

# 18 VIRTUAL



# School Trips!

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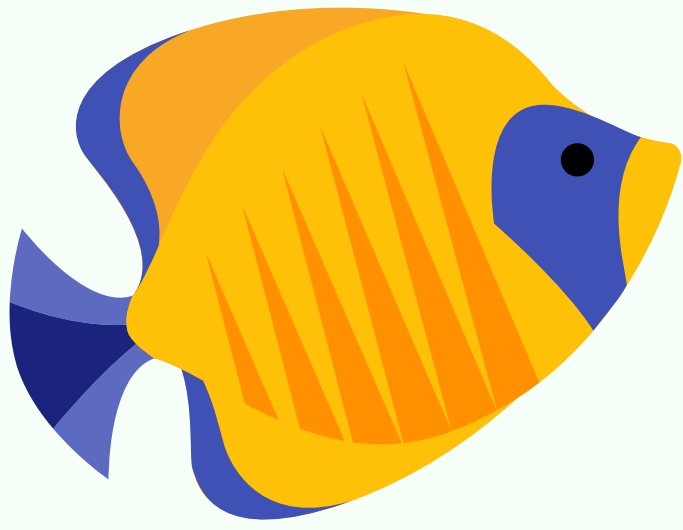
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# **What is a virtual school trip?**

**A virtual school trip is where you can visit museums, historical sites, zoos, aquariums and many more places of importance from around the world from your own home. Instead of reading about a place you can go on a virtual tour!**

**Where do you want to visit?**





# Aquariums

## The Blue Planet

[www.blueplanetaquarium.com](http://www.blueplanetaquarium.com)

The Blue Planet Aquarium has tonnes of fantastic educational resources on their website including fun fact files.

## California Academy of Sciences

On [www.calacademy.org](http://www.calacademy.org)

Under the 'Learn and Explore' tab you can watch stingrays, the coral reef and their penguin colony or take a trip to the Fallon islands.

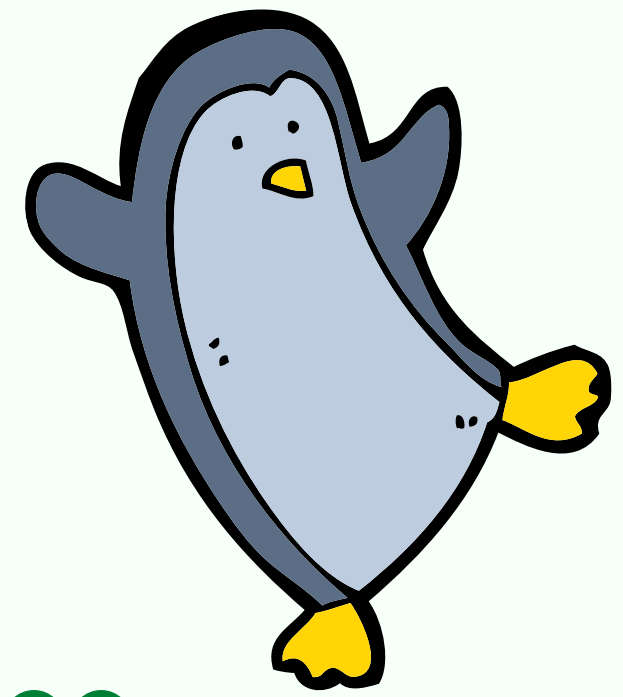
## Monterey Bay Aquarium

[www.montereybayaquarium.org/animals](http://www.montereybayaquarium.org/animals)

You can visit the aquarium via their live cams. You can also watch their daily feedings!



# Zoos



## London Zoo

[www.zsl.org/zsl-london-zoo](http://www.zsl.org/zsl-london-zoo)

From behind London Zoo's gates, they're bringing the zoo to you with their virtual zoo! You can watch webcams and live streams along with zookeeper videos and behind-the-scenes updates!



## Dublin Zoo

[www.dublinozoo.ie/animals](http://www.dublinozoo.ie/animals)

You can watch the elephants, penguins and the african savanna live via webcam. They also have an animal encyclopedia!

