

Museum Hours
10am to 7pm (Daily)
Gallery10 closes at 5pm daily
The museum opens at 9am on Quiet Mornings.

Last Admission
6.15pm (Glass Rotunda)
6.30pm (All other galleries)

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NMS Mobile App

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Giving Made Easy

Every bit of support helps the museum continue to inspire with stories of Singapore and the world. More than that, your donation helps the museum make our space more engaging and accessible to people from all walks of life. You can donate via giving.sg by scanning the top QR code or donate directly from your mobile banking app by scanning the QR code at the bottom.



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General Information



No food and drinks



No flash photography



No videography



Do not touch artefacts



No bulky items



Please speak softly



Please attend to children

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Exhibitions



**Level 1
Singapore History Gallery**

The Singapore History Gallery's updated narrative charts the development of the island as it was known through the years as Singapura, a Crown Colony, Syonan-To, and finally, Singapore. This gallery chronicles Singapore's journey from our earliest beginnings 700 years ago to the colonial days, the Japanese Occupation and post-war struggles, and to the global city we enjoy today.

**Glass Rotunda
Singapore, Very Old Tree**

Singaporean artist Robert Zhao explores the personal connections that Singaporeans have with our local trees through this installation of 17 images of trees in Singapore.



**Level 2
Life in Singapore:
The Past 100 Years**

Spanning the past 100 years, these four galleries – Modern Colony, Surviving Syonan, Growing Up and Voices of Singapore – present snapshots of everyday life throughout the different eras in Singapore's history.



**Level 2
Goh Seng Choo Gallery:
Magic & Menace**

Explore the world of magic and supernatural beliefs as practiced by traditional Southeast Asian societies, brought to life with a selection of drawings from the William Farquhar Collection of Natural History Drawings.

Featured Installations



Wings of a Rich Manoeuvre by Suzann Victor

**Level 2, Glass Atrium
Wings of a Rich Manoeuvre**

Watch the chorus of eight kinetic chandeliers that "sing" with movement as they sway in a dramatic mid-air choreography of light!



Story of the Forest by teamLab

**Level 2, Glass Rotunda
Story of the Forest**

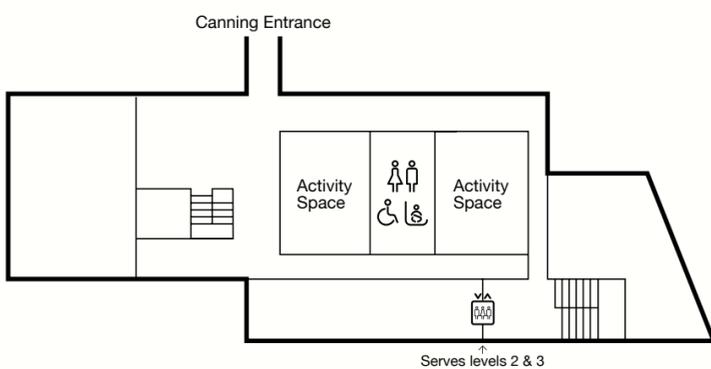
This larger-than-life interactive digital art installation is inspired by the museum's prized William Farquhar Collection of Natural History Drawings, and was created by internationally renowned Japanese art collective teamLab. It utilises cutting-edge technology to transform 69 drawings from the collection into animated illustrations, which come to life and interact with visitors as they make their way down the Glass Rotunda.

With a history dating back to 1887, the National Museum of Singapore is the nation's oldest museum with a progressive mind. Its galleries adopt cutting-edge and multi-perspective ways of presenting history and culture to redefine the conventional museum experience. A cultural and architectural landmark in Singapore, the museum hosts innovative festivals and events all year round including the dynamic Singapore Night Festival, in addition to presenting thought-provoking exhibitions involving critically important collections of artefacts.

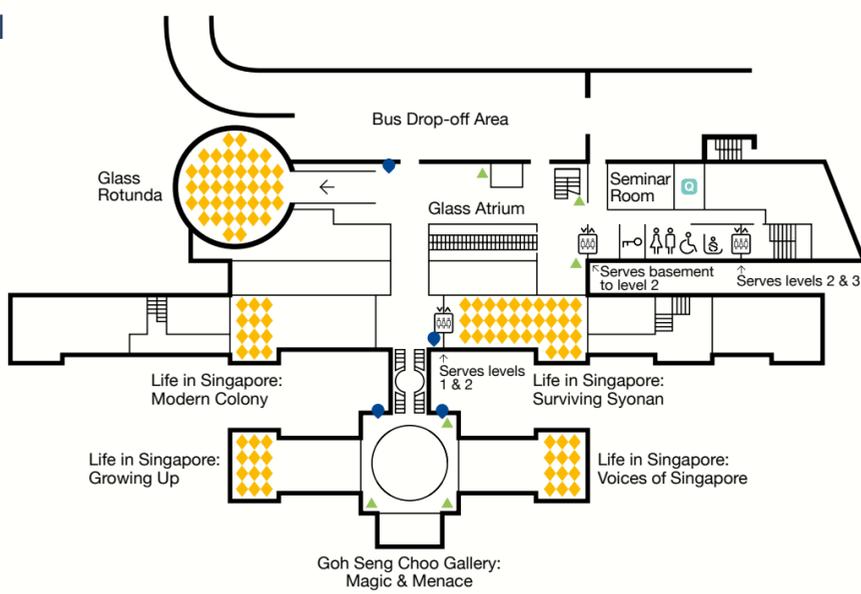
The National Museum of Singapore re-opened in December 2006 after a three-year long redevelopment. The museum refreshed its permanent galleries and re-opened them in September 2015 for Singapore's Golden Jubilee. In 2017, it celebrated its 130th anniversary.

