

Docent-Led School Tour - Social Narrative



I am going on a docent-led School Tour at the Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts. My group and I will explore the Museum, look at art, and learn new things.

When I see the large white building with the zig-zag roof, I will know I am there!



When we arrive at the Museum, a member of Museum staff will meet our group. We might have to wait a few minutes on the bus or outside in the courtyard if there are other groups ahead of us before we can enter the Museum.

If my group is large, we will be divided into smaller groups for our tour. We will meet again at the end of the tour.



In the courtyard, my small group will meet our volunteer tour guide, called a docent. The docent will introduce themselves and let us know about Museum Manners before leading us through the Museum. Museum Manners, like not touching the artwork, help to keep us and the artwork safe while on our tour.



We will enter the Museum through the Courtyard Entrance.



We will use the Grand Staircase or the elevators to reach the main galleries.

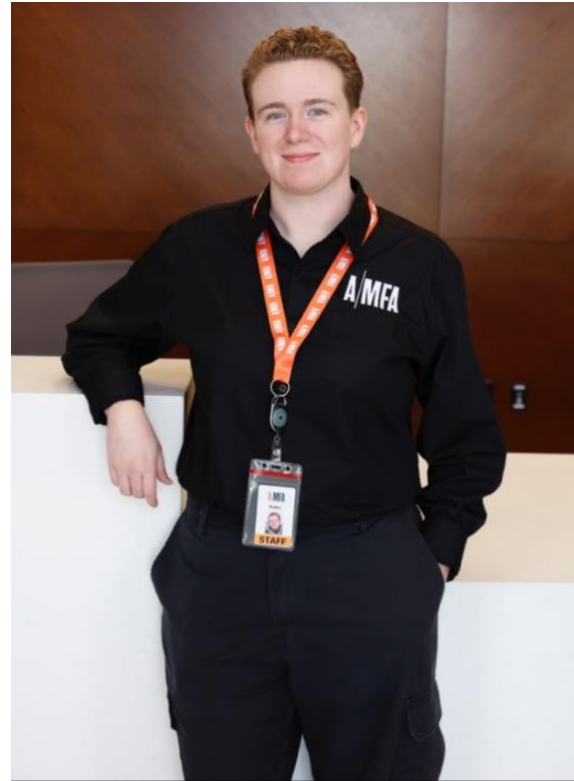
The galleries are rooms where we will see artwork.

I should keep my voice low as we walk through the Museum.



We will see many kinds of art as we walk through the Museum including paintings, sculptures, photographs, pottery, and more. We will probably visit two to three works of art. This is a good time to look closely, be curious, and ask questions! When discussing an artwork we might draw, write, or perform.

Some galleries might be busy with other people looking at the art.



If I get separated from my group or have a question, I can always ask a Cultural Protection Officer or Guest Services Member to help me.

Both help guests and make sure they have a good experience at the Museum.



When our tour is over, we will join our full group in the Cultural Living Room. This room has large walls of windows and is next to the galleries.



Once my entire group is together, we'll be ready for our next group activity, or we will head back to the bus if it is time to leave the Museum.

I hope I can visit the Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts again soon and see more art!

