

PLAN YOUR VISIT TO THE MUSEUM

HOW TO BOOK A VISIT

To schedule a visit please call **212-294-8330, x 8805**, Monday–Thursday, 9 am–5 pm. Programs are offered from 9:30 am–5 pm on Sundays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. Please book at least two weeks in advance of your visit. Cancellations and schedule changes must be made at least 72 hours in advance of the date.

School Group Fee

\$75.00 per group (maximum 25 students). For most programs two groups can be booked simultaneously. Please inquire to arrange. Fee includes art supplies for take-home projects. YUM is an approved vendor with the NYC Department of Education.

Location & Transportation

The Museum is located at the Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th Street between Fifth and Sixth Avenues. Convenient subways are at Union Square and 14th Street. Buses can wait on 16th Street during the week.

Please arrive 15 minutes before your scheduled tour. If you are bringing two groups, please have them pre-divided, with teachers and chaperones.

Lunch Facilities

Arrangements can be made to accommodate groups bringing bag lunches (maximum 35 students). Weather permitting, groups may choose to have lunch in the public park at Union Square

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Make the Most of Your Trip GUIDELINES FOR TEACHERS

Prepare your students before the trip. Explain what they will do and see, and how it relates to their schoolwork. Pre-visit material for your scheduled program is available under **FIND ONLINE EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES** on the Education home page.

Explain proper museum behavior to students. Stay together with the group, use quiet voices at all times, and walk – don't run.

Teachers are responsible for maintaining behavior and must accompany students at all times.

We love parents! Please remind parents that they are here to offer support to the teachers and Museum Educators.

Arrive on time. Allow at least 15 minutes before your visit is scheduled to start for security check, restrooms, and coat check.

Keep your hands free. Please leave all backpacks at school or on the bus. All items carried into the building will be placed in a bin that is designated for your group and returned at the end of your visit. If you have made arrangements to eat in the building, lunches will be collected and brought to the lunchroom.

Cell phones and cameras. Please turn off your cell phones when you enter the building. Photography is not allowed inside the galleries but your Museum Educator will let you know when you may take pictures during the workshop.

Finish eating, drinking and chewing gum before you enter the building.

We look forward to seeing you!

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MUSEUM VISIT EVALUATION

Please return this form to:

Education Department
Yeshiva University Museum
15 West 16th Street
New York, New York 10011
or
schoolprograms@yum.cjh.org

Thank you for visiting Yeshiva University Museum. The following evaluation will provide us with information that will help us to improve our education programs. Your comments, opinions and suggestions are greatly appreciated.

Date of Tour: _____

Name of School or Group: _____

Address: _____

Person completing form, title: _____

Program: _____

Grade Level: _____ Class Size: _____

Name of Docent Who led tour: _____

Which parts of the museum visit did your students seem to particularly enjoy? Please check all that apply.

- Introduction/motivation
- Exhibition Tour
- Hands-on art activity
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Which parts of the museum visit seemed to interest your students the least? Why?

Was the material presented at an appropriate age level?

(evaluation, cont.)

Do you have any suggestions for improving the museum visit?

Would you be kind enough to share any follow-up activities that you did with your group?

If you received any pre-visit or post-visit materials, please evaluate.

Please check as many as apply:

In the future, I would most likely bring my class to an exhibition and /or program on:

- American History - Industrialization
- Jewish Holidays and Customs
- Global History - Age of Exploration
- Connection between Jewish History and Social Studies
- Other _____

Before today's visit, the last trip my class took to another venue was to: