Gateway to Science Opening New Early Childhood Activity Area

Bismarck - Gateway to Science announces the grand opening of Science First – For Early Learners, a new activity area within the gallery for children ages 0-5 years and their families. Science First will open at 9:00AM on Friday, January 12, 2018, and will offer age appropriate hands-on activities focusing on themes such as Sorting, Building, Magnetism, and Sensory Exploration.

Science First was developed to expose our youngest visitors to STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) concepts. New activities will be added on a regular basis to provide different experiences.

The public is invited to the grand opening and a short ribbon cutting ceremony from 9:00AM-11:00AM on Friday, January 12. Regular admission rates will apply. Gateway to Science members are always free.

Gateway to Science is located in the Frances Leach High Prairie Arts & Science Complex, 1810 Schafer Street, and is open Monday through Thursday, noon to 7 PM., Friday and Saturday, 10 AM to 5 PM. In addition to regular gallery hours, Science First will be open exclusively to families of children ages 0-5 years on Friday mornings from 9:00AM-10:00AM. Admission is $7.00 for adults and $4.00 for children 4 years old and older. Annual memberships are also available which allow unlimited admission. Schools and other groups are encouraged to schedule field trips in advance by visiting our website at www.gatewaytoscience.org.

MEDIA NOTE: We welcome and encourage a reporter and/or photographer to view the exhibits to obtain photos and additional details.

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