



Summer Group Visit Guidelines

For youth groups of 10 or more, MOHAI has a special set of policies for visits during the summer months (late June-August). Please read the following guidelines carefully before planning your youth group visit.

Rates

- Groups will be charged the self-guided field trip flat rate of \$40 per group of up to 30 students (30 students or less: \$40, 31-60 students: \$80, 61-90 students: \$120, etc.)
- Up to one adult for every two youth admissions is included in this flat rate. Additional adults will need to pay general admission. **This flat rate only applies to groups if they have already made a reservation in advance**; regular posted admission rates will be charged to any group arriving without a reservation.
- Groups will receive an invoice upon scheduling their visit. Payment can be made with cash, check, credit card, or purchase order, but **must be made upon arrival at the museum's front desk**.

Scholarships

- Scholarships for a free visit are available to qualifying schools and daycare programs. In order to qualify, groups must indicate their eligibility when making their reservation. **Scholarship requests cannot be made upon arrival.**

Arrival

- Please request a reservation in advance through our website to ensure availability before planning your visit.
- Upon arrival, please send a chaperone to the front desk to pay before bringing your group into the museum. Please have your group enter and exit the museum **via the main entrance**.
- **MOHAI's standard chaperone requirement is one adult for every five students.** We ask all summer groups to adhere to this required ratio.
- Storage bins will be made available to groups on a first-come, first-served basis; students may not bring backpacks or lunches into the galleries. Limited lockers are available for storing valuables. **MOHAI is not responsible for lost or stolen items.**
- Gallery activity cards for students are available at the front desk and scavenger hunts will be handed out after a brief introduction to the museum.
- The gallery activities generally takes students an hour to complete. Activity ideas for a longer visit can be found on the [Teacher Resources](#) page of our website.

Guidelines for Student Behavior

1. Students must stay with chaperones at all times.
2. Use only pencils for writing in the galleries.
3. Do not lean on exhibits or use them as a writing surface.
4. Use inside voices at all times.
5. Look before you touch and obey signs.
6. No running, pushing, or roughhousing.
7. No flash photography.
8. No food, drink, or gum in the museum.



Lunch

- **MOHAI does not have indoor lunch space for groups.** Youth groups eating lunch on-site will need to eat outside in the surrounding Lake Union Park, which has limited covered areas.
- There is a small indoor café with an exterior patio where food and drink items may be purchased. These areas are reserved for café patrons only – outside food and beverages (including sack lunches) are not permitted.

If you have any questions or concerns about the above guidelines, please contact:

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