Visiting the American Museum of Natural History

I am going to the American Museum of Natural History on:

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When I arrive at the Museum, I will see many steps leading to the main entrance, on Central Park West and 79th Street.

Or I may walk down a long driveway to enter the Museum on 81st Street. This is the entrance to the Rose Center for Earth and Space.
Before I enter the Museum, I will be asked to wear a mask. Wearing a mask helps stop the spread of germs. When I wear my mask, I must make sure it covers my nose and mouth.

Face coverings must be worn at all times by visitors ages 2 and up.
There will be security guards. They will welcome me to the Museum and check my temperature. The thermometer will touch my wrist for a few seconds. It will not hurt.
I will show the guard my reservation. If I need to pick up my ticket, I will wait in line at the admissions desk.

My ticket will have a time on it. If it is not time to enter the Museum, I will leave and come back at the time on my ticket.
I can look at a Visitor Map or download the Museum’s Explorer app to decide where I want to go inside the Museum. I may ask a security guard or visit an Information Desk for directions.

I can scan the image below or visit www.amnh.org/explorer to download the free Explorer app to plan my visit.
I will follow signs in the Museum that tell me in which direction to walk.

Please note the following health and safety requirement:

One way.

Please follow directional signs.

Please keep to the right.

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There are four floors and more than 40 exhibition halls. I will see a lot of interesting things. I will see animals behind glass. These animals are not alive and are there just for us to look at.

I may not be able to see everything in the Museum. I will not be able to touch the things I see.
Some halls may be a little dark. When I am walking through the halls, I can tell myself, “I will only be here for a few minutes.”

The Museum is very large and requires lots of walking. If I need a break, I can leave the Museum and come back later that day.
If there are exhibits I did not get to see, I can return another day or explore more online at www.amnh.org.