

PRESENTED BY PHIVE WITH BOX OF BIRDS

# SPACE PLAY

## VISUAL STORY

### **Acknowledgement of Country**

City of Parramatta Council acknowledges the Traditional Owners of the land of Parramatta, the Dharug People. We also acknowledge the present Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples who now call Parramatta home.

### **Everyone is Welcome**

PHIVE is a welcoming and inclusive place. You are invited to be your full and authentic self while visiting. If there's anything we can do to make your experience more comfortable, like showing you to a quieter area or giving you extra time to settle in, please let us know.

This visual story is here to help you prepare for your visit to Space Play. Whether you're coming to one of our general sessions or a Relaxed Session designed to support people with neurodivergent access needs and others who benefit from a calmer environment.

Visual stories help people feel more confident and relaxed about new places or events. Knowing what will happen ahead of time can reduce worry or stress.

We look forward to welcoming you to Space Play at PHIVE!

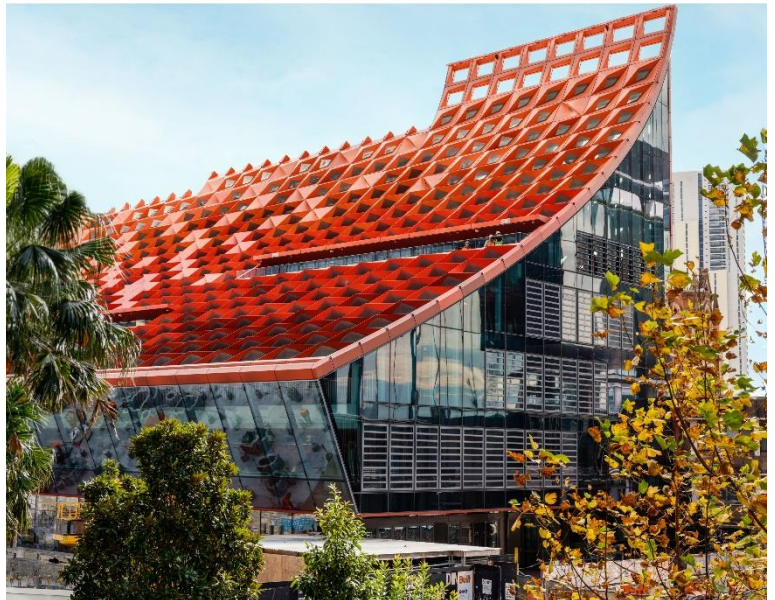
# GETTING TO PHIVE

**Address:** 5 Parramatta Square, Parramatta NSW 2150.

PHIVE is located in Parramatta Square, next to Parramatta Town Hall.

Approximately 200 metres from Parramatta Train Station.

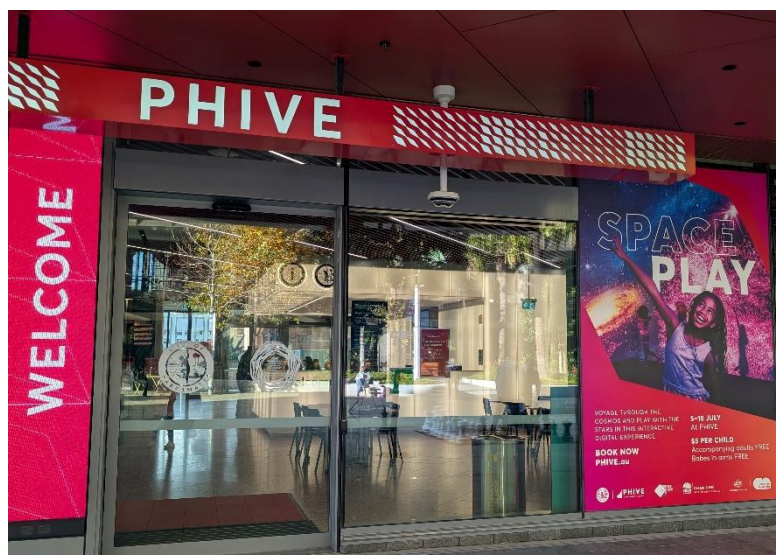
PHIVE is a big red building.



PHIVE

Look for the large glass doors as your entrance point.

