

# Nasher Sculpture Center

## Policies for Self-Guided Visits

### Before Your Visit

- ❑ Please inform Erin Frisch at [efrisch@nashersculpturecenter.org](mailto:efrisch@nashersculpturecenter.org) of any **special needs or concerns** your group may have.
- ❑ **The Nasher does NOT have a place for students to eat lunch.** Please make a plan to take students elsewhere to eat. Klyde Warren Park, located on Woodall Rodgers just behind the Nasher, offers open space where students may enjoy their lunches.

### When You Arrive

- ❑ Leave bags, gum, food, water bottles, and other beverages on the bus.
- ❑ Please **have students wait outside** while the group leader enters the Center to check in at the Front Desk. Students should wait on the front sidewalk in a location that **does not block the museum entrance**. Nasher staff will welcome your group and review the rules.
- ❑ Divide students into **equally sized groups of 10 students or fewer** with the appropriate number of chaperones:
  - **One chaperone per 5 students for 1st – 8th grade.**
  - **One chaperone per 10 students for 9th - 12th grade.**
  - Chaperones should be alert and stay with their group. Groups without the proper number of chaperones will be asked to reschedule their visit.
- ❑ Remind students of appropriate museum behavior:
  - **Hands to yourself:** Do not touch the works of art, the walls, or the windows of the museum.
  - **Move carefully:** Please remember to walk, not run, both indoors and outdoors.
  - **Speak respectfully:** Be aware of the volume of your voice. Speak so your group can hear, while being courteous to other visitors sharing your space.
  - **Stick together:** Stay with your group and do not wander away.
  - **Capturing memories:** If you would like to take photos, ask a staff member. Please make sure to turn off the flash.
  - **Drawing and writing:** You may sketch or take notes with a pencil, but the walls and display cases should not be used as a writing surface.

### Please Note

- Group visit time slots are 60 minutes long.
  - If your group arrives late, please be respectful of the schedule and depart at the originally designated time.
  - If your group arrives more than 30 minutes late, your visit will be canceled.
- Student groups who do not follow museum guidelines may be asked to leave the Center.

## Map and Parking

- The Nasher Sculpture Center is located at **2001 Flora Street** in the Dallas Arts District, next to the Dallas Museum of Art.
- Buses may drop off and pick up students at the Flora Street entrance of the Center.  
**Bus parking is available on Harwood Street** along the DMA side of the street between Woodall Rogers and Flora Street.
- Limited underground parking is available after 10 a.m. at the DMA parking garage for a flat rate. (The current cost is \$15 per vehicle.)



## Pre-Visit Resources

We look forward to seeing you at the Nasher! Plan your visit and prepare your students using the resources below. Visit our website: [www.nashersculpturecenter.org/visit/educator-planning](http://www.nashersculpturecenter.org/visit/educator-planning)

- Current exhibition teaching resources
- Art Cards for self-guided visits
- Self-guided visit worksheets
- Guides for teaching with sculpture