

ArtWrite FAQ

Grades 1 to 12

What is ArtWrite?

Students are invited to investigate the works of art on view as a platform for critical and creative thinking and to explore the Museum's exhibitions as inspiration for writing and design-based activities in the galleries.

What happens on an ArtWrite visit?

Students will view selected works of art, examine the work through discussion, and end their time in the galleries by completing a written or participatory activity.

What is the timeframe?

ArtWrite tours last one and a half hours.

How many students can the Museum accommodate?

The Aldrich can accommodate up to 110 students at a time.

What is the cost?

The cost is \$4 per student. There is no charge for educators, chaperones, and adults accompanying the group.

Can my colleagues and I visit the Museum beforehand to view the exhibitions?

Admission to The Aldrich is free for educators. You may visit the Museum at any time during operating hours. With advance notice, a Museum Educator may be available to meet with you while you browse the galleries.

Are there pre- and post-visit materials I can introduce in my class?

Pre- and post-visit materials can be found in this guide.

My school is in a Title I district; does the Museum provide any funding?

The Aldrich is proud to be a resource for underserved schools. For all Title I *ArtWrite* tours, the Museum waives the per-student fee and offers bus funding.

If my students bring their lunches is there a place where they can eat?

The Studio is available for students to eat lunch with advance notice. Larger groups are asked to stagger their lunch times, or if weather permits, to use our grounds to enjoy lunch outdoors.

Is the Museum wheelchair accessible?

The Aldrich is wheelchair accessible.

