School Group Leader Agreement

Before your visit, please carefully review and communicate the behavior guidelines and code of conduct with your students and chaperones.

BEHAVIOR GUIDELINES

Stay Safe – Always walk and use an inside voice. Enjoy equipment in a safe way. Respect posted age limits, capacity limits, guardrails or barriers in certain exhibits. All chaperones must wear wristbands that list prearranged experiences. Ask your students to look for a museum staff person if they get separated from the group or need assistance.

Stay Together – Students and chaperones must stay in their assigned group for the entire visit and follow their planned schedule. Students must always remain with their assigned chaperone. Children wishing to shop at the museum gift shop need to be escorted by a chaperone. Ask your students to look for a museum staff person if they get separated from the group.

Clean Up – Keep food and drink (including gum) only in the permitted areas. Food and drink is prohibited in all exhibits, including the OMNIMAX Theater. Place trash in the proper trash/recycling bins. Smoking is not permitted on Cincinnati Museum Center property.

Show Respect – To staff, other guests, exhibits, each other and ourselves. Also, have fun!

CODE OF CONDUCT

PROHIBITED BEHAVIORS

- Any unlawful acts or behavior
- Any act that threatens the safety of our guests or staff
- Any act that threatens the safety of our exhibits or artifacts
- Any act that threatens the well-being of our building and property
- Any act that is disruptive to other patrons
- Any act that hinders our employees in the performance of their duties
- Any act inconsistent with the purpose of this facility, which is to provide education of the public
- In accordance with Ohio Revised Code 3794, smoking is prohibited inside the Union Terminal building

EXAMPLES of specific activities that are prohibited include, but are not limited to:

- The use of profanity, vulgar or threatening language
- The wearing of obscene, vulgar or indecent clothing that is inconsistent with a family friendly environment
- Animals, other than service animals
- Tampering with any museum display, artifact, artwork or property not specifically set aside for that purpose
- The use of drugs or alcohol while on museum property (with the exception of designated events and areas)

Groups who do not follow the behavior guidelines may be asked to leave Cincinnati Museum Center and could have visiting privileges suspended.