Besh Ba Gowah Archaeological Park and Museum

Etiquette and Guidelines for Student Field Trips

All student field trips must be booked in advance. We ask that you give the museum at least 2 weeks’ notice prior to your arrival.

To help make your visit memorable and enjoyable we ask that you follow these guidelines:

- The museum cannot accommodate school groups larger than 60, this includes students and chaperones.
- Provide at least one adult chaperone for every ten students. Unaccompanied students will not be allowed to tour the museum or ruins.
- Teachers and chaperones must stay with their group at all times in all areas and are responsible for maintaining discipline. Meet with your chaperons and discuss their responsibilities before your arrival.
- To protect Besh Ba Gowah’s artifacts and exhibits, we ask that you discuss with students in advance, museum etiquette. Museum Etiquette includes walking, not running; using quiet inside voices; following directions; and the respectful, gentle use of hands-on displays.
- School groups must be respectful of other visitors.
- No food, beverages, gum or candy is allowed in any exhibition area.
- Running within and climbing on the ruins is strictly prohibited.
- All plant life within the gardens and ruins must remain undisturbed. Picking of native plants, fruits or vegetables is prohibited.

If museum staff deems that these guidelines are not being met, your group may be asked to leave. We appreciate your help and understanding for following good museum etiquette and hope you enjoy your visit.