

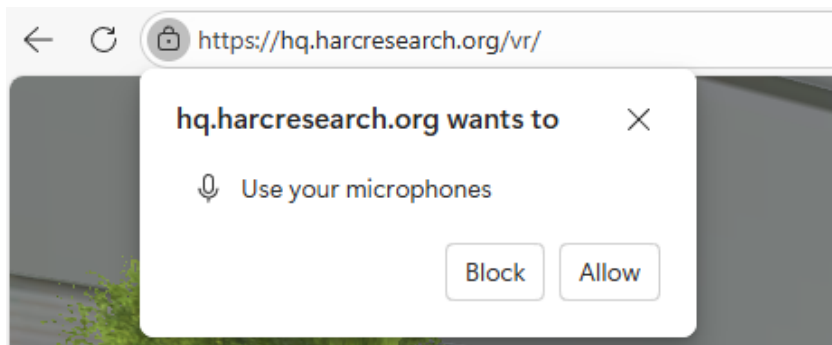


## HARC Virtual Tour Quick Start Guide

Welcome to the HARC Virtual Tour! This guide will walk you through everything you need to explore the tour comfortably.

### Step 1: Open the Tour

1. Open your web browser (Chrome or Edge work best) and go to: <https://hq.harcresearch.org/vr/>
2. A pop-up may appear asking permission to use your microphone — click **Allow** so the voice feature works.



### Step 2: Move Around

Once the tour loads, you can walk through the space just like a video game:

What you want to do	How to do it
Walk forward / backward / sideways	<b>W A S D</b> keys or the <b>Arrow Keys</b> on your keyboard
Look around	Move your <b>mouse</b>
Get your mouse cursor back	Press <b>Esc</b>
Go full screen (fills your whole monitor)	Press <b>F11</b> — press <b>Esc</b> to go back to normal

**Tip:** If you feel disoriented, press **Esc** to get your cursor back, then click anywhere in the tour window to continue exploring.



## Step 3: Ask the AI Helper a Question

There is a built-in AI assistant you can talk or type to at any time.

- **Open the chat panel:** Press the **Left Shift** key
- **Close the chat panel:** Press the **Left Ctrl** (Control) key
- **Ask a question:** Hold down the **T** key while you talk, then let go when you're done
- **Type a question:** Press **Enter** to start typing, then press **Enter** again to send your message





## Step 4: Adjust Your Microphone (Optional)

If your voice isn't being picked up, you can change which microphone the tour uses:

1. Press the **0 (zero)** key on your keyboard to open Settings.
2. Under **Microphone**, choose your preferred device from the list.
3. Click **Save Changes**.





## Step 5: Interact with Labels

Throughout the tour you'll notice small floating labels attached to objects. Here's how to use them:

1. Look for the **small dot** in the center of your screen — this is your pointer.
2. Aim the dot at a label. When the label **grows larger and turns yellow**, it's ready to be clicked.
3. **Left-click** your mouse to open it.

### Green Labels — Documents

Clicking a green label opens a document (such as a report or fact sheet) in a new browser tab.

- To return to the tour, click back on the VR tab at the top of your browser.



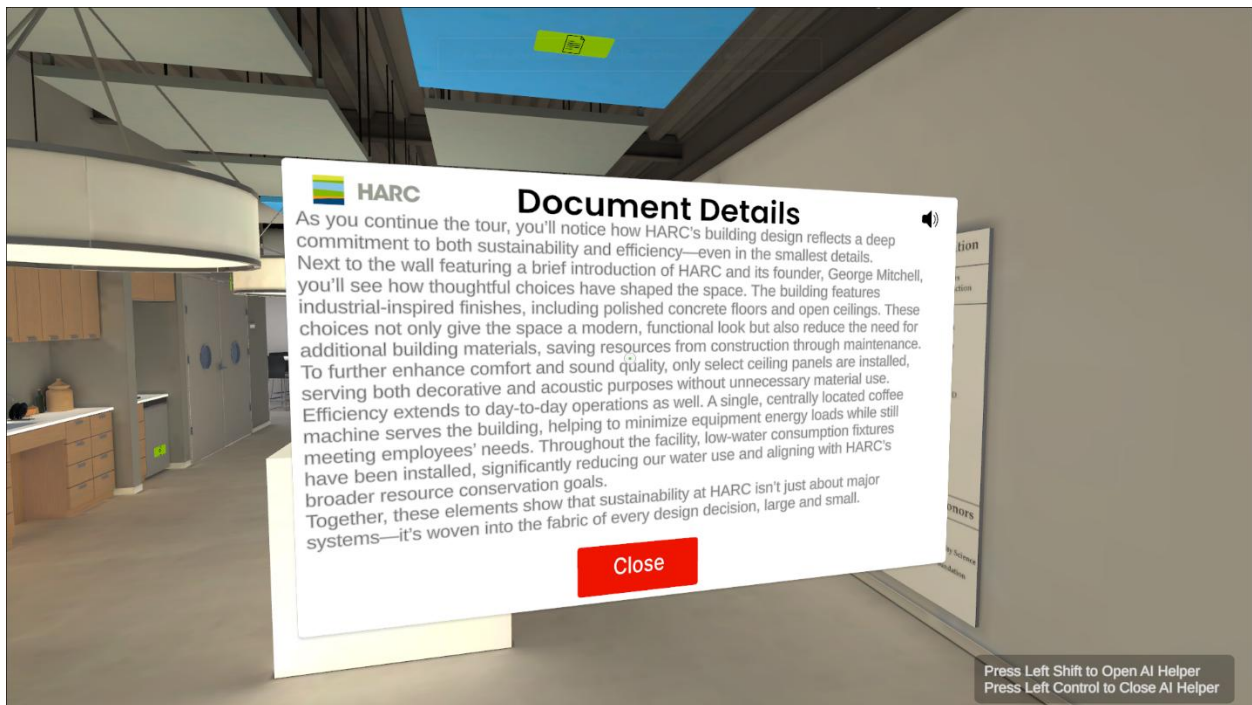


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## Blue Labels — Audio Narration

Clicking a blue label plays a spoken narration and shows a text box on screen.

- To close it, click the **Close** label, or simply walk away from the object.





## Step 6: Visit the Roof (Solar Panels)

You can take a virtual trip up to the roof to see the solar panels:

- Look for the **Go to Roof** label near the ladder and click it.
- When you're ready to come back down, click the **Go Back** label.



*If you run into any trouble, try refreshing the page and allowing microphone access when prompted.*