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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Cade Museum to Temporarily Close Amid COVID-19 Concerns

Experience the Cade at home with educational videos and downloadable STEAM content coming soon

**Gainesville, Florida, March 17, 2020** – The Cade Museum for Creativity and Invention will be temporarily closed in response to recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control related to concerns around COVID-19. Additionally, spring break camps, and scheduled events are also canceled through March 31, 2020.

With the health of our visitors, staff and volunteers as a top priority, the Cade Museum will continue to actively monitor developments and will proceed with enhanced cleaning protocol.

Beginning next week, the museum will offer engaging educational video and downloadable content to bring The Cade experience into your home. Please check our website and social media for postings regarding this new STEAM content. If you are not yet a subscriber, please subscribe to our e-newsletter at: [bit.ly/cadenews](http://bit.ly/cadenews) to receive updates on these Cade at-home activities.

Please continue to check our website, [Cademuseum.org](http://Cademuseum.org), for updates on reopening.

#### About the Cade Museum

In 2004, Dr. James Robert Cade and his family established the Cade Museum Foundation to build the Cade Museum for Creativity & Invention in Gainesville, Florida. The Cade's mission is to transform communities by inspiring and equipping future inventors, entrepreneurs, and visionaries. Dr. Cade, a physician at the University of Florida, was best known as the leader of a research team that invented Gatorade in 1965. The Cade Museum is located at 811 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601. Visit [CadeMuseum.org](http://CadeMuseum.org) for more information.

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