

# **Welcome to the Henry: Visitor Code of Conduct**

This code of conduct acts to ensure all visitors enjoy a safe, respectful, and inspiring museum experience.

## **Safety & Security**

In accordance with Washington State laws, firearms and other weapons are not permitted on museum premises.

## **Respect for All**

Please maintain courteous interactions with museum staff and fellow visitors to foster a welcoming environment. Please follow any instructions from museum staff.

## **Caring for the Art**

We encourage engagement with the art while keeping a safe distance. Please do not touch artworks unless signage clearly invites interaction. Museum staff may provide additional guidelines for specific works.

## **Food, Drinks, & Personal Belongings**

- Food and drinks are not allowed in the galleries.
- Bags smaller than 11" x 15" x 6" are welcome in the galleries. Larger bags, backpacks, skateboards, selfie sticks, umbrellas, and similar items must be stored in lockers.
- Plants, flowers, and other organic materials are not permitted.
- Staff may ask you to check other items if necessary.

## **Sound & Devices**

Please keep the volume on personal devices low or off, and avoid extended phone calls in the galleries to preserve the atmosphere for everyone.

## **Children & Supervision**

Visitors under 15 years old must be accompanied by an adult. Adults are responsible for ensuring children follow these guidelines and enjoy the museum respectfully.

## **Photography**

- Handheld photography for personal, non-commercial use is welcome in most areas.
- Flash photography, tripods, selfie sticks, and monopods are not permitted.
- Some exhibitions may restrict photography; signage will indicate these areas, and staff are happy to assist with any questions.
- Extended photo shoots that disrupt other visitors are not allowed.

## **Animals**

In accordance with Washington State laws, only service animals are allowed in the museum.

## **Free Expression with Respect**

We value the free expression of ideas. However, please ensure your actions and expressions are not disruptive, disrespectful, or threatening to staff, visitors, or artworks. Demonstrations, protests, or other disruptive activities are not permitted inside the museum or on its premises.

*We reserve the right to refuse or revoke admission to anyone who violates this agreement. The safety of our staff and visitors is paramount.*