## Melbourne Zoo

<https://www.zoo.org.au/animals-at-home>

Every week you can discover something new including keeper talks and live streams of the animals





# Art

## Google Arts and Culture

<https://artsandculture.google.com>

Take a virtual field trip to one of 500 museums and galleries around the world.

## The Louvre

[www.louvre.fr/en/visites-en-ligne](http://www.louvre.fr/en/visites-en-ligne)

Travel to Paris to see amazing works of art on this virtual field trip.

## The British Museum

<https://www.britishmuseum.org>

Explore The British Museum from home including a virtual gallery tour, objects in 3D and a search through their collection.



# Space



## Mars

[www.accessmars.withgoogle.com](http://www.accessmars.withgoogle.com)

Thanks to NASA's Curiosity Rover, you can explore the surface of Mars with a 360-degree view!

## NASA Space Cam

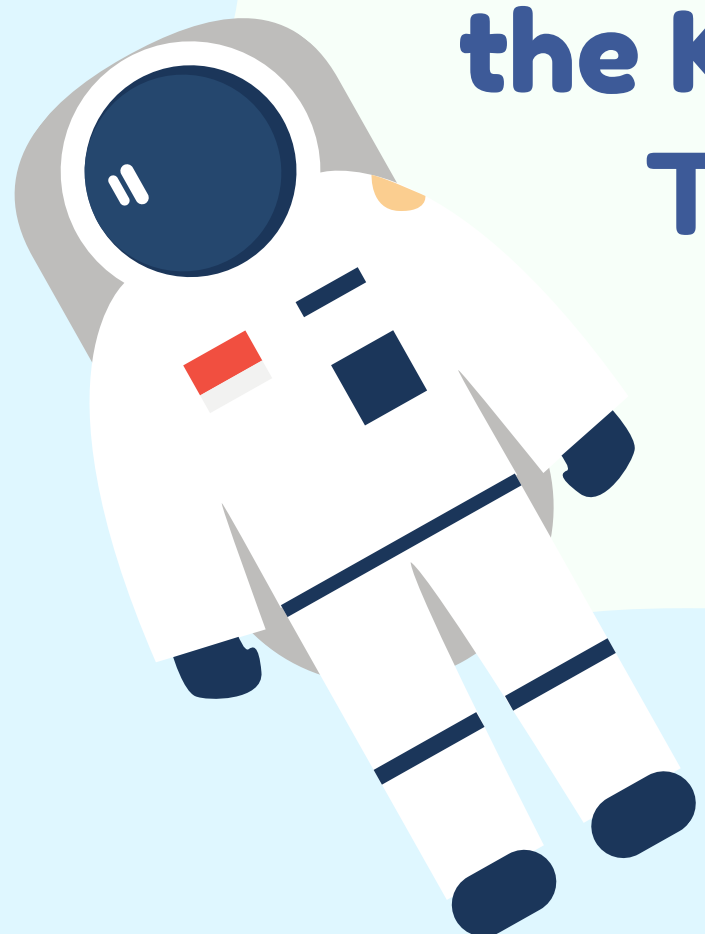
[www.explore.org/livecams/NASA/international-space-station](http://www.explore.org/livecams/NASA/international-space-station)

See the International Space Station as it careens around the Earth at an average of 17,000 mph. Get an inside look at the global crew of astronauts as they perform scientific experiments!

## Kennedy Space Center

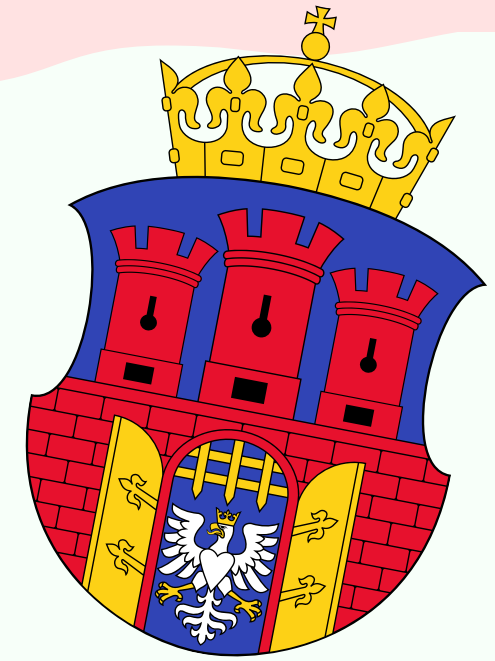
[www.kennedyspacecenter.com](http://www.kennedyspacecenter.com)

Take a look around all of the attractions at the Kennedy Space Center in Florida USA. They also have lots of educational resources!



