



# SCHOOL TOURS PROGRAMME 2021



**30th Oct – 14<sup>th</sup> Nov 2021**

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## About NZ Sculpture OnShore School Tours Programme

NZ Sculpture OnShore is delighted to deliver its School Tours Programme which is designed to inspire young Sculptors and Artists through the world of 3-dimensional art. The Programme offers children and teenagers the opportunity to experience the largest collection of outdoor sculptures in NZ. We hope to encourage children to develop an appreciation of sculpture and expand their own creative talents.

This programme has been developed over the course of NZ Sculpture OnShore's history and now offers eight days of opportunities for Auckland primary, intermediate and high schools to attend. The exhibition is staged on the stunning North Shore clifftop reserve at Fort Takapuna, Devonport.

NZ Sculpture OnShore supports NZ Women's Refuge and since its inception has raised almost \$2 million for the charity. The Friends of Women's Refuge Trust thanks all the schools and students who have contributed to the success of the event.

The School Tours Programme is suitable for Years 3 – 13; whole class, small groups, art extension, gifted and talented, English language students or simply those keen to experience sculpture in an outdoor setting.

Tour sessions are designed to accommodate primary, intermediate and high school groups of all sizes. Groups have access to the outdoor exhibition featuring 100 large scale artworks by established and emerging NZ artists. Groups will also have access to the Schools Exhibition held in the fascinating underground fort. Public access to this unique venue is only permitted once every two years during NZ Sculpture OnShore.

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# Participating Schools

Any schools participating in the 2021 School Tours Programme will be given first right of refusal for participation the Children's Sculpture Exhibition for 2023. Eighteen schools have already been selected from the Auckland region to showcase their work in the 2021 Schools Exhibition.

School groups are welcomed on site by our School Tours team and briefed on how to make the most of their visit.

Education specialists have created a programme which is tailored for varying student age groups. Teachers are provided with comprehensive resources to encourage students to develop their responses to sculpture through interactive and informative activities.

The pack includes suggested activities for pre-visit preparation, on-site discussion and post-visit follow up ideas. Teachers organise and lead their groups around the exhibition.



# Testimonials

"We took our Enrichment Visual Arts group to the 2016 Sculpture Onshore Exhibition and they were absolutely enthralled. The discussion that was had by the children at each and every exhibit was a real privilege to be part of. A very inspirational experience outside of the classroom environment".

Audrey Cadness, Teacher at Sunnynook Primary School.



**Dates:**  
**Tue 2<sup>ND</sup> Nov – Fri 5<sup>th</sup> Nov**  
**&**  
**Tue 9<sup>th</sup> Nov – Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Nov**



***NOTE: The exhibition is closed on Mondays***

There are 2 session times on each week day of the exhibition  
***Start times are 10am and 12pm***



# Booking Information

We invite bookings from schools, educators and student art groups. We are unable to offer individuals access to this programme. Schools sessions are booked on a first come first served basis. Upon receipt of your booking form, NZ Sculpture Onshore will issue you with an invoice. Payment will be required upon receipt of invoice, to secure your session time.

Cancellation Policy: Last minute changes to group numbers and tickets will be accepted up to 2 weeks prior to booking date. Thereafter, all tickets are **non-refundable**. Alternative rain date booking options may be offered to affected schools.



**Cost: \$8 per Student**  
Teachers and parent helper free

**Booking and Ticketing Enquiries:**  
To complete your booking, please visit:  
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