



## **Have fun learning about science at one of UCLA's biggest events!**

Join us on Sunday, November 3 for a free festival of science exploration for all ages!

One of the most exciting and popular events at UCLA, Exploring Your Universe is completely open to the public. The festival takes place Nov. 3 on the UCLA campus from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. with nighttime activities continuing from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. UCLA alum and actor Mayim Bialik ("The Big Bang Theory") will be kicking off the festival at noon as she receives the 2019 UCLA Science & Education Pioneer Award.

EYU 2019 is one of the main events celebrating UCLA's 100th birthday. The festival has expanded to offer more booths, improved exhibits, exciting speakers, and new activities.

More than 60 interactive booths cover a wide variety of subjects, representing more than 20 different departments and organizations at UCLA. Curious minds and future scientists can touch meteorites, get DNA from strawberries, launch rockets, make lava lamps, examine our sun through solar telescopes, beat the Mad Scientist Escape Room, create a tornado in a bottle, learn about missions to Mars, and much more. Scientists will also present short, fun talks about inspiring research.

From 12:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., the UCLA Planetarium will also be hosting half-hour shows suitable for all ages. Tickets are free but must be reserved online at [ExploringYourUniverse.org](http://ExploringYourUniverse.org), where they will be made available starting at 12:00 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 1.

Parking on the UCLA campus costs \$13 and is available in Lots 2 and 9. [Click here](#) for directions and parking details, or [click here](#) to visit the Metro page with information about bus and rail routes to UCLA.

Celebrating its 11th year, EYU has become one of UCLA's biggest annual events, drawing in thousands of children, parents, and friends from the Los Angeles community to campus on the first Sunday in November. Organized by UCLA graduate students and run by volunteers, EYU's goal has always been to provide a day of free science education to all.

More information can be found at [www.ExploringYourUniverse.ucla.edu](http://www.ExploringYourUniverse.ucla.edu).

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