



# YOUR ESCAPE ROOM EXPERIENCE

## ***Welcome to Mindshift Escape Rooms.***

In order to keep you and our staff safe, we have elected to provide you with a safer experience by limiting your contact time with us and providing you with this guide to our rules and important information..

Please read these rules in order to help you have the best experience in your room as possible.

- Your escape room is a mental challenge environment. No strenuous physical activity is required.
- No climbing, no lifting heavy objects such as tables, chairs etc
- No clues are hiding in positions where you need to lay down to find them
- Some items are screwed and bolted into place. Please DO NOT attempt to move these items with any force. You will break them.
- Inspect everything very gently. Items that are bolted into place may surprise you and you may injure yourself trying to pick them up or move them if you are forceful.
- Please do not try to manipulate locks or pry open anything in order to gain access to clues before you have solved the step you are on. You will miss out on a lot of fun and may even set yourself back due to the clues being out of order.
- Overall, respect the room at all times.
- The door you step into the room by will remain unlocked and is available to you in case of an emergency or needing to use the bathroom.

Locks:

You MAY encounter several types of locks.

- locks requiring a key (use once only, the key will not work again on any other lock in the room)
- Number locks: these require number codes, generally input on the side
- Letter locks: these require a word to solve. Look for an indicator line to use correctly
- Directional locks: Use left, right, up or down only by way of a central round dial. Pull to open to check if your attempt is correct. Click the silver hooked shackle into the lock itself (squeeze lock essentially) twice to reset it between each unsuccessful attempt. It will make a clicking sound when correctly done.
- Locks with yellow sandpaper encasing them: these locks are unsolvable and are not part of your escape plan. Leave them alone so you don't waste any time. Focus on what can help you escape!

## PERSONAL EFFECTS

- You can not bring your phones into the room. We provide lockers to keep your items safe and also include some phone chargers inside to get a free phone charge while you play!  
Enjoy!

Hints:

### MONITOR

- You have a monitor in your room. This acts as a timer, starting from 60 minutes, going backwards. It is also a hint system
- Listen for morse code (beeping sound) to read a clue on this monitor.

### TIKI MASK/ORACLE

- You can ask the wise and knowledgeable tiki mask for clues as you go. The mask will have “ASK THE MASK or ORACLE” written on it and you can do so to glean a clue. Please, ***do not touch these items*** at any point.
- The mask is helpful and will speak to you or place a clue on the monitor.

### WALKIE TALKIE

- We will show you how to use these

*If you have any questions about this instruction guide, please speak to one of our friendly game masters.*

Now is also the perfect time to use the bathrooms before you set off on your new adventure!

### **Masks**

You may take your mask off only once fully inside the room, and the door has been closed. Please respect our staff to keep them safe which allows us to remain open during this time.

Remember: If you are stuck on a lock, communication is the key.

**GOOD LUCK AND LETS DO THIS!**