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# Historical



## Great Wall of China

[www.thechinaguide.com/destination/great-wall-of-china](http://www.thechinaguide.com/destination/great-wall-of-china)

A Virtual tour of the Great Wall of China makes history come to life

## The White House

[www.artsandculture.google.com/partner/the-white-house](http://www.artsandculture.google.com/partner/the-white-house)

Get an up close tour of the magnificent White House Building with a 360-degree view of more than a dozen rooms

## Buckingham Palace

[www.royal.uk/virtual-tours-buckingham-palace](http://www.royal.uk/virtual-tours-buckingham-palace)

From the grand staircase to the art room, this virtual tour of Buckingham Palace will show you all the best bits of the Queen's home





# Historical Continued

## The Empire State Building

[www.esbnyc.com/explore](http://www.esbnyc.com/explore)

Take a virtual climb of this enormous New York skyscraper

## The Leaning Tower of Pisa

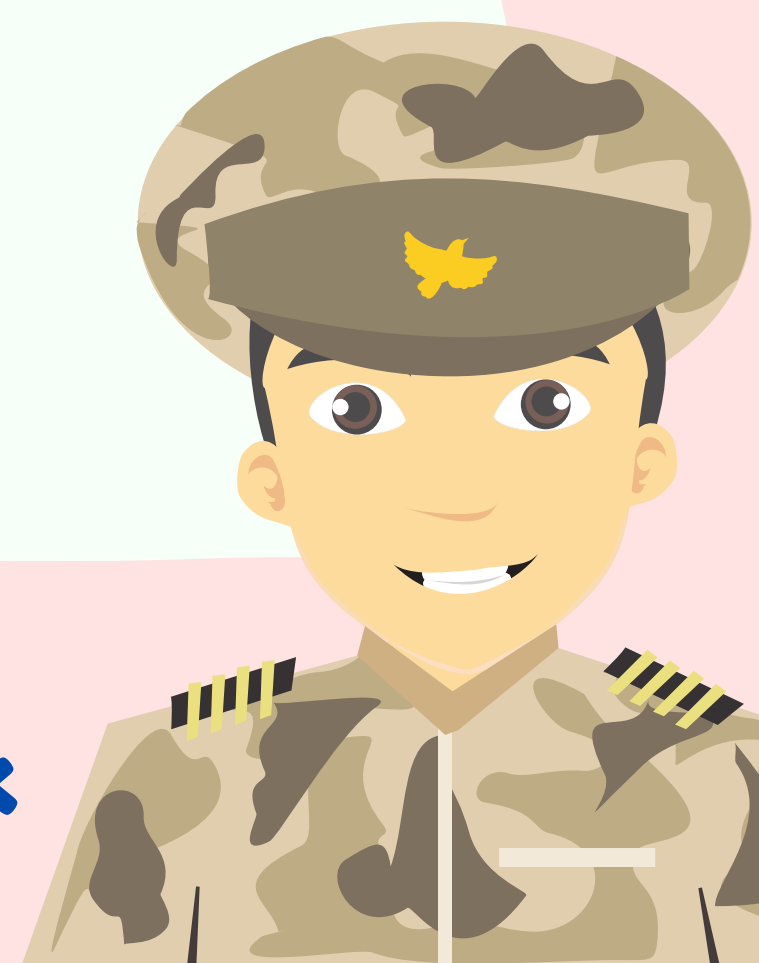
[www.touristtube.com/Things-to-do-in-Pisa/Leaning-Tower-of-Pisa-360](http://www.touristtube.com/Things-to-do-in-Pisa/Leaning-Tower-of-Pisa-360)

This magnificent work of art took around 200 years to build. Take a look around with this virtual tour!

## Imperial War Museum

[www.iwm.org.uk](http://www.iwm.org.uk)

Take a virtual tour of the American Air Museum along with many other educational resources





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