

Red Deer Museum + Art Gallery (MAG)

A Day @ the Museum: **Day Camps**

2022-23

Program Info Package for parents & campers

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Registration, Arriving, and Leaving

Our Day @ the Museum: Day Camps will provide your child with a fun way to spend the day during a teacher in-service day (PD day). Every camp will consist of a theme based art craft, several indoor and outdoor activities, and time in the galleries to explore.

Please review the following carefully for useful information regarding our day camps and risk mitigation practices in regards to COVID-19, as guided by Alberta Health Services. This document may undergo changes as <u>Alberta Health recommendations</u> change. Call us for the most up-to-date information or if you have any questions.



Program registration forms (in person/phone registrations) are to be completed and returned to the museum <u>a minimum of 3 business days prior to the camp start date</u>. Access the registration form on the <u>'Day Camps' page on our website</u> and email digitally completed forms to museum@reddeermuseum.com.

Children need to bring:

- Food for lunch and 2 snacks
 - ** Important: <u>our day camps are peanut/nut free.</u> Ensure the lunch & snacks provided for your child do not contain peanuts or nuts. Additionally, please pack lunches that <u>do not require refrigeration or heating.</u>
- Water bottle labelled with child's first & last name
- Non-medical grade face mask(s); washable or disposable
- Appropriate dress for being outside no matter what the weather (bring a hat)
- Any medications that are needed
- Sunscreen* and bug spray during warmer months (*spray preferred)
- Running shoes for walking and games
- NO ELECTRONICS keep them at home where they are safe
- Extra set of clothing (art can be messy!). We have disposable aprons.

Dropping Off & Picking Up Children from the Camp

Parents are required to screen children for symptoms of illness and take their temperature prior to arriving at the camp. Should a child develop illness while at the program, the child will be isolated and a guardian or emergency contact will be notified to pick up the child immediately.



Upon arrival and before leaving the camp, guardians must sign their child in/out of the program at our Front Desk. Morning drop off is from 8:30-9:00 am.

Guardians are to arrive between 4-4:30 pm to pick up their child, unless an alternate pick up time has been arranged with our Front Desk in advance.

If your child is exhibiting <u>any</u> signs of illness leading up to the program, <u>DO NOT</u> bring them to the museum. Notify us by phone at 587.797.4040.



During the Camp & Camp Schedule

The museum is cleaned and sanitized throughout the day, and alcohol based sanitizer is available for visitors to use. Participants will be separated by age group (6-8 & 9-12) as much as possible throughout the day. Outdoor activities are mixed, but art and museum activities are age related.

All camp participants will receive a bag of art supplies at the start of the camp, for use during the camp and for theirs to take home after the program. Children are responsible for their supplies and are not permitted to share supplies. All MAG supplies will be disinfected at the end of each camp.

Museum Manners & Camp Safety



- Walk only (no running).
- Use inside voices.
- Food/drink* are not permitted in the exhibition spaces.
 (*water bottles are allowed)
- Practice respiratory etiquette (e.g coughing/sneezing into bent elbow, washing hands and disposing of used tissues immediately).
- For the safety of art and artefacts, look with your eyes, not your hands.
- Treat other campers, and the museum and gallery spaces, with respect.
- Cooperate with others (bullying and fighting will not be tolerated).
- Listen to your leaders and other participants.
- Stay with the group at all times, and at a safe distance.

Our camps follow the below schedule each day:

8:30-9:00 am 9:00-9:30 am 9:30-10:30 am 10:30-10:45 am 10:45 am-12:00 pm 12:00-12:30 pm 12:30-2:30 pm 2:30-2:45 pm 2:45-3:30 pm 3:30-4:00 pm	Drop Off Introductions, rules, ice breakers Theme based art/museum activity Mid-morning snack/break Continue art/museum activity Lunch break Movement (outdoor activities), games, theme based activites Mid-afternoon snack/break Theme based art/museum activity; finish projects Time in the galleries
3:30-4:00 pm 4:00-4:30 pm	Time in the galleries Pick Up

Please feel free to reach out to us via phone, or email, if you have any questions or concerns.

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