

Academic Standards (Grades 3 – 5)

Visiting our museums will reinforce students' ability to:

Recount stories, including fables, folktales, and myths from diverse cultures

Determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details.

Describe characters in a story (e.g., their traits, motivations, or feelings) and explain how their actions contribute to the sequence of events.

Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and link their comments to the remarks of others.

Articulate their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.

Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker.

Identify the reasons and evidence a speaker provides to support particular points.

Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

Summarize the points a speaker makes and explain how each claim is supported by reasons and evidence.

