

Art Tour – Still Life (2 hours) School Visit Information

Please read the following information carefully.

Location: Ferens Art Gallery

Duration: 2 hours

All key stages

Cross-curricular links: Art & Design, History, Spoken Language

Art Tour timings

The table below lists timings for our Still Life themed Art Tours, whether you are bringing one or two groups, and then timings for lunches and self-directed time if you booked these via Eventbrite.

If you are bringing two groups, we strongly advise you to book lunches and self-directed time on site unless your groups are arriving and departing from the site separately. Session timings cannot be changed.

Bringing 1 group	Bringing 2 groups	
Arrive at Ferens Art Gallery – 10am	Both groups arrive at Ferens Art Gallery – 10am	
Art Tour (Still Life) at Ferens Art Gallery (10am – 12pm)	Group 1	Group 2
If you have opted for lunch and self-directed time via your Eventbrite booking:	Art Tour (Still Life) at Ferens Art Gallery (10am – 12pm)	Self-directed time at Ferens Art Gallery (10 – 11.30am)
Lunch at Ferens Art Gallery (12 – 12.30pm)	Lunch at Ferens Art Gallery (12 – 12.30pm)	Lunch at Ferens Art Gallery (11.30am – 12pm)
Self-directed time at Ferens Art Gallery (12.30 – 2.30pm*)	Self-directed time at Ferens Art Gallery (12.30 – 2.30pm)	Self-directed time at Ferens Art Gallery (12 – 12.30pm)
*Depart from Ferens Art Gallery – 2.30pm		Art Tour (Still Life) at Ferens Art Gallery (12.30 – 2.30pm)
	Both groups depart from Ferens Art Gallery – 2.30pm	

*Departure times for single groups is not fixed, so if you wish to leave our sites earlier, please liaise with a member of our Front of House team who will be able to support you with accessing your belongings.

Art Tour (Still Life) outline:

- Introduction to the site and setting the scene to the tour and theme of still life
- Guided tour of key artworks (approximately 30-minutes) linked to still life
- For inspiration, a demonstration of an art-based skill – how artists plan a still life drawing
- In groups, using a range of objects and materials to create a still life composition
- Practical art activity to draw the still life composed using a range of art materials
- Plenary and evaluation.

Key Vocabulary

Composition, scale, colour, tone, texture, contemporary, movement, still life, fine art, 2D, 3D.

Post Visit Activity Suggestions

- Create a gallery in school using artworks created linked to your art project in school. Task the pupils with helping to curate the space, including writing individual labels and a collaborative introductory panel.
- Write a biography about an artist whose work you saw on the tour. Aspects of the biography could include writing about their life, their work and influences and other artists who work in the same style.
- Explore how other artists have created still life art works across different art forms and movements.