

Great North Museum Half Day Itinerary 1		
This will be Group: Great North 1		
Time	Activity/ Venue	Description
9.50-10.00	Drop off at Great North Museum	Coach drop off point- no waiting. Please head to the front entrance to meet a member of the learning team who will sign you in
10.00-12.00	Great North Museum	Which Way North: Within the Great North Museum a portal to another world has opened. Prepare to meet different members of the Great North Museum learning team who will facilitate your journey into the Blazing World. Explore the sea and the stars with northern pioneers in: To the Moon and Back. Uncover some hidden gems in Buried Treasures: In an Octopus's Garden. Delve into flights of fancy, realism and endurance in: Human Machine Motion. Enjoy innovations designed for life and living in: This Kingdom Called Home. Be resolute. Endeavour. Discover. Think. Let's play. Howay, human and journey well! Which way is your North? Are you ready to go?
12.00-12.10	Great North Museum	Coach pick up point- no waiting.

If you are going to be late on the day, have any questions or need to speak to a member of the Great Exhibition schools' team, please call 0191 440 5766 or 07894 238 684.

The Great North Museum: Hancock will be transformed for the Great Exhibition of the North, which means that even if you are very familiar with the museum, it may not look as you expect and you may not be able to use it in the way with which you are familiar.

#### Visit Practicalities

We expect to be very busy. You may wish to consider using high visibility vests and/or visiting in uniform to make sure that your children are easy to spot.

Toilet trips will be complicated except at particular times during the visit. Please try to make sure that all children have visited the toilet before you set out for the museum. If you have children with continence issues, please ensure that you have sufficient additional adult helpers with you to take them away from their group if necessary.

#### During Your Visit

The museum learning team will lead your group and run activities in each of the main galleries. Please ensure that you stay with your group leader – we will be following a particular route through the galleries in order to maximise your access to all the objects and minimise the crossover with other groups. Please help to keep the group together as we move around and undertake activities.

We will not see every single item in the exhibition during your visit. Please make us aware in advance if there is anything in particular which you really want to see