Thank you for attending a field trip at the Natural History Museum of Utah! Please inform the students of our expectations before the day of their field trip. We appreciate teacher and chaperone help in supporting these expectations throughout the museum.

NHMU student expectations

During field trips to the Natural History Museum of Utah, we want students to get M.O.R.E. out of their experience. We ask them to:

M: Model museum mode by using quiet voices and displaying calm bodies.
O: Observe using the senses (see, touch, smell, and hear).
R: Respect each other, museum staff and volunteers, the building and collections, and Lead Explorers (chaperones). Be prepared to leave food and drink outside museum galleries.
E: Explore and engage in exhibits while staying with the Lead Explorer.

Minor behaviors

Students and chaperones will be addressed by museum staff for behaviors such as:

- Running
- Rough play
- Loud voices
- Food/gum/drinks in the galleries
- Disruptive behavior
- Non-compliance
- Swearing
- Unchaperoned students
- Throwing things
- Spitting
- Climbing
- Touching exhibits
- Abusive language

Major behaviors

Major behaviors, including the following, will be addressed by museum staff, security, school administration, and others as needed:

- Continual minor behaviors
- Fighting
- Stealing
- Vandalism
- Possession of weapons or illegal substances
- Property damage (including exhibits)

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