Welcome!

From all of us at the Dallas Museum of Art, we are glad that you will be visiting us soon! Our Museum is home to one of the largest encyclopedic collections in the nation and has been an active cultural institution in Dallas for over one hundred years. Our hope is that you and your students will enjoy your trip to the Museum, and that you will come back to see us (and the art) soon!

- **Keep your distance.** The oils in our skin are good for us, but bad for art, so please do not touch! A **good general rule is to stand at least three feet away from the work of art.**

- **Please do not use laser pointers or other objects to point at works of art.**

- **Please do not feed the art—or yourself!**—when exploring the galleries. Food, beverages, and chewing gum are not allowed in the galleries, but you are more than welcome to eat after your visit in our DMA Cafe.

- **Please silence all cell phones during your visit.** If you are on a docent-guided tour, please have students refrain from texting or using their phones.

- Please be considerate of other visitors and tour groups in the galleries.

- **Please do not sketch or work on written assignments during docent-guided visits.** If your group has a written assignment or project, please schedule a time to complete it either before or after a docent-guided tour.

- Sketching and writing are permitted in the galleries with graphite and pencils only.

- **Please leave backpacks, coats, and umbrellas in your car or at the coat check.** Did you know that *Mona Lisa* herself was damaged by an umbrella many years ago?

- Still and video photography is permitted in the Museum’s collection galleries. **Cameras must be hand-held, without flash.** Photography is not allowed in special exhibitions.

- Requests for permission to publish images of DMA artwork should be directed to the Rights and Reproductions Coordinator at 214-922-1816.

Have fun and enjoy your visit!
Driving Directions

If you need directions to the Museum, visit DMA.org and select "Visit" and then "Hours and Directions" for a map and driving directions.

If you would prefer to look up your own directions, the DMA's address is:

1717 North Harwood Street
Dallas, Texas 75201

Parking

Buses are granted free parking on Harwood Street along the right curb between Woodall Rodgers Freeway and Flora Street. Free bus parking is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Museum security and the Dallas Police Department requires that bus drivers stay with the buses while the students are in the Museum.

If the bus parking on Harwood Street is full, there is additional bus parking near the Brewery in the West End. Please have bus drivers drop students off at the Flora Street Entrance and take the buses there until your visit has concluded.

If anyone in your group is coming by car, parking is available in the Museum's underground garage for the flat rate of $12.00.

Museum Entrance

Please use the Main Entrance at the north end of the building and check in at the Visitor Services Desk upon arrival.

If you have arranged a docent-guided visit, your docent will be waiting for you next to the Visitor Services Desk.