

LEVEL 1

1. The Information

2. **Unge** (Youth)
A nice corner with soft chairs, space to relax and dive into the best stories about friendship, love, action, drama and fantasy.

3. DR Studie (DR Studio)

4. **Hjørnet** (The Corner)
Hjørnet provides seating as well as a view, but continuous activities will also be held here.

5. Librarian/support

6. **Dagligstuen** (The Living Room)
Here, you can read today's newspaper, magazines or periodicals and you are welcome to bring your coffee.

7. Café

8. **Lille Sal + Store Sal**
(Small Hall + Large Hall) Lille Sal is specially constructed for theatre, dance and showing of movies for children, families and institutions. Store Sal is fully equipped for conferences, lectures, theatre, concerts, debates, public meetings etc.

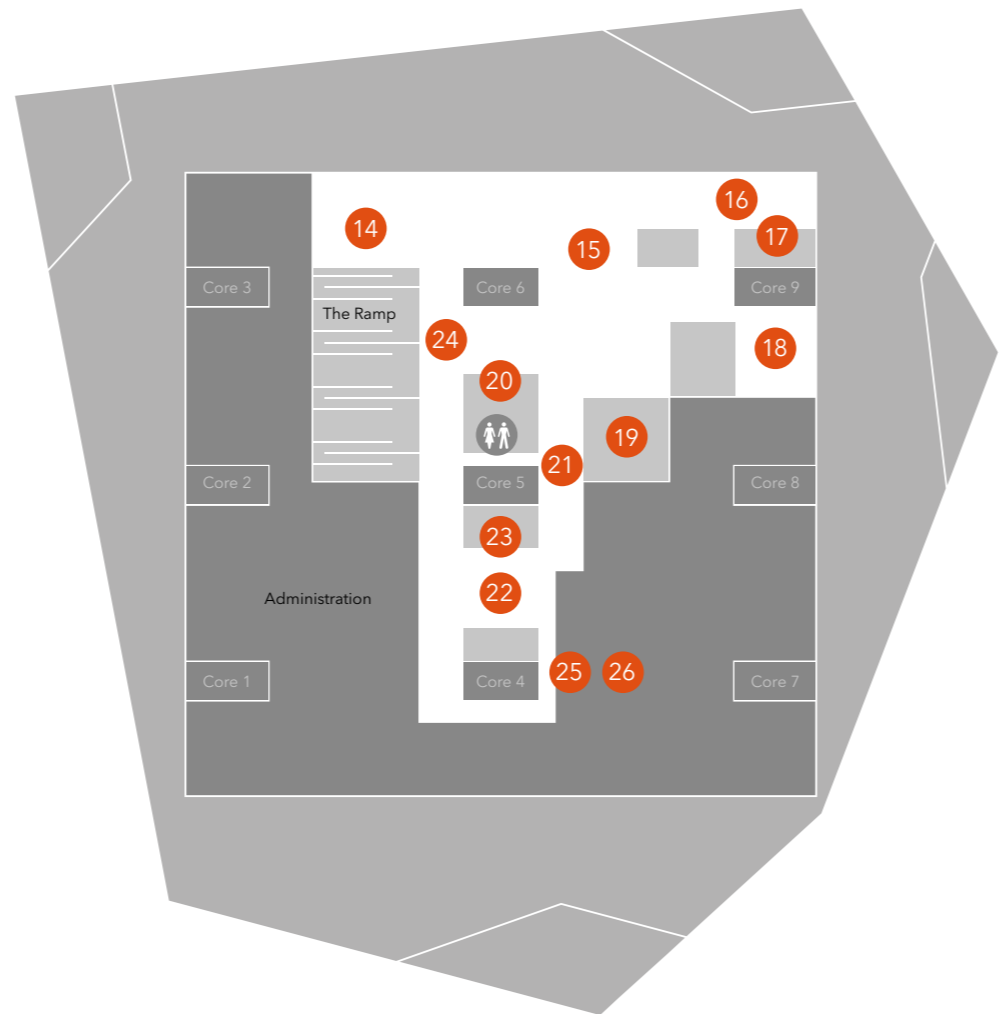
9. Selvaflevering (Book Drop)

10. **Torvet** (The Square)
Torvet can quickly be transformed into an area for a pop-up event or a stage for a morning assembly or a poetry reading.

11. **Borgerservice** (Citizens' Services)
Borgerservice is the entry for citizens to the public authorities. Here, you will find information and guidance regarding passport, driving licenses, marriage and help for online self-service.

12. **Legepladsen** (The Playground)
Legepladsen is on the deck surrounding Dokk1. You will encounter the Bear, the Eagle, the Volcano, the Dragon, the Sea of Ice and the Monkey. The playground is for the entire family where children and adults can play together. The deck is also used for activities and events: small concerts, exercises and games.

13. **Rampen** (The Ramp)
Rampen leads to level 2 where you will find the areas for families, tweens (9-12 year olds) and children. Rampen is an open space for events, board games, reading or just relaxing on one of the couches.



LEVEL 2

14. **Gongen** (The Gong)
Kristine Roepstorffs *Gongen* is 7.5 metres long and weighs three tons and it is the world's largest tubular bell.

15. **Scenetrappen** (The Stage)
Scenetrappen is a space for experiences - small events, readings, plays and music - for children and families.

16. **Pusterummet** (The Family Lounge)
An area for quiet play, board games, reading aloud and general family coziness.

