



Chaperone's Guide to a Great Visit

Thank you for chaperoning your student's field trip to The Tampa Bay History Center! Chaperones are critical to the success of any museum visit. Today's field trip features a guided tour, where students will have the opportunity to interact with our knowledgeable docents, as well as a gallery scavenger hunt.

In order to ensure the safety of your students and the success of your visit, we ask the following of all chaperones:

- Remain with your group of students at all times.
- Be an example to your students by modeling good museum manners. Pay attention during the tour, show a willingness to learn, patience, and flexibility.
- Manage student behavior. You can help us by keeping your students focused on the tour and scavenger hunt activity.
- Please silence cell phones and instruct students to do the same. We ask that you refrain from texting, and excuse yourself if you absolutely must take or place a call. Make sure another chaperone from your group is supervising your students if you need to excuse yourself.
- Help us keep our museum clean and in good repair by supervising students in the galleries, restrooms, and at lunch. Make sure students do not eat or drink inside the galleries, and be sure all garbage is disposed of properly after lunch.
- Please stay with and supervise your students in the Museum Store if they would like to browse or purchase something after the tour.

Thank you for your help!