

**Museum Monkeys events for under 5s**

**Only £4 per session, museum admission applies.**

**Sessions run term time only.**

**Museum Baby (under two years old) Fridays, 10am – 11am**

Special baby sessions linked to exhibitions, including songs and sensory activities for babies and their carers. Sessions are a mixture of free flow and adult led activities which all relate to the early years Curriculum. A perfect introduction to museums!

**Museum Baby**

Yorkshire Museum

**Dinosaurs**

13th January

Bounce on the dinosaur hopper, find the fossils in the sand and feel fossils from the collection.

**Birds**

20th January

Look at taxidermy birds, squeeze the bird toys to hear the bird song and feel the feathers.

**Space**

27th January

Look at the stairs in the dark den and play with the inflatable planets.

**Minibeasts**

3rd February

Play with the inflatable minibeasts and find the minibeasts in the sand.

**Colours in History**

10th February

Look through the coloured windows and colour in the medieval letters.

**Early Years Explorers (two – five years old) Thursdays, 10am – 11am**

Activities for children aged two to five years old which include songs, stories, games and craft activities. Sessions are based on familiar preschool play areas, which are enhanced to help children learn about the museum’ collections and exhibitions through play. Sessions are a mixture of free flow and adult led activities which all relate to the Early Years curriculum.

**Early Years Explorers**

York Art Gallery

**Wood**

12th January

Play with the traditional wooden toys and make some bark rubbing pictures.

**Cloth**

19th January

Make den with cloth materials, play with rag dolls and make a cloth collage.

**Fur & Feathers**

26th January

Investigate the fur and feather sensory area and make a feather picture.

**Clay**

2nd February

Make a clay pot, paint with clay slip and investigate the clay texture area.

**Paper**

9th February

Play in the shredded paper area, make paper dolls and listen to the paper doll story.

**HOW TO BOOK**

Please book sessions using our Eventbrite page, follow this link: <http://tinyurl.com/oh46tnj>

**Bookings open 1st December**

Please Note: If you are unable to attend please cancel your booking to allow others to participate.