Early years for 3 to 6 year olds

All about me!
Explore our pictures of people, dress up and make a mini self-portrait using card, pastels and collage.
This activity supports personal, social and emotional development.

Sensing the seasons: Crunch and crackle
Use all your senses to explore the changing seasons; from looking at our paintings of woodland walks and harvest to touching natural objects and exploring the sounds of autumn. Make a collage hedgehog scene.
This activity supports understanding of the natural world.

Key Stage 1

Plasticine People – sculpture special
Take a lesson with the inventor of Plasticine, William Harbutt. Find out about his life, and his invention of plasticine. Try a range of ways of using Plasticine to make a 3D sculpture. A special session combining History and art.

Autumn in the South West
Explore the autumn landscape looking at our paintings of Britain’s fields and trees. Make a mini-sketchbook and create autumn pictures using pastels and watercolours.

Key Stage 2

Face to Face
Explore identity through pictures of people in our portrait collection and create a mini printed self-portrait using a printing block.

Great Greeks
Investigate and sketch the Parthenon frieze. Explore original Greek objects and find out more about Greek art and architecture. Create a 3D class frieze. Do a full Greek day by joining up with the Holburne Museum as well.

Britain’s Landscapes
See paintings by British artists from the past 300 years. Enjoy paintings of our landscape and culture. Sketch using watercolours and pastels. Experiment with mark making and look at the British landscape in all kinds of weather.

Sculpture special
Explore our special exhibition looking at 20th century sculpture. See the whole process from drawing, to model to finished piece. Sketch in the gallery and create a clay hand sculpture.

Booking information Autumn 2016

All activities must be booked in advance.
For Roman Baths visits please contact Group Bookings on 01225 477785 – romanbaths_bookings@bathnes.gov.uk and fill in a booking form on the website
For Fashion Museum or Victoria Art Gallery visits contact Lindsey on 01225 477757 lindsey_braidley@bathnes.gov.uk

Prices Autumn 2016
Victoria Art Gallery – www.victoria gal.org.uk
Let us know if you are doing Arts Award.
Early years 60 minute sessions £45
KS1 and KS2 activities 90 minute sessions £65

Fashion Museum/Assembly Rooms – www.fashionmuseum.co.uk
90 minute sessions £35 per group (max 35)
Try on our replica Victorian costumes!

Roman Baths – www.romanbaths.co.uk
To help with planning your trip use our teacher pack which can be downloaded from the learning pages of the website and also watch our short film.
Meet the Romans
This 60 minute interactive session explores history, literacy, numeracy and art. It is an opportunity to touch real Roman objects, try the ‘counter’ challenge and ‘take and view’ on the past.

Roman Life
This 60 minute activity session covers general aspects of Roman life. Handle Roman objects choosing from bathing, building and technology or cooking and food. Add 2 choices from ‘togas and tunics’, ‘write on’ or ‘marvellous mosaics’.

Toys of the past
A lively 90 minute explorer session investigating and handling a range of toys from the past. Find out what the toys are made from and how they work.

Key Stage 1
The Clothes we Wear
Discover clothing past and present whilst exploring the Fashion Museum’s special exhibition of the history of fashion. Handle and examine different fabrics and make a T-shirt design.

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Key Stage 2
Investigating Pattern
Follow our trail to investigate pattern in our exhibition. Evaluate how patterns work in textiles and create a new design for an item of clothing. Explore historic patterns, embroidery and modern designs by Worth of Paris, Jean Paul Gaultier, Ralph Lauren, John Galliano, House of McQueen.

Down the Decades
Explore fashion from the 20th Century in our display of Fashion in 100 Objects. Use colour to design a fashion based on your sketches. Choose a decade and make 60s black and white, geometric or 70s zany bright design. See designs by Mary Quant, Jean Muir and Yves St Laurent.

Shoe Special
Explore shoes in our displays and handling collection. See shoes from 1700 to modern Nike trainers. Investigate how shoes are made and reproduce a shoe from a paper pattern. Develop the paper shoe and strengthen the shoe and upper using coloured papers.

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