

Is sciencemuseum.org.uk legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 90/100

sciencemuseum.org.uk

Verdict

90

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

sciencemuseum.org.uk appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-13 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

Official Science Museum site pages for visitor information, exhibitions, events and ticketing. Contains donation and shop links and a consent manager referencing IAB vendors. No signs of phishing or high-risk financial solicitation.

Evidence status and limitations

- Evidence completeness:

UNKNOWN
- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
 - Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	26 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2000 5000 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by WE1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2000.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The Science Museum website is a public institutional platform providing visitor information, exhibitions, events, ticket bookings, educational resources, donations, memberships, corporate support options, and an online shop. Its apparent business model is cultural and charitable, funded through admissions-related activity, donations, partnerships, patron programmes, and retail rather than investment or financial solicitation.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No contradictions were observed across the supplied evidence: there were no phishing indicators, impersonation signals, malicious detections, blacklist findings, or high-risk financial solicitations. The homepage content, institutional presentation, established historical continuity, clean external reputation, and strong public web footprint are consistent with an apparently legitimate museum website. The real-world operator identity is nevertheless assessed as likely rather than independently verified, so the positive legitimacy conclusion should not be treated as formal proof of ownership.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage presents the Science Museum, visitor information, exhibitions, ticket booking, donations, education, and shop functions, with no investment or high-risk financial solicitation.
- The observed forms comprise search, newsletter signup, and ticket booking; no login form, hidden sensitive form, external password form, wallet connection, clipboard manipulation, or suspicious script was detected.
- Domain continuity age: 26.439425051334702 years; archive history contains 5000 snapshots from 2000-03-04 through 2023-12-20, spanning 24 years tracked.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site presents a public museum and donation/retail model rather than a service that would ordinarily require financial-services licensing. Its pages provide institutional contact and visitor information, including a London address, but the available evidence does not independently verify the real-world operating entity. No licensing claim or registration number is recorded in the supplied page content; this is a limited disclosure point for any transaction requiring regulated status, not an indication of scam activity. The available external reputational context does not identify a broker match or malicious reputation.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage identifies “Science Museum,” provides “Exhibition Road, London SW7 2DD,” and links to About us and Contact us content.
- The site is served from AS13335 (CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US).
- The transport certificate is issued by WE1 using Domain Validation (DV), valid to 2026-10-11.

What to Verify Next

Before credential or payment interactions, independently confirm the merchant or donation recipient identity through an official institutional channel, review the applicable ticketing, donation, shop, and refund terms, and ensure that payment protection is available for the transaction method selected. Official contact channels should also be confirmed through an independent route rather than relying solely on details encountered during a transaction.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage supports free admission bookings, ticket reservations, donations, patron support, corporate partnerships, and retail activity.
- The site provides Contact us, About us, visitor-location, accessibility, and booking-related content for cross-checking.
- The observed ticket-booking and newsletter forms did not expose password fields or untrusted destinations.

Summary Verdict

Available evidence supports a **high-trust, low-risk posture** for an established, apparently legitimate public museum website. The site’s identity and operating purpose are evidence-consistent, while the real-world operator connection remains likely rather than independently verified.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website is protected by Cloudflare CDN/WAF infrastructure, with observed addresses belonging to Cloudflare edge servers and no origin-server candidate identified in the analysis. This reduces direct exposure of the underlying host and is a useful protective control, but it is a mitigating infrastructure signal rather than proof of institutional legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Normal browsing and ordinary museum-related use are proportionate to the assessed posture; independent merchant-identity, transaction-terms, and payment-protection checks should be completed before credentials or payments are submitted.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-13 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	LIKELY
Identity score	80/100
Identity verification confidence	80%

- Trusted social count=5

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of sciencemuseum.org.uk.

- The request stayed on sciencemuseum.org.uk. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2000-03-04. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Not available
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2606:4700:3037::6815:1dc8
Name servers	Not available
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-10-11
Domain age	26.44 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	Not available
Archive first seen	2000-03-04
Archive snapshots	5000
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about sciencemuseum.org.uk at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that

evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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