PHIVE is an accessible community building with ramps, elevators, and restrooms designed for diverse needs.



PHIVE ENTRY

# ENTERING PHIVE

**When you arrive at PHIVE, you will:**



PHIVE GROUND FLOOR FOYER

Enter through the large glass doors from Parramatta Square.

The glass doors bring you into PHIVE's ground floor foyer. This is a large community space where people meet, play games, and often have lunch together.

There is a customer service desk at the ground floor foyer as you enter. Feel free to speak to our friendly team and ask any questions you may have.

If you would prefer to take the stairs and not the lift, the stairs are located to the right of the lift area behind the glass doors.

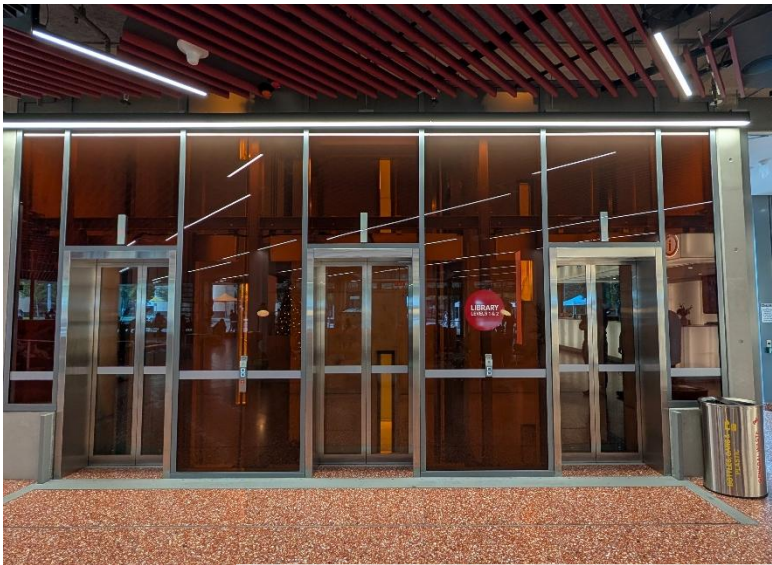


Take the lift from the foyer down to **B1**, where the Discovery Space is located.

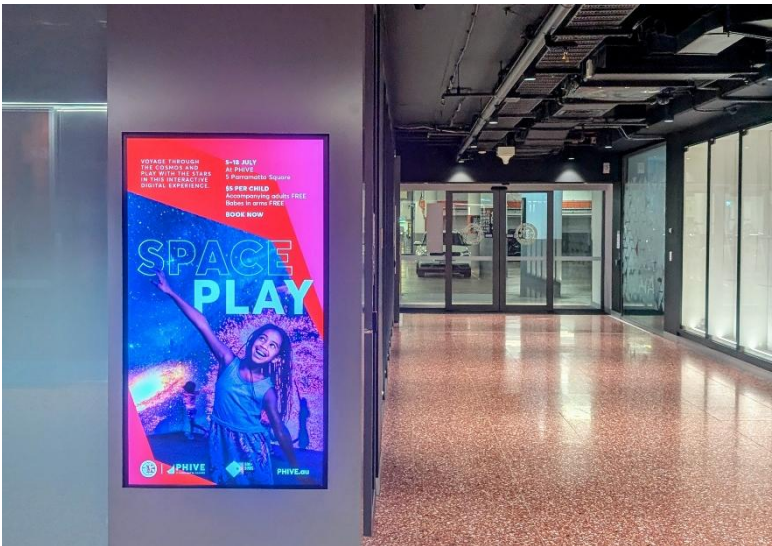
Toilets, including accessible, are located to your left as you exit the lift. Please note, there are no toilets inside the Space Play projection space.

Our friendly staff, easily identifiable by their **red PHIVE lanyard**, will scan your ticket.

They're here to help with tickets, directions and session times or can show you to a welcoming space if you need some quiet time.



GROUND FLOOR LIFT AREA



INSTALLATION ENTRY

Please have your ticket ready to show our staff on arrival.

