



Are you a teacher looking for an unforgettable learning experience for your class?

Our full educational experience includes a planetarium show, a workshop and a tour, as well as access to our engaging exhibition. Experiences are adapted to the age of visiting school groups — we welcome students aged 4–18.

Teachers can opt for:

- One of our two specially developed educational shows or one of our standard films, all with strong curriculum links.
- One of six different hands-on workshops tailored to different stages in the Bavarian school curriculum, from Kindergarten to grade 13.

- Visit duration: 3–4 hours
- Language: English or German

For teachers, the ESO Supernova offers teacher training sessions. For additional information and bookings visit [supernova.eso.org/education](http://supernova.eso.org/education) or scan the below QR code.



It's time  
to plan  
your visit!

### Opening Hours

Mon–Tue Closed  
Wed–Fri 09:00–17:00  
On the first Friday  
of the month until 20:00  
Sat–Sun 12:00–17:00  
Closed on the last full  
weekend of the month

### Tickets

Planetarium shows:

- book online (strongly recommended): VISA, MasterCard and American Express. Print your ticket from our ticket printers.
- book on site: cash, debit/EC and credit cards (VISA and MasterCard).

Exhibition: free of charge, no prior booking needed. Donations welcomed at our reception desk.

### Accessibility

The ESO Supernova strives to offer an enjoyable experience for all.

- Disabled parking.
- Accessible restroom.
- All areas accessible via ramps or elevator. Ramps in the exhibition are quite steep in some places.
- Chairs and benches available throughout the building.
- Exhibition panels largely based on texts and soundless videos.
- QR codes available to download the exhibition texts to mobile phone.
- For planetarium films: Headsets available at reception that can be connected directly to a cochlear implant.

### How to get here

GPS: 48° 15' 36.90" N, 11° 40' 15.16" E

By car: Take the A9 exit Garching-Nord (Garching-North), which leads you to the “Forschungszentrum” area.

By subway: U6 line, final station Garching Forschungszentrum. Then five minutes on foot.

By bus: 292, 230, 690.  
Bus stop: Boltzmannstraße

Parking is available for cars, bikes, and coaches.

Please inform us in advance if travelling by coach.



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★★★★★  
“Tolle Ausstellung, wirklich  
super gemacht!”

★★★★★  
“If I could award six stars,  
I would .... This is quite big  
and interesting, I will  
definitely drop by again!”

## Ever wondered about our place in space?

Let's take you on a journey  
to remember.

Start from Munich as seen from above, take a  
tour of the Solar System, discover new worlds  
and travel outside our galaxy.

Have fun experimenting with our hands-on  
exhibits and discover the mysteries of the  
Universe.

Our exhibition will engage entire families. Our  
panels have low height areas addressed to  
children as young as 5.

- Visit duration: 30 minutes for a quick walk  
through. We recommend at least 1.5 hours.
- Language: English and German.
- Access: free with no prior booking needed.

## Ever dreamt of traveling to space?

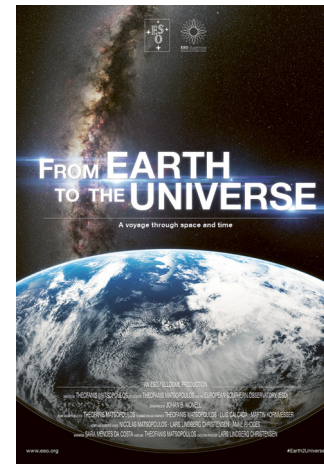
This is as close an experience as  
you can get!

Lights out, sit back and get ready to be  
amazed. Our digital planetarium projects on  
a tilted 360-degree dome, 14 metres in  
diameter, for an immersive experience like  
you've never lived before. It is as if you're  
sitting in a spacecraft, traveling across the  
Universe!

Most shows include a live component where  
our presenter will show you the constella-  
tions above Munich and real-time events in  
the night sky, as well as tell you about  
recent astronomical discoveries, with a side  
trip to Chile too!

- Duration: 45 minutes to 1 hour.
- Language: English or German. Limited  
number of translation headsets available  
at reception.
- Access: prior booking required. Please  
arrive 15 minutes before the show starts.

Our programme changes regularly.  
A selection of our shows can be found in  
this brochure. To see our daily programme  
and book your tickets, visit:  
[supernova.eso.org](http://supernova.eso.org).



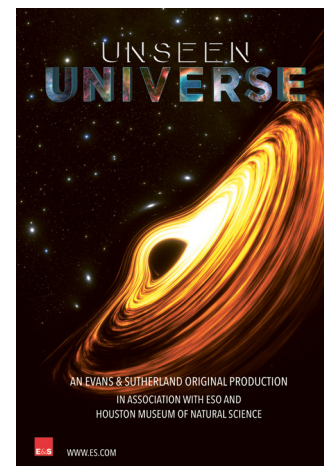
Ages 8+

Journey to the colourful  
birthplaces and burial  
grounds of the stars,  
and beyond to the  
unimaginable vastness  
of countless galaxies  
beyond the Milky Way.



Ages 7+

Primary school visitors  
and young families  
will get a sense of our  
location on Earth and  
in the Solar System.  
Learn what makes  
each planet in our solar  
system unique.



Ages 10+

Enjoy a stunning visual  
treat as you explore  
the latest splendours  
of the heavens. This  
show is an uplifting  
look at the new era of  
astronomy and what is  
yet to come.



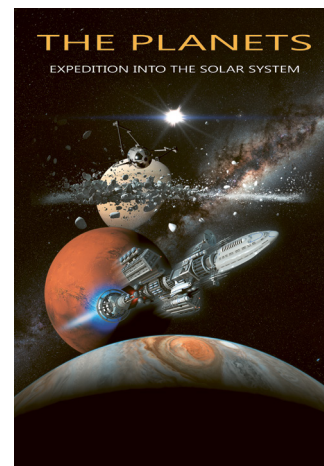
Ages 4+

It's off to a fast-paced  
space journey! The  
good-natured dog-  
like Captain Snoop  
visits the planets of  
our solar system. He  
is accompanied by  
Sergeant Tuk, who  
keeps getting them  
into trouble with  
his clumsy manner.



Ages 10+

Join us on an epic  
journey behind the  
scenes of the world's  
most powerful ground-  
based observatory and  
gain insight into the  
scientific work, history,  
technology and the  
people behind it.



Ages 8+

The wonders of the  
Solar System await  
you. Take a trip to our  
cosmic neighbours  
like Mars and Jupiter  
and discover them  
through the eyes of  
the space probes that  
have visited them.