



Low Cost/No Cost Family Fun in London

Please look at the organisations' websites to double check times and arrangements

British Museum – Making Masks: Aztecs FREE

Saturday 14th October 10.00am – 4.00pm, suitable for ages 5+

The British Museum, Great Russell Street, WC1B 3DG. Tubes: Tottenham Court Rd, Holborn, Russell Sq, Goodge St
Learn about ancient Aztec masks then use tablets to create your own striking design to reflect your family. You can then print your finished mask to take home and wear. You're advised to [book a free, timed ticket](#) to enter the Museum. The Main entrance is on Great Russell Street. Your timed ticket allows you to explore the permanent collection afterwards.

www.britishmuseum.org/events/making-masks-aztecs

Horniman Museum – Family Craft Saturday – FREE

Saturday 14th October 2pm – 4pm - drop in, last entry 3.30pm

Education Centre, Horniman Museum, 100 London Rd, Forest Hill, SE23 3PQ

Join us for an exciting session to create your own Carnival accessories inspired by Caribbean carnival costumes from our collection to celebrate Black History Month and the contribution Caribbean culture has brought to the UK.

www.horniman.ac.uk/event/saturday-craft-afternoons

Young V&A Museum – FREE

Open every day, 10am – 5.45pm – suitable for all ages - www.vam.ac.uk/young

Cambridge Heath Rd, Bethnal Green, London E2 9PA – Nearest tube: Bethnal Green

Come & spark your creativity at Young V&A – the museum where children, young people and families can imagine, play and design. Be inspired by spaces, explore our collection and get creative. There are three big galleries at Young V&A, called Imagine, Play and Design. There are sometimes exhibitions which may carry an entrance charge.

National Maritime Museum – ‘Discover Sundays’ workshops FREE

Sunday 15th October, 11am – 1.00pm & 2pm – 4pm, free, drop in

Maritime Museum, Romney Rd, Greenwich, London SE10 9NF www.rmg.co.uk/national-maritime-museum

Each Sunday in term time. With a different creative activity each week. Suitable for all ages and abilities

www.rmg.co.uk/whats-on/national-maritime-museum/discover-sundays

Tate Modern – Shadow & Light workshop FREE

Saturday 14th & Sunday 15th October 10.30am – 6.00pm (drop in, last entry 5.15pm)

Tate Modern, Clore Studio, Bankside, SE1 9TG (runs until 18th October) Tube: LondonBridge / Southwark

Engage your senses and unleash your creativity by casting shadows and exploring enchanting light play.

Inspired by our [A World in Common: Contemporary African Photography](#) exhibition, we want you to create dream-like spiritual worlds and imagined futures using immersive light, glowing and translucent objects and mirrored surfaces.

Use torches, lasers and flashlights to create your own unique art that will light up the walls of Tate.

Under 5s can explore light, shadow and reflection through sensory play using accessible projectors and many textures, colours, mirrors and glowing objects. Even tiny changes and movements will light up the walls in a big way.

www.tate.org.uk/whats-on/tate-modern/uniqlo-tate-play/shadow-and-light

National Portrait Gallery – Trailblazers Black History Month tours FREE

Saturday 14th & Sunday 15th October, 3.00pm

Floor 3, Room 18, National Portrait Gallery, St Martin's Place, WC2H 0HE

020 7306 0055/ www.npg.org.uk

Discover key figures from the Gallery's collection this Black History Month. Spaces are limited so please arrive early to avoid disappointment. The tours will start at 3pm and last about 45 minutes.

www.npg.org.uk/whatson/event-root/october/trailblazers-bhm-tour-14102023-1500

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