required to know?