Welcome to the Idaho State Museum!

Museum Etiquette for Students

✓ Use “museum voices”
✓ Walk (don’t run!) and stop to enjoy the artifacts.
✓ Treat the museum with respect, play gently, and don’t touch the artifacts.
✓ Pencil and paper can be used in the museum. Be careful not to make any marks!
✓ Ask for help when you need it or have questions!

USING OUR SENSES AT THE IDAHO STATE MUSEUM

TOUCH
✓ Touch the interactive stream in Origins.
✓ Feel black bear fur and the bighorn sheep horn in Origins.
✓ Spin the postcards in North Idaho.
✓ Sit on the ski lift in Central Idaho.
✓ Turn the Shoshone Falls wheel in South Idaho.

LOOK
✓ Watch the stories of Idaho’s five tribes in Origins.
✓ Experience the Big Burn in North Idaho.
✓ Watch Lonesome Larry’s journey in Central Idaho.
✓ See Geronimo’s drop in South Idaho.
✓ Look at the artifacts in the Syringa Gallery.

LISTEN
✓ Hear the sounds of nature on the Projection wall in Origins.
✓ Listen to the history of Sun Valley in Central Idaho.
✓ Play the music of Gene Harris in the Stories Gallery.
✓ Listen to tribal elders tell their stories in the Stories Gallery.