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Care of the Giant Moon and Mars Map

The maps are made of a vinyl material and is remarkably durable. However, we suggest the following guidelines in caring for a Giant Moon or Mars Map in order to increase its longevity:

- Map is intended for use indoors
- Before laying the map on the floor, sweep and check the floor for any foreign debris, particularly pebbles or other potentially sharp objects that may poke holes in the map
- Keep the map stored while not in use
- Remove shoes before walking on the map
- Wipe down map before storing
- Fold and roll up map for storage

Many schools have purchased Tupperware-style containers in which they store the map. We typically travel with the map packed in a regular-sized suitcase. The suitcase and map weigh in at about 45 pounds.

While we suggest removing shoes before walking on the map, due to the logistics at conferences we typically allow people to walk on the map with their shoes and the maps we have used at the NSTA conventions show literally no wear.