

International Bomber Command Centre

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Schools Information

YOUR VISIT

Visits take place Tuesday-Friday. Fully facilitated visits include a tour of the Exhibition, Spire and Walls of Names, as well as workshop with the Learning Officer.

This takes place between 10am-2pm with a 15 minute snack break in the morning and 45 minutes for lunch.

A self-guided visit includes access to The Spire and Exhibition, timings to be discussed with the Learning Officer.



COSTING

Fully Facilitated visits are priced at £5 a head

Self-Guided visits are priced at £2.50 a head

You will be invoiced after your visit for payment.

Teachers are free on the ratios shown below:

Primary self-led visits: One free teacher for every ten students

Primary Facilitated visits: One free teacher for every six students

Secondary schools, sixth form and colleges: One free teacher for every fifteen students

Universities: One free adult

BOOKING

Please contact the learning officer at learning@internationalbcc.co.uk with a choice of three dates you would like to visit.

She will then be able to check availability and send you a booking form to complete.

Please note- no booking is confirmed until the Learning Officer receives a completed booking form and confirms your booking.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

There is space inside the IBCC to use as a lunch room, weather permitting your group is also welcome to eat outside and play in the grounds.

Parts of the visit will take place outside at The Spire and Walls of Names. Please ensure your group are dressed appropriately.

We advise sensible shoes, as well as sun hats and sun cream in summer and warm clothing in winter.

TRANSPORT

All groups will be met by the Learning Officer, please report to reception on arrival.

COACH: coaches are able to drop off students directly outside the IBCC and park in the car park. There is some funding towards transport costs available through Aviation Heritage Lincolnshire Education. Please see their website for more information.



ADULT SUPERVISION

School staff and supporting adults are responsible for the behavior of students during the visit

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Frequently Asked Questions

What is the maximum number of students per visit?

For a fully facilitated visit we can accommodate up to 60 students. Self-guided visits are capped at a maximum of 30 students per visit.

Larger groups can be spread over two days, i.e year groups with 3 classes or more. This will not affect the total cost of the museum visit as it is charged per student.

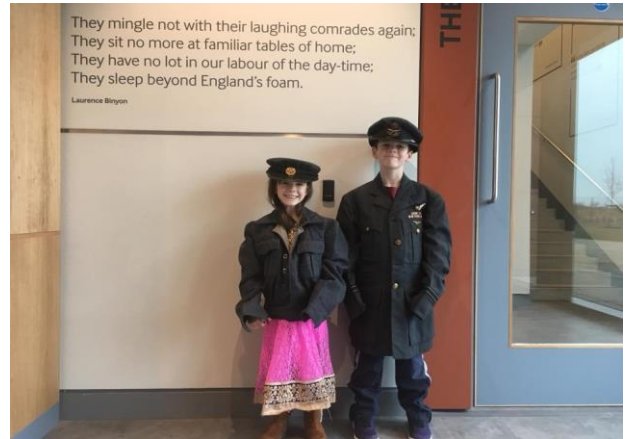
Our School timings don't fit in with your suggested visit times, can we alter them at all?

It may be possible to adjust timings to fit in with your schedule. Please contact the Learning Officer directly.

Is there somewhere to store coats and bags?

You are welcome to leave your coats and bags in the learning room, which will remain locked.

We suggest that you avoid bringing any large or bulky items, unless they are necessary. Please note children will need to be warmly dressed for the Spire Tour, as it can get very chilly up there in winter!



Do you have a Risk Assessment?

Yes, a school risk assessment is available to download on our website.

Are all parts of the Centre accessible to wheelchair users?

The site is suitable for wheelchair users and the centre has disabled toilets and lifts. For those needing additional assistance we do have a number of assistive technology items available for use.

Can we photograph/film the workshop?

There are moments to take photographs during your visit, the Learning Officer will let you know when during the day.

You are welcome to take photographs in the Exhibition.

Filming of the workshop is not permitted.

How can we prepare for our visit?

Please see our pre and post visit resources for a suggestion of activities which will enable you to introduce Bomber Command and the themes of the IBCC to your students.

