

Classroom in the Legislature Information

The Classroom in the Legislature is a 60-minute, non-partisan, curriculum-based program which includes an interactive lesson and game. Students will learn about the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba, the people who work within it, and our democratic process.

Please read over the following information carefully, as our policies and procedures for groups visiting the Manitoba Legislative Building have changed. The registration form on page 2 can be completed and returned to Education and Outreach Services. You will receive a confirmation email once your registration has been processed.

Entering the Building

Visiting groups are asked to enter the Legislative Building via the West Ramp, located next to the western staircase of the building. Due to the ongoing construction projects, **buses will not be able to enter the building grounds**, but are to drop off/pick up in front of the building via Eastbound Broadway.

Security Screening

Everyone attending the Legislative Building must pass through the security checkpoint at the building entrance. Teachers and adult chaperones will be required to provide identification. All adult chaperones and students will be required to pass through a metal detector.

***Note:** Backpacks are not permitted during your visit to the building. Please leave backpacks and school bags at the school, or on the bus. Any lunch totes or necessary bags will be required to pass through a security screening.

Attendee List

To ensure that all visitors to the building are safe in the event of an emergency, we request that teachers bring with them a list of names of those attending the program, both adults and youth. This form will be used to take attendance by Education and Outreach staff in the event of a fire or other emergency requiring the evacuation of the building. This list will stay with your program facilitator during your visit, and will be destroyed upon your group leaving the Legislative Building.

Tour Program Add-on

Your visit to the Classroom in the Legislature can include a 60-minute tour of our historic Legislative Building. This would be in addition to the 60-minute Classroom program. These programs combined give students an inside look into our historic Legislative Building, as well as giving them an understanding of what takes place within it. If combining these programs, groups may wish to lunch at the Legislative Building, providing a "break" between the two programs.

Lunch

Groups who are participating in both the Classroom and Tour programs can request to lunch in the Pool of the Black Star, an atrium directly below the Rotunda and Dome of the Legislative Building. If lunching here, we ask that all lunches be brought into the building by adult chaperones in large totes or bags to ease the security screening process. Groups will be required to remain in the Pool of the Black Star until collected by a program staff member.



Classroom in the Legislature Registration Form

Teacher Name:

Email Address

Contact phone number

School Name

School Address

Grade level of Students

Number of Students

Number of Adult Chaperones

Would you like to include a tour of the Legislative Building? Yes

Will your group be lunching in the Pool of the Black Star? Yes

I have read and fully understand the information page: Yes

Is there anything else we should be aware of to facilitate your visit?

**Please list 3 dates/times that would work for your visit, in order of preference
Programming available 7:30am-4:00pm Mon-Fri.**

Please allow 60 minutes for each program selected (classroom, tour):

1. Date - Time -

2. Date - Time -

3. Date - Time -

PLEASE NOTE: You will receive an email to the above listed address confirming your booking. As this message will include important information about your visit, please read it over carefully and contact us with any questions or concerns.

**Please send completed registration forms
to: Outreach@mbassembly.ca**

Bus Drop-offs

Due to ongoing construction projects, buses will be unable to enter the Legislative Building Grounds. Therefore, we ask that visitors be dropped off and picked up in front of the building via eastbound Broadway, and make their way across the grounds to the west ramp as illustrated below. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to our office.

