

SAINT JOSEPH COLLEGE ART GALLERY GUIDELINES FOR VISITORS

Please help us preserve the Art Gallery's collections for future generations by observing the following guidelines.

Please do not touch the works of art.

Even the gentlest touch can damage art by depositing skin oils and other harmful substances!

Please wear your coat or jacket in the gallery or leave it in a locker or on the coat rack in the lobby.

Accidental damage to works of art can occur if you carry garments over your arm. Coat racks are available in the lobby of the Bruyette Athenaeum. Coin-return lockers are located adjacent to the ground-floor restrooms.

Please store oversize items (larger than 8" x 15" x 18") in lockers.

This includes backpacks, large bags, and umbrellas, as well as baby carriers with metal supports. Coin-return lockers are located adjacent to the ground-floor restrooms.

Food and drink are not permitted in the Art Gallery.

Please enjoy refreshments in the Bruyette Athenaeum lobby, where "The Bistro" offers a variety of light food and beverages.

Smoking is not permitted anywhere in the Art Gallery or in the Bruyette Athenaeum.

Please use pencil (not pen) if you wish to take notes in the galleries.

For your convenience, pencils are readily available at the Receptionist's desk.

Please help ensure the safety of other visitors and the collection by not running or engaging in boisterous behavior.

Photographing and videotaping the *permanent collection* is permitted for personal use only. Tripods, supplementary lighting, and photography for professional or commercial use are not permitted without a pass (see the Receptionist for further information). Objects that may not be photographed are labeled "No filming or photography."

Sketching in the Art Gallery is permitted. Adults may use graphite, colored pencils, or conté crayons. Children accompanied by adults may use pencils and colored pencils. You may bring a drawing board measuring up to 24"x 36".

The Art Gallery's Receptionist is here to greet and assist visitors, answer questions, and protect our priceless collection of art. Please let us know how we may help make your visit a pleasant one.