



minotaur mazes



COVID-19 Cleaning Recommendations

We know the health and safety of your guests, volunteers, and staff is your top priority. Sanitizing all surfaces, including the Minotaur Mazes traveling exhibit you are hosting, is critical to keeping everyone safe and healthy. With that in mind, we're sharing recommendations based on CDC and EPA guidelines, for effective sanitizing cleaners that are compatible with Minotaur Mazes exhibit materials.

In general, we recommend the following best practices:

- Add hand sanitizer stations at the Entrance/Exit of the Maze and in interactive rooms/areas as needed so guests can sanitize their hands before and after participating.
- Sanitize frequently touched surfaces multiple times throughout the day.
- Reduce the amount of touchables on the floor by dividing supplies into multiple batches. Rotate the batches during the day to sanitize frequently.
- Remove touchables that can't be sanitized regularly or effectively.
- Add extra signage throughout the building encouraging frequent hand washing and physical distancing.

The table below lists components, surface materials, and suggested cleaning protocol using EPA recommended sanitizing cleaners specific to the American Adventure traveling exhibit.

Keep in mind when using recommended sanitizing cleaners

- Use for disinfecting surfaces only.
- Follow instructions on the product label for safe and effective use.
- Test a small area of the surface for compatibility before large-scale cleaning.
- Always use a clean, lint-free cloth, not paper products.
- These cleaners are much harsher on exhibit materials than is normally recommended. Please use these specific cleaners as a temporary measure until the subsidence of COVID-19.
- If in doubt on proper cleaning technique, follow CDC recommendations for cleaning different types of materials here: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/disinfecting-building-facility.html>

Component	Material	Approved Cleaners**	Procedure	Frequency
Walls & Graphics	Vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Spray or wipe down each wall	Periodically
Pipe	Metal (Aluminum)	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize high touch areas, at corners and near the entrance/exit	Daily

Netting	Polyester	Lysol Disinfectant Spray	Spray inside and outside of netting with sanitizer, especially everything below 6 feet	Periodically
Slotted Walls ("Still Alive? This way!" etc.)	Vinyl	Remove	Remove and add 'Yer Dead' directional arrows to walls and/or floor.	Remove
Life Charts	Plastic with vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Divide the charts in 3-4 batches. Leave one batch on the hanging rack at a time and rotate frequently. Sanitize charts and beads thoroughly between rotations.	Rotate and sanitize frequently; more with high visitation
Interactive: Spring Mural Puzzle - Near Jamestown	Plastic with vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Spray or wipe down each piece and its mount	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
Climbing Wall	Handholds, Graphic with overlam Rubber Safety Floor	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Detail clean each hand hold. Sanitize entire surface.	Sanitize handholds multiple times a day, more often with high visitation. Sanitize entire surface periodically.
Interactives: Water buckets, Gold mining, Scrape a Turtle	Wood, glass, plastic	Clorox Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize high touch components of these interactives thoroughly (knobs, magnet wands, spoons). Sanitize all surfaces and wipe dry.	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
Spinning wheels	Hard plastic with vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize each wheel surface, especially along edges where hands touch	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
Interactive: Lasso a Sturgeon	Textile (Rope), Metal (Aluminum)	Lysol Disinfectant Spray	Spray the rope to sanitize. Sanitize and dry the entire bar that rope hangs from.	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
Interactive: Monorail and crash pad	Metal, vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize the hand mount thoroughly and wipe dry. Sanitize the crash pad at the end of the launch zone, as well as the pipe on either side of the entrance to the monorail.	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
Interactives: Flip doors on	Plastic with vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant	Sanitize each door thoroughly, and wipe down the answer	Multiple times each day, more often with

Charter Books, Wilderness Survival mural		Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	panel under the door	high visitation
Interactives: Mystery Match, Trading Post	Plastic with vinyl, acrylic	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize high touch components of these interactive (sliders, bottles, tabs, etc.)	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
Interactives: Squeeze & Sniff	Plastic with vinyl, soft plastic	Remove	Remove or block access to	Remove
Interactive: Reach-in Resources barrel	Hard plastic, stained wood, acrylic	Clorox Disinfecting Wipes	Sanitize top and sides of barrel. Each piece inside the barrel will need to be disinfected by hand by reaching inside. If frequent cleaning is difficult, remove or block off access.	Multiple times each day, more often with high visitation
Fort building (Lincoln Logs)	Wood	Clorox Disinfecting Wipes	Divide the Lincoln Logs in 3-4 batches. Leave one batch on the table at a time and rotate frequently. Wipe to sanitize logs and table. If frequent cleaning is difficult, remove the table.	Rotate and sanitize frequently; more with high visitation
Fort building (pool noodles)	Foam noodles, Pipe, Hard Plastic Connectors	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Divide pool noodles and connectors in 2-3 batches. Rotate batches throughout the day to sanitize frequently. Spray and wipe to sanitize. If frequent cleaning is difficult, remove noodles & connectors.	2x per day; more often with high visitation
Mirror	Acrylic	PURELL Surface Disinfectant	Sanitize the entire surface using a soft cloth.	Once or twice daily, depending on number of visitors
Dress up clothes	Fabric	Remove	Remove dress up clothes	Remove
Dress up peek holes	Vinyl	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Spray and wipe the surface with disinfectant. If frequent cleaning isn't possible, cover holes so visitors can't use.	Very frequently, depending on the volume of visitors.
Climb-in Log	Fiberglass	PURELL Surface Disinfectant Clorox Disinfecting Wipes Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	Spray and wipe down, especially inside bottom and around entrances to the log.	Multiple times a day, more with higher numbers of visitors

****Table of material types and recommended sanitizing cleaners.** If using an alternate product found on the EPA’s list of products, please reference these guidelines for approved materials before use.

	Metal (pipe, mono- rail)	Vinyl (walls & hard graphics)	Hard Plastic (wheels)	Wood, Glass, Plastic, (Inter- actives)	Acrylic Mirror	Hard Plastic, Fiber- glas	Stained Wood (Platform)	Poly- ester (net- ting)	Rubber (Safety Floor)	Textile (Dress- up Clothes, Rope)	Foam Nood- les (Fort)
PURELL Surface Disinfectant and Sanitizer Sprays (wipes and sprays)	x	x	x		x	x		x	x		x
Clorox Disinfecting Wipes	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				x
Lysol Disinfecting Wipes	x	x	x	x	x	x					x
Lysol Disinfectant Spray or Lysol Max Cover Disinfectant Mist								x	x	x	

Source: EPA Registered Antimicrobial Products for Use Against Novel Coronavirus SARS-CoV-2, the Cause of COVID-19.

https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2020-03/documents/sars-cov-2-list_03-03-2020.pdf