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Welcome Packet



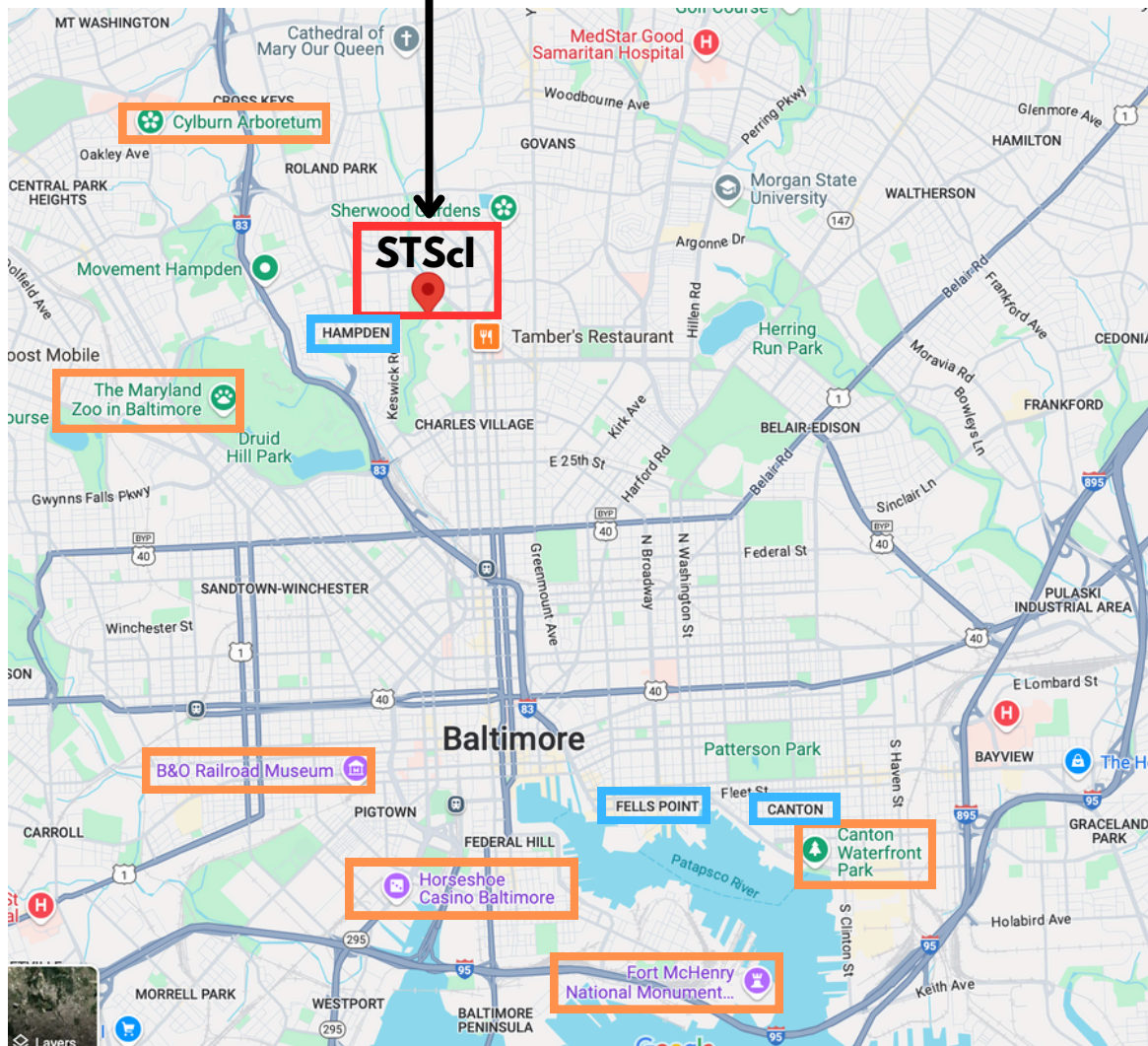
Welcome to Baltimore!

We look forward to hosting you at the Space Telescope Science Institute soon! This welcome packet details the area, neighborhoods, restaurants, bars, and transportation services near the Institute that may be helpful during your time in Baltimore.

