

Events and Venue Hire

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Venue location

Florence Nightingale Museum 2 Lambeth Palace Road London, SE1 7EP

Contact

020 7188 4400 melissa@florence-nightingale.co.uk www.florence-nightingale.co.uk Experience exclusive use of the museum for your event. The museum's position on London's South Bank, opposite the Houses of Parliament, offers an attractive central location.

Giving Back

We are an independent charity, and all profits are reinvested to continue our work to celebrate Florence's legacy and nurses today.







Think Big... What Sorts of Events Can the Florence Nightingale Museum Host?

The Florence Nightingale Museum is the perfect place to host your next event!

When the museum itself is the venue and in an iconic central London location the possibilities are endless!

Here are just a few of the events that have taken place at our venue:

- Retirement Parties, Graduation Receptions
- Reunions
- Ballets
- Book Launches
- Classical Music Concerts
- Work Socials
- Leadership Conferences
- Charity Fundraisers
- Lectures
- Christmas Parties
- Art Workshops

"It was wonderful for guests to have so much to look at in addition to our talks... really pleased with how everything went and will absolutely look at other possible events we could run with you, as we got really great feedback from our guests."

-Previous Feedback

Our venue hire team will work with you to create a memorable event that aligns with your vision. Be sure to reach out with any questions you may have or to see the space in-person.







Receptions

The museum can be exclusively hired for a drink's reception. Guests can enjoy drinks and canapes alongside the wonderful experience of exploring Florence Nightingale's collection and story.

The museum also offers private guided tours to entertain your guests.

If you are looking for a unique central London location the Florence Nightingale Museum provides a perfect setting to entertain.

Capacity

Up to 80 guests

Costs

Full day (10am-5pm) £3,000 +VAT; excl. catering Half day (4 hours) £2,000 +VAT; excl. catering Evening (6.30-10.30pm) £800 +VAT; excl. catering (Special Day Rates For Select Mondays are available)

We offer a £200 room hire discount for staff at Guy's and St. Thomas' Hospital.







Mondays at the Museum

On select Mondays at the museum we are able to offer special day rates.

These rental times are ideal for workshops, lectures, and out of office days. With a variety of options for seating and a projector available for presentations, the space offers a perfect blend of history, charm, and practicality.

Costs

Morning Slots (available before 2:30pm) £650 + VAT; excl. catering Afternoon Sessions (available between 2:30pm - 5:30pm) £550 +VAT; excl. catering

Please note that sessions within the above allotted times are flexible and can be changed based on need. Prices above include up to 3-hour time slots.

Alcoholic beverages can only be served after 5:00pm.





Catering

Catering options are available and can be discussed with a member of our venue hire team. Outside vendors can be hired if they comply with the Florence Nightingale Museums catering requirements.

We also have a well-established relationship with GSTT Catering, located on site premises ensuring timely and tasty service.

For more information, please email melissa@florence-nightingale.co.uk

Alcohol & Drinks:

The Florence Nightingale Museum can provide a selection of drink packages or cash bar including soft-drinks, beer, wines, and mixed cocktails.

A Corkage Fee of £100 will be charged if you would like to bring your own alcohol or order through a separate catering service





Venue Hire Add-On's

Museum Tour - £80.00

This tour is provided by a member of the museum team. The tour guide will tell the story of Florence Nightingale's life and point out significant objects around the museum. The tour will last between 25-30 minutes,.

Florence Nightingale Tour - £140.00

This tour is led by a costumed actor dressed as Florence Nightingale. Nightingale will take the group through the museum, talking about her life and pointing out significant objects. The tour will last between 25-30 minutes.

Performative Florence Nightingale or Mary Seacole Talk - £140.00

A costumed actor dressed as Florence Nightingale or Mary Seacole will talk about her life and interact with the audience. The talk lasts approximately 30 minutes.

Object Handling Session £60.00

This handling session will be conducted by a member of staff. Guest will have the ability to learn about different areas in history, while getting to hold and interact with artifacts from the museum's handling collection.

Wall of Honour

Nightingale Museum Wall of ermanent commemoration and ofessionals who have continued prence Nightingale.

Your charitable donation will help us care for the museum's collection and ensure that future generations have the chance to learn about Please speak to a meml out more.



Important Information

Insurance

If you are using private caterers, musicians or entertainers for your event we will require a copy of their public liability insurance and may also require to copies of any necessary certificates relating to equipment being bought onsite.

Getting here

The Museum is a short walk from Waterloo tube/station and Westminster tube. We are located in the grounds of St Thomas' Hospital (on the corner of Westminster Bridge and Lambeth Palace Road) and you can reach us via the pavement to the hospital car park level.

Parking

Please note that there is no parking available onsite. Other paid parking is available at:

Britannia Parking Upper Marsh, London SE1 7EL

London Waterloo Station Car Park Station Approach Rd, London SE1 8SW Q-Park Westminster Great College St, London SW1P 3RX

We do have availability upon request for parking to drop off equipment.





Accessibility

Our museum is fully accessible. Exhibitions are all laid out on one floor with no stairs on site or leading to the museums. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out. The full accessibility information is available on our website.

Wheelchair Access

The Florence Nightingale Museum is all on ground floor level and is fully wheelchair accessible.

Toilets

The museum has male toilets, female toilets and an accessible toilet. Both male and female toilets include baby change tables.

Assistance Animals

Working guide and assistance animals are welcome at the museum.

Seating

There is permanent bench seating around the gallery and foldable chairs you are welcome to move around with you, please ask a member of staff if you require assistance.

Subtitles

All video content in the gallery is subtitled. Transcriptions of audio are also available at the entrance of the gallery.

Additional Available Resources

-Large Print Guides -Audio Transcriptions -Ear Defenders
 -Blue Text Overlay -Magnifying Glasse s -Sand Timers
 -Wobble Cushions -Fidget Toys -Foldable Chairs -Step Stool



Your support helps us to fund everything that we do!

Which includes:

- -Maintaining the largest collection of Florence Nightingale artifacts
- -Sharing the story of Florence Nightingale and of all nurse's past, present, and future with London and beyond
- -Promoting contributions to healthcare, statistics, activism, and social reforms
- -Creating innovative and engaging learning experiences for people of all ages and backgrounds

Thank You!

Thank you for choosing the Florence Nightingale Museum to host your event. As a registered charity all proceeds from your venue hire help to support our museum, its mission, and collection for generations to come.







