

Visiting the Crocker Art Museum



I am going to visit the CROCKER ART MUSEUM.



When I get there, my adult will give me a sticker to wear so I can go into the museum. The museum is a big place, with lots of things to see. Sometimes there are many people there.





Sometimes there are only a few.



Sometimes there is a lot of noise at the museum.

Sometimes it is quiet.

If it is too noisy for me, I can bring headphones or earphones. I can wear them to help me.



There are special MUSEUM MANNERS I can remember when I visit.

Museum manners help to keep ME safe.

Museum manners keep OTHER PEOPLE safe.

Museum manners keep THE ART safe.

Museum Manners





l don't run, l use WALKING FEET.

I don't yell, I use a TALKING VOICE.



The most important rule is that I DO NOT TOUCH THE ART!

I look at the art with my eyes.

This is so that I keep the art safe. If I touch the art, it will not stay nice.



This is a good way to look at the art. I can sit or stand by the art, but I don't sit or stand too close.



If I have a hard time with museum manners, my adult will help me to remember them. I can try again.



At the museum there will be a special bag I can touch.

My adult can get the bag from the front desk. Inside the bag are things I can touch as I walk around the museum.



When I am done visiting the museum, I will give the bag back. Someone else can use it, too.



There is a lot of art to see at the museum. I won't have time to see it all.

I might see big paintings with lots of color.

Stanton Macdonald-Wright, Subjective Time, 1958.



I might see pictures of ships and boats.

Frank Myers Boggs, Dordrecht Harbor, circa 1880-81.



I might see things that were made by people who live far away from me.



I might see many different things. I won't have time to see everything.

Mel Ramos, The Atom, 1962.



If I need to eat I can get something from the café, or I can take food from home outside. Outside there are two courtyards. There is a big courtyard and a small courtyard. The big courtyard has trees.





The smaller courtyard has a water fountain.



Another place I might visit is called Tot Land.

Tot Land is a special place in the museum for kids. In Tot Land I can touch a big screen, play with toys, make art, or read a book.





I still remember my museum manners in Tot Land. I don't yell or shout, and I don't run.



The Crocker Art Museum is a fun place where I can see many things. I can remember my **museum manners** and have a great trip!



The people at the Crocker Art Museum are always happy to see me visit! They want me to come back and visit again.