



'Day at the Museum' Info Sheet

The Red Deer Museum + Art Gallery is excited to offer your child a chance to spend the day at the museum. Our goal is to provide a fun day where you will learn something new and make something artistic. Below is some useful information about our day camps.

When can I drop off and pick up my child?

Drop offs start at 8:30 a.m. Pick up will begin at 4:00 p.m. and children must be picked up by 4:30 p.m.

What will my child do all day?

Our camp schedule is as follows:

8:30 – 9:00	Drop off (quiet activities – colouring, reading)
9:00 – 9:30	Introductions, rules, ice breakers, or stories.
9:30 – 10:30	Art or museum activity
10:30 – 10:45	snack break
10:45 – 12:00	Art or museum activity (continue)
12:00 – 12:30	Lunch break (board games and reading)
12:30 – 2:30	Outdoor activities or games in the museum
2:30 – 2:45	snack break
2:45 – 3:30	Art or museum activity (or finish projects)
3:30 – 4:00	Free time in the museum

How to behave in a public museum? (Museum Manners)

The museum and art gallery are open to the public and many staff work at the museum, so it is important that all visitors respect these Museum Manners for all patrons to enjoy these spaces.

- Walk only (no running)
- Talk in quiet voices (no yelling)
- No food or drink in the museum or galleries
- No touching artwork or artefacts (unless stated).

General Rules for safety and getting along with others:

- Treat others with respect
- Treat museum and gallery spaces with respect
- No fighting or bullying
- No interrupting while others speak

- Stay with the group at all times
- Avoid risky behavior (climbing trees, throwing rocks/ sticks,etc.)

What does my child need to bring?

Children need to bring the following items:

- Food for lunch and 2 snacks
- Water bottle
- Appropriate dress for being outside in the afternoon (bathing suits, hats, sandals for summer camps)
- Indoor shoes
- Any medications that are needed
- Sunscreen and bug spray during warm months
- NO ELECTRONICS (keep them at home where they will be safe).

If there is an emergency, how do I get a hold of them?

Call the museum 403-309-8405.

What are the themes for the day camps?

Day camp themes change monthly, check the website for an updated list.

March – Imagination Station
 April - Tracking and Mapping
 May – Park Lovers

Summer Camps: 6-8 years

July 3 – 7 + July 31- Aug.4	Curious Curators
July 10 – 14 + Aug. 8 - 11	Museum Mayhem
July 17 – 21 + Aug. 14 - 18	Galleries Galore

9 – 11 years

July 3-7 + July 31 – Aug. 4	Tales from the Time Travelers
July 10-14 + Aug. 8-11	Let’s Plan a History Heist
July 17 – 21 + Aug. 14 – 18	Calling All Art Lovers!

If you have any other questions, please contact:

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