Your ticket will look like this:

We will scan the **QR code** on your ticket for entry.



| Date       |
|------------|
| 26/06/2025 |

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ABN: 49 907 174 773

**Customer Details**

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| PHIVE Presents: SPACE PLAY  |   |                                      |
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| Venue: PHIVE - 5 Parramatta Square<br>Venue Space: The Discovery Space - Basement Level<br>Venue Address: 5 Parramatta Square Parramatta New South Wales 2150 Australia             |   |                                      |
| Event Details   | Customer Details  | Barcode                              |
| <p><b>PHIVE Presents: SPACE PLAY</b><br/>Start Date: 18/Jul/2025 15:00<br/>End Date: 18/Jul/2025 15:45<br/>Ticket Category: Adult (not accompanying child/ren)<br/>Ticket Seat:</p> | <p>Given Name(s): NA<br/>Family Name: NA<br/>Contact Mobile: NA</p> | <br>a44d8e5a06c44e0a8193ee573ae5a864 |

# WHAT TO EXPECT

**Space Play** is a large, interactive installation that surrounds you with light, movement, and sound. Projections appear on large walls, wrapping around the space to create an immersive galaxy experience filled with stars, comets, asteroids, and planets.

As you move through the room—waving your arms, walking, or gently running—the space will respond. Asteroids may swirl around you, stars may form above, and planets can shift across the galaxy. It's a chance to feel like you're flying through space!



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The first scenes of the installation include large-scale projections and movement that may cause **dizziness or visual discomfort** for some people who are sensitive to light and motion. The room is dark, and the immersive environment can be highly stimulating at times.



If you ever feel the need to pause, there is seating available in the amphitheatre. You are also welcome to step out to our breakout space, where you can re-enter the installation at your own pace.

The installation will be played twice to allow for people to experience the wonderful galactical universe at their own pace.



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There will be **families moving and playing** freely throughout the session, which can sometimes feel a little energetic.

Our friendly staff are there to support you and ensure that the environment remains safe and comfortable for everyone.

Please take your time and enjoy the experience in a way that feels best for you.

Food and hot beverages are not permitted in the venue.

There are **no toilets inside the ticketed Space Play area**, but don't worry, you're welcome to leave and return at any time.

Just speak to our staff at the entrance and we'll provide you with a re-entry stamp.

Toilets are located **just outside the venue**, next to the lifts on the same level as the Space Play installation.

Please speak to our staff if you need directions or assistance.



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# AFTER YOUR SESSION

Listen out for the announcement from our staff notifying the end of your session (approximately 45 minutes after the hour session commencement).

Once your session is over, you will be asked to leave via the exit doors closest to the lifts.

Our friendly staff will be on hand to assist you.

After your exploration into space, feel free to explore PHIVE's facilities, including:

- Parramatta Library located on level 1 & 2
- Publique Café located on the ground floor
- or make a day of it in Parramatta Square where you can grab a bite to eat or sit and enjoy the sunshine.



PHIVE CHILDREN'S LIBRARY – LEVEL ONE



PUBLIQUE CAFE



# ACCESSIBILITY

PHIVE is committed to providing universal access to all members of our community. All public entrances of PHIVE are wheelchair accessible, with lifts and ramps providing access to all areas.

An accessible Adult Changing facility is available on the **basement mezzanine level**, accessed via the lift.

Guide dogs, hearing dogs and trained assistance dogs are welcome.



ACCESSIBLE ADULT CHANGING ROOM

**Space Play** is available for all to enjoy; however, we also have some Adaptive Relaxed Sessions available. These sessions are specifically designed with reduced capacity and quieter music.

Families and carers are welcome to join, and carers with a valid Carers Card attend for free.

Contact the team if you have any questions or additional access requirements that the team can help with  
**[phivetickets@cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au](mailto:phivetickets@cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au)**

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# SPACE PLAY

**5-18 JULY 2025**

Take a voyage into the universe and play in the star fields of space! Create asteroid clouds and send stars shooting in this awe-inspiring, interactive digital experience.

Immerse in the solar system, the planets, meteors and more in this interplanetary adventure from the makers of Creature.

Space Play is a visually rich and fun experience for audiences of all ages – the young and young at heart. Relaxed sessions available.

**\$5 PER TICKET**

Adults accompanying children FREE

Babes in arms FREE

**BOOK NOW**

On at PHIVE, 5 Parramatta Square

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