LOCATION INFORMATION

The Space Telescope Science Institute (STScI) is a short ride away from major airports and train stations. Our offices are based on the Johns Hopkins University Homewood campus in Baltimore, Maryland. The street address of the Space Telescope Science Institute is:

Steven Muller Building
3700 San Martin Drive
Baltimore, MD 21218
410-338-4700



Orange box: Specific Attraction Blue box: Neighborhood with Restaurants and Shopping

PARKING INFORMATION

Unless you have made specific parking accommodations based on need, parking arrangements have been made for you at the San Martin Garage Center, (also referred to as the Valley Center Garage). When you enter the garage, take a ticket from the machine and park in a space marked "Reserved STSCI Parking Only". Otherwise, you risk receiving a parking ticket from JHU.

When you arrive at the Muller Building, pick up a parking ticket from the registration staff. You will need the STSCI ticket(s) as well as the ticket you have received when you entered the garage, to exit the garage without incurring a fee. Additional information regarding parking and directions to STSCI can be found online: <https://www.stsci.edu/contact/getting-here>.

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Hopkins Shuttles

The Hopkins shuttles are free to all. The most used route is the Homewood-Peabody-JHMI, which can take you to from Homewood to Mount Vernon area.

More info and schedule: <https://jhfre.jhu.edu/ts/transportation/>

Public Transportation Systems

The Maryland Transit Administration ([MTA](#)) includes bus systems, the Maryland Area Regional Commuter (MARC) Train, the Light Rail, Metro Subway, and other transportation to take you throughout the city and surrounding region.

Free city circulators: The purple route runs from Homewood area to downtown area
more info and schedule:

<https://transportation.baltimorecity.gov/charm-city-circulator>

Baltimore local bus: Various options more info and schedule:

<https://www.mta.maryland.gov/schedule?type=local-bus>

LOCAL ATTRACTIONS:

Don't forget to do a quick online search to confirm the operating hours of your chosen venue!



Hampden/Remington/ Charles Village

Restaurants:

Ekiben (Asian fusion)
Bodhi Corner (Thai)
Wicked Sisters (American)
Souvlaki (Greek)
Grano Pasta Bar (Italian)
The Food Market (American)
Golden West Cafe (Southwestern)
R.House (food court)
Clavel (Mexican)

Coffee:

Good Neighbor
Vent Coffee
Common Ground
Sophomore Coffee
Café Los Sueños

Bars:

Rocket to Venus
Bluebird Cocktail Room
Charles Village Pub

Sightseeing:

JHU Homewood Campus (of course)
Baltimore Museum of Art (free)

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Mount Vernon

Historical region with cultural vibes near downtown Baltimore

Restaurants:

Cafe Fili (Mediterranean)

Indochine (Vietnamese)

Eat.Drink.Relax (American)

Mount Vernon Marketplace (food court)

Coffee:

Ceremony Coffee

Dooby's

Baby's On Fire

Bars:

Brewer's Art

Sugarvale

The Owl Bar

Mick O'Shea's Irish Pub

Sightseeing:

George Peabody Library (free)

The Walters Art Museum (free)



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Downtown/Inner Harbor/ Fells Point

Downtown area with historical port

Restaurants:

Thames Street Oyster House
Ramen Utsuke (Japanese)
Miss Shirley's Cafe (American)
Twist Fells Point (Mediterranean)
Locust Point Steamers (Seafood)

Coffee:

Pitango Bakery + Cafe

Bars:

Max's Taphouse
Wiley Gunters
Diamondback Brewing Company

Sightseeing:

National Aquarium
Maryland Science Center
Patterson Park

ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE

STScI:

- 3700 San Martin Drive, Baltimore, MD 21218
- Front Desk: 410-338-4700
- Event Related: epg_admin@stsci.edu



Local Hotels:

- The Study
 - 3215 N. Charles St, Baltimore, MD 21218
 - (410) 243-0030
- The Colonnade
 - 4 W. University Pkwy, Baltimore, MD 21218
 - (410) 235-5400

