

Museum Rules for School Children

We welcome school children, while for security reasons, the following rules are advised to be followed:

- 1) The touching of exhibits is prohibited, such as earthen walls, cooking hearths and other folk items.
- 2) Do not step on the threshold when you enter the house.
- 3) Please take off your shoes when stepping on the wooden or tatami matted (straw mats) floor.
- 4) Do not run or behave unreasonably within the museum.
- 5) Stay away from dangerous areas such as steep slopes and cliffs.
- 6) Eating and drinking is allowed only in the rest areas.

We appreciate it if you could inform your children three minimum rules in the museum, by copying and handing out the simple notice sheet for kids, titled “Things to Care About in the Museum”.

If you have extra chance to talk something about the Japanese culture during your class, please navigate your children to think the reason why they should follow the museum rules. For example, Japanese people are usually taking off their shoes before getting into the rooms in order to keep the floors clean, as they sometimes spread cushions or mattress directly on the floor to sit and sleep, not using chairs and beds.

Do not hesitate to contact us for further information.

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Things to Care About in the Museum

Take off your shoes
when you step onto
the wooden floors
and the straw mats.



Eat and drink at
the rest areas.

Do not touch the
items on display
in the museum.

