



Overview

New collection. Seeing. Searching. Finding (ages 6 to 14), Dorotheergasse 11

A hands-on treasure hunt with things and objects: If you want to see everything and have little time or if you want to see a little bit of everything...

Nighttime at the museum (ages 6 to 10), Dorotheergasse 11

Together we invent cool stories about the museum objects and what they do at night in the museum: Hanukkah candlesticks throw a party, Passover dishes look for new showcases, Besamim boxes for Shabbat dance the tango and a Torah crown even breaks out of the museum. Will it ever come back?

Archeology adventure (ages 6 to 10), Judenplatz 8

Exciting discoveries in the underground museum: What did Vienna look like in the Middle Ages? Where was the synagogue? Why was it destroyed? What do archaeologists do? What did the kids play with in the Middle Ages? Were the teachers stricter in the past? Which meals were actually cooked in the medieval pots? A hands-on expedition into the Middle Ages!

Spelling a museum (ages 10 to 14), Dorotheergasse 11

From Aron Kodesh to zedakah, from Hanukkah to wedding, from the dietary laws to Yom Kippur, from Vienna to Israel, from antisemitism to the founding of a state, from loss to a new beginning – the exhibited objects, found and interpreted by the pupils, tell about all of this (and much more).

#objects (ages 12 to 19), Dorotheergasse 11 and Judenplatz 8

Everyone knows them, almost everyone makes them: selfies. Of ourselves, friends and family members, in funny or special situations, in our city or foreign cities which we travel to as tourists. People and objects are highlighted in the permanent exhibition of the Jewish Museum Vienna! Sigmund Freud, Theodor Herzl or Gustav Mahler, Torah ornaments, Hanukkah candlesticks or simple everyday objects from the Middle Ages – everything goes. We let the objects speak and let their story(-ies) have their say.

What are you actually looking for here? (ages 14 to 19), Dorotheergasse 11 and Judenplatz 8
Margit Dobronyi's photo family allows an intimate look at the history and presence of Vienna's Jewish community. She photographed Jewish life in Vienna from 1960 until the 2000s. The people depicted in her photographs become fictional museum visitors in this program. Pupils take on their roles and look for a favorite object for them in the exhibitions. In this way, an approach to everyday life and tradition, present and past, history and memory and to the institution known as the (Jewish) museum is accomplished.

Best regards from Vienna! (ages 12 and up), Dorotheergasse 11

Tourists often have little time, but they still want to see and experience a lot, and a visit to the Jewish Museum Vienna is also on the program. Our fictional guests come from New York, Gramatneusiedl, Novi Sad, Zurich or other corners of the world. They only have 30 minutes for three floors – but we have a little more time to discuss our guests' impressions. And to send fictional postcards home to them.