

Museum Rules for School Children

We appreciate it if you could inform your children the following rules in the museum.

In the interest of preserving the cultural properties

- ☐ Do not touch the exhibits, including earthen walls, cooking hearths and other folk items.
- ☐ Do not step on the threshold when you enter the house.
- ☐ Please take off your shoes when you step onto the wooden floor or the tatami of those houses which allow you to do so.
- ☐ Eating and drinking is allowed only in the rest areas.



For security reasons

- ☐ Stay away from dangerous areas such as steep slopes and cliffs.
- ☐ Do not run or behave unreasonably within the museum.
- ☐ If an earthquake occurs please remain calm and evacuate to the nearest open area outside of a folk house.

If you have extra chance to talk about the Japanese culture during your class, please navigate your children to think about the reason why they should follow the museum rules. For example, Japanese people usually take 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.

Japan Open-Air Folk House Museum

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