Come experience the National Museum and take another look at Singapore's history.

Level 3



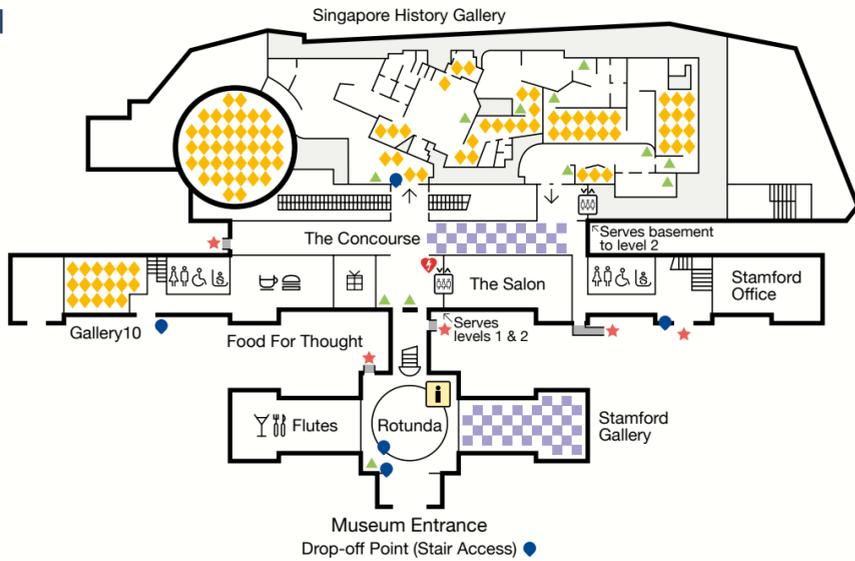
Level 2



- Visitor Services
- Gift Shop / MUSEUM LABEL
- Restaurant
- Cafe
- Lift
- Restrooms
- Baby Changing Room
- Locker
- AED

High Sensory Areas
Areas with more people, multimedia, loud sounds and/or dim lighting.

Level 1



Temporary Exhibition Spaces
These areas are temporary gallery exhibition spaces. Please check with staff at the Visitor Services counter on Level 1 for the latest updates.

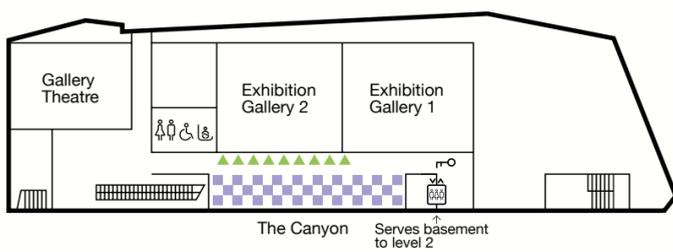
Quiet Room
Please approach any of our visitor services officer for access if you or your child has a special need.

Rest Spots / Quiet Corners

Access-friendly Points

National Museum Historic Trail
Learn how the museum building has changed over the years and appreciate its key architectural features.

Basement Level



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**You may refer to the map above to plan your visit with your loved ones. All galleries and facilities are wheelchair and stroller accessible. Other services such as manual wheelchairs, sensory bags and large print sensory maps are available at our Visitor Services counter. Exhibition captions in large print in English, Mandarin, Malay and Tamil are available for loan in all galleries.*

Retail and F&B



Flutes

Mon – Fri: 11.30am – 2pm, 6.30pm – 10pm
Sat: 10.30am – 2.30pm, 6.30pm – 10.30pm
Sun: 10.30am – 4pm
Tel (65) 6338 8770
flutes@flutes.com.sg

Occupying the museum's oldest section that was originally opened to commemorate Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee in 1887, Flutes brings fresh and exciting new flavours to their European-inspired smart casual dining experience menu, layered with a modern twist and complemented with selections of award-winning wines from both the old and new worlds.



Food for Thought

Mon – Sun: 10am – 7pm (Last order at 6.30pm)
Tel: (65) 6338 9887
nms@foodforthought.com.sg

A museum café filled with stories for the young and old alike, Food For Thought designs nostalgia with innovation in its restaurant design and food offerings.



MUSEUM LABEL

Mon – Sun: 10am – 7pm
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Extend your gallery experience with a trip to the newly-refreshed MUSEUM LABEL shop, featuring choice products and publications inspired by the museum's collections and themes. Also on display are creative products and crafts by local designers and producers that MUSEUM LABEL aims to support.