

Social Story

A visual guide to the Pitt Rivers Museum for visiting school groups



I am going to the Pitt Rivers Museum. Inside the museum are objects from different places and different times.



To get to the Pitt Rivers Museum I need to walk through another museum called the Oxford University Museum of Natural History.



I will go up some stairs and through some large wooden doors.



I will walk through the Museum of Natural History to get to the Pitt Rivers Museum. If I get lost, I can ask someone and they will show me the way.



I will know when I have found the door to the Pitt Rivers Museum as I will see the Pitt Rivers sign through the door.



Inside the door of the Pitt Rivers Museum there are people who will help me. If I have any questions about anything, I can ask the adults who work in the Museum.



It will be darker inside the Pitt Rivers Museum, but still light enough to see well. There are stairs going down into the museum, or I can use the lift.



Going to the museum is interesting and sometimes I might feel excited. I need to walk around the museum and not run.



Some one will tell me to leave my coat and bag in the tubs.



To get to the stairs and the toilets I need to go through the big glass door.



To get to the toilets, I will walk through the big glass door and turn left. The toilets are behind the first door on the right. There is also an accessible toilet further down the corridor.



The stairs are through the big glass door. There are stairs to each floor in the Museum. There are 3 floors.



There is also a lift that can take me to all the floors.



This is the Ground Floor Gallery. There are lots of cases close together here.



This is the First Floor Gallery. I can walk around it and look down at the museum below.



This is the Second Floor Gallery.



Some objects in the galleries will be hanging from the ceiling, I can see them when I look up.



Some objects in the galleries will be in different shaped cases and some will be in drawers. If I like, I can open some of the drawers.



Around the Museum, there are people who will help me and show me the way. They also keep the objects safe.



Sometimes the Museum is quiet.



Sometimes the Museum is busy.



There is a shop at the entrance where I can buy things.



When it is time to leave, I can go to the tubs to collect my things.



When I leave, I will say goodbye. I can visit the Museum again.



There is an accessible entrance to the museum in Robinsons Close which is closer to the lifts.



There is an accessible parking bay next to the Robinson Close entrance.

