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Science in the Park
Science and fun go hand-in-hand at the California Science Center

Los Angeles – Parents who want to keep their child engaged with activities set in a fun and safe learning environment during spring break will find **Science in the Park** the right solution for their needs. **Science in the Park** is a camp program at the California Science Center for students K-5 that combines science learning with exploring the educational resources in historic Exposition Park. The camp runs from March 29 – April 2, 2010 from 9 AM to 3 PM.

Each day covers a different topic, ranging from chemical reactions to nanotechnology to the science behind natural disasters. Campers take part in hands-on activities then complement their classroom learning by taking a mini-field trip to one of the museums in the park. This year, campers will be among the first to visit the Science Center's new Ecosystems exhibits, which combines interactive exhibits with live plants and animals, opening to the public March 25.

The program is \$290 for a full week; Science Center members receive a discounted rate. An Extended Day program is also available for an additional fee of \$60 for the week.

For detailed information, please visit <http://goto.californiasciencecenter.org/springcamp> or phone (213) 744-2325.

About the California Science Center

The Science Center's mission is as follows: *"We aspire to stimulate curiosity and inspire science learning in everyone by creating fun, memorable experiences, because we value science as an indispensable tool for understanding our world, accessibility and inclusiveness, and enriching people's lives."*

The **California Science Center** and **IMAX Theater** are located in Exposition Park just west of the Harbor (110) Freeway at 700 Exposition Park Drive, Los Angeles. Open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., except on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day. Admission to Science Center exhibits is free. For recorded information, including IMAX show times, call 323.SCIENCE (323.724-3623). IMAX ticket prices range from \$4.75 to \$8.00. For advance ticket purchases, group rates, or to make reservations for any visiting group of 15 or more (*required*), call 213.744-2019. Parking is available in the guest lot at Figueroa and 39th/Exposition Park Drive at \$8 per car, \$10 for buses or oversized vehicles. Both the Science Center and IMAX Theater are wheelchair accessible. For further information, please visit our website at www.californiasciencecenter.org.

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