



INSTRUCTIONS

We look forward to welcoming you at Braintree Museum. So you are all prepared, please see below instructions on what to bring so you can complete our Museum Building Trail:

What to Bring

- A print out of this trail.
- Two sharpened pencils (it always useful to have a spare!)
- A rubber.
- A pencil sharpener.
- Something to lean on (a clipboard or strong piece of card if you have it).

Instructions

- Don't forget to book your entry ticket to the Museum online.
- Print of your trail (pages 2-3) using a printer at home. Your trail can be printed in colour or black and white.
- Write your name somewhere on your trail.
- Pack your trail, pencils and rubber etc. Bring them with you when you visit the Museum.
- Have fun exploring!

Please note: staff cannot provide pencils or copies of this trail at the Museum so please remember to bring your own.

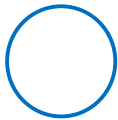
MUSEUM BUILDING TRAIL

Before it became a Museum, this building was used as a school. It was a school for over 120 years (1862-1990).

As you look around the outside of the Museum, see if you can answer the following questions:

1. Across the main part of the building, you can see a shape being repeated (done more than once) in black brick. What shape can you see?

Circles



Squares



Diamonds



Hexagons



2. How many spires can you spot on the Museum roof?

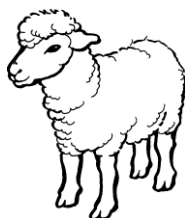
Museum Spire



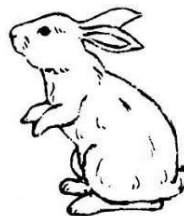
3. Find the stone artwork up high near the Museum shop. The artwork says 'Feed my...?'



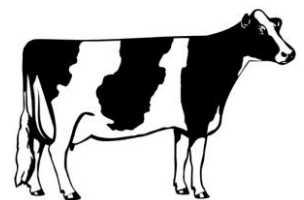
Dogs



Lambs



Rabbits



Cows

4. Find the stone plaque (sign) on one of the Museum walls, how many children could go to the Infants Board School in 1897?



Museum Plaque

I-SPY

Look around the Museum walls and garden, can you find the following items?

Tick off the ones you spot!



Red telephone box



John Ray statue



A chimney



A blue plaque (sign)

Congratulations! You have completed the Museum Building Trail!