

The Artemis Collection consists of around 10,000 artefacts and 3,000 original works of art which are available for schools to borrow to support classroom teaching and learning.

Groups of up to 30 pupils can visit us at our warehouse premises in Holbeck, South Leeds and be given a tour and a brief history of the Collection. Working in groups, they will then be allocated an area of the warehouse to explore, from which to select their own historical artefacts. Artefacts will be delivered back to school for you to work with and to use to set up your own in-school museum.

'Curate Your Own Museum' aims to:

- Introduce pupils to the Artemis Collection and basic curating techniques
- Develop an interest in historical artefacts and the ability to research primary sources
- Develop pupils knowledge and understanding of museums and what they offer
- Improve and enhance pupils critical and analytical skills
- Provide schools with a unique and rich resource to inspire learning and act as a stimulus for further exciting cross curricular activity
- Support project based learning in schools

How does it work?

- Session lasts for an hour and a half
- Pupils are shown round Artemis and the Collection
- Pupils are split into smaller groups to make a selection of artefacts and record the reasons for their choices
- Groups then share their choices and their favourite artefact with the rest of the group
- Selected artefacts are delivered to school by our drivers
- School keeps the artefacts until the end of the term

To compliment your work in school, pupils and teachers are encouraged to visit a local museum and study how it operates - think about what sort of museum it is, who is its audience, how does it display the collection, what publicity does it produce, what are the activities that it offers? etc. Advice on this and additional in-school support from Museum staff on how to set up your museum is also available. Please ask for details.

**What is the cost?**

'Curate Your Own Museum' is available at a cost of £120 for Leeds Local Authority schools. This covers the session at Artemis the loan of works and delivery and collection. For academies and schools outside Leeds there is a charge of £245. Delivery and collection is available and costs for this will be negotiated according to distance.

**This offer is available until the end of July 2018**

### HOW TO BOOK

[Leeds for Learning](#) is the online booking system for all Leeds City council delivered workshops and training courses. To book this workshop for your school, please speak to your finance officer as they will have access to your school's Leeds for Learning account [www.leedsforlearning.co.uk](http://www.leedsforlearning.co.uk)

If you have any questions or difficulties booking this workshop, please contact us (details below).

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