



## Key Information for Educational Visits

- **Surgeons Hall Museums is open from 10am till 5pm daily.** Access can be arranged on request for school visits from 9.30am.
- **Workshop times can be arranged to suit your needs.** As a small Museum we pride ourselves in offering a flexible service, contact us with your requirements.
- **Visits are booked by contacting our Learning Officer Anna Downie on [a.downie@rcsed.ac.uk](mailto:a.downie@rcsed.ac.uk) or 0131 527 1606.**

### How to find us

- There is a space for coaches to pick up and drop off groups in front of the Royal College of Surgeons on Nicolson Street.
- We are located on the bus route of the 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 14, 29, 30, 31, 33, 47, 49 and 300.
- We are a ten minute walk from Waverley train station.

### Planning your educational visit

- **Eating and drinking are not permitted within the Museum galleries.** We can however facilitate snack breaks.
- **We can only accommodate one class at a time for packed lunches in the Museum.** However if the weather is good, we have a large enclosed grassy courtyard for picnics within the grounds of the College.
- **The cost of entry to the Museum is £4 per pupil.** There are no additional charges for any staff input such as workshops or tours.
- **For information on available workshops please visit the Museums website.**
- **Please note that the Museum contains a pathology collection.** This means that there are human remains on display. We recommend that teachers visit us prior to bringing their class, so that they can decide if they are happy to visit the Museum with their students. Visits to the Museum for teachers considering bringing their students are free.
- **Risk assessment guidelines for a Museum visit can be downloaded from the Museum website.** These include guidance on how to prepare pupils for a visit to a pathology museum.



- **Photography is not permitted of the Museum's collection.** However photographs of students engaging in activities is permitted.

We are a small Museum that prides itself on providing a flexible and engaging learning experience. If you would like to discuss a potential visit, please do not hesitate to contact our Learning Officer Anna Downie on [a.downie@rcsed.ac.uk](mailto:a.downie@rcsed.ac.uk) or 0131 527 1606.