17. **Børne-Lab** (Children's Lab)
A creative lab for children between the ages 4-8. Here you can play with words, create images, enjoy games and much more.

18. **0-3 år** (0-3 years)
The area is for 0-3 year olds and their adults. The area challenges children's motor skills and sensory abilities.

19. **Æsken** (The Box)
Æsken is an area with plenty of space for boisterous play and physical experiences.

20. Spiserum / Ammerum

(Eating Areas/Nursing Room)
Here you can eat your packed lunches. Nursing is permitted throughout Dokk1 but for those who like peace and privacy, the Nursing Room offers a chance to be by yourself.

21. **Gaminggaden** (The Gaming Street)
Gaminggaden is an area with games for families and children up to the age of 12. The area is divided into gaming zones for different ages.

22. **Makerspace**
Makerspace is an area all about creating and building. The area is a do-it-yourself area, primarily focused on young people between the ages of 9-12.

23. **Tweens**
The area offers a homey atmosphere with room for absorption in comics, books, music and films.

24. **Altanen** (The Balcony)
Altanen is an area for adults to plug in your computer at the long desk along Rampen or work in groups or by yourself sitting at the smaller tables.

25. Stadsarkivet (City archive)

Aarhus Stadsarkiv is the historical archive of Aarhus. Here you can find the city's historical documents, pictures, newspapers and much more. The reading room is open to everyone. Drop by to explore or get help studying the history of Aarhus.

26. **DokkX**
Come by DokkX and experience how health and welfare technology can promote a healthy, active and independent life, regardless of age and functional ability.



LEVEL 0

27. **Letbane** (The Light Rail)
28. **Automatisk p-anlæg** (Automatic Car Park)

29. **Magic Mushrooms**
Look up to the ceiling to experience *Magic Mushrooms*. This upturned imaginary city is a work of art created by the internationally acclaimed duo Elmgren & Dragset.

30. **Elevator** (Lift)
31. **Rulletrapper** (Escalators)
32. **Selvaflevering** (Book Drop 24-7)

Welcome to Dokk1

The Main Library and Citizens' Service of Aarhus

Dokk1 - Aarhus' Main Library (Hovedbiblioteket) and Citizens' Services (Borgerservice) - is located right at the estuary of Aarhus Å.

Open from early morning to late in the evening, the building provides facilities such as event spaces; a media collection; study rooms; a café, and a library for children and families.

Dokk1, designed by Schmidt Hammer Lassen Architects is a cornerstone of the central section of Aarhus where the city spreads out towards the sea - with open recreational harbour spaces and unhindered access from city to harbour front. The building comprises four levels plus a fully automated 1000-car underground parking facility.

The name of the building came about as the result of an open involvement process and is a reference both to the former industrial activities of the harbour area, a document and to a place to dock and re-load. In daily speech, the local citizens refer to the building as either [Dokken], [Dok én], [Dok ét] - what, in English, would roughly mean The Dock, but is pronounced Dock one.

What can you find in Dokk1?

At level 1 of the building, you will find Citizens' Services - your gateway to the municipality, the adult section of the library; events, programmes and cultural activities, a café; study and reading rooms; as well as auditoriums

and meeting rooms that are available for booking. Level 2 is mainly dedicated to families, and here you will find the library for children and families, gamer street, makerspaces, events and play areas. It is also the base of administrative functions for e.g. the library, Citizens' Services and Aarhus 2017. Level 3 - the seven-sided roof slice - houses further administrative functions for Citizens' Services and commercial tenants.

What can you do in Dokk1?

Dokk1 is a local venue - a meeting place. With its variety of programmes and events, media collection, learning spaces, study areas, cosy corners and a café, the various spaces of this

impressive building can be used in a multitude of ways - as breathing space, or for exploration, learning or contemplation. Bring the kids to play, experience and learn - either in the spectacular playground surrounding Dokk1 or in one of Level 2's many play, game or immersion spaces. You can also use the building for studying, or for workshops or meetings.

Activities in Dokk1

Dokk1 provides a wealth of programmes and activities that are developed and carried out in collaboration with our partners and the citizens of Aarhus. Here you can acquire new skills, grow wiser or be inspired. You can meet fellow citizens,

collaborate on creating something; or you can immerse yourself in a certain topic or just spend a few moments in quiet contemplation: You can share your taste in music with likeminded in listening clubs. You can watch films, make films - or become more knowledgeable on films. You can discover new literature and meet up-and-coming authors or you can share your own literary activities and experiences. You can test and discover new technologies, learn about design processes and 3-D printing. You can establish networks and launch your entrepreneurial aspirations. and get educational guidance, legal counselling or visit our study and language café.

Don't forget to attend our major events such as Mini Maker Faire; Internet Week Denmark; Spot; Vild med ord (Mad about Words); and Iværksætterfestivalen (the Entrepreneur Festival).

We are always interested in hearing about any ideas or suggestions you may have for activities and events. Contact us via Facebook or arrangementer@dokk1.dk

DOKK1

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Dokk1
Monday-Friday 8am-10pm
Saturday-Sunday 10am-4pm
Dokk1 is closed on bank holidays, Easter Saturday and Constitution Day

The Library
Monday-Friday 8am-9pm
Saturday-Sunday 10am-4pm
The library is un-staffed at the following times: 8am-10am and 7pm-9pm

Citizens' Services
Monday-Friday 10am-4pm
Thursday 10am-6pm
Friday 10am-4pm
Saturday-Sunday closed

English Guide

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