

Ecosystems



The Ecosystems Exhibit has many different types of environments. An **ecosystem** is a specific type place where living and non living things come together.



In the Desert Zone, I can see a tortoise, snake, and other desert animals. I can also see a **flash flood** where water will rush over the rocks and under the bridge.



During the **flash flood**, the lights will flash and I will hear pretend thunder. I will try to remember that the thunder and flood are not real.



In the rocky shores exhibit, I can **gently touch** the water tank, sea stars and other animals that live in the ocean.



This exhibit is outside, where it may be **hot or cold**. I will have to wait my turn. While I wait, I can talk about what I see through the glass.



In the kelp forest, I can **see** many types of **fish** swimming together. I might also see a S.C.U.B.A. Diver in the tank!



There is also a large **glass tunnel** that I can walk through. It may look like I am underwater, but I will stay dry.

