



Dippy on Tour

A Natural History Adventure



Newcastle
University

UK | Malaysia | Singapore



Housekeeping

- Toilets
- Fire alarms
- WiFi - BTOpenzone
- Photography – you can photograph anything in the museum. Please avoid other visitors, especially children!
- Please can you complete your own photo permission form
- Social media – please do post! @GNM_Hancock
#DippyOnTour #GNMDippySchools

9.30 – 10.00	Introduction – Kate Holden
10.00 – 10.45	How to learn to love nature and not panic about gaps in your knowledge. NHSN – your local experts <i>Clare Freeman and Helen Raper</i>
10.45 – 11.15	Field Notebooks and Archives <i>Kathryn Wharton (GNM)</i>
11.15 – 11.30	Teabreak – please sign up for your afternoon sessions – meet Newcastle University STEM Outreach
11.30 – 12.30	Wildlife Camera Trapping <i>MammalWeb (Durham University)</i>
12.30 – 12.45	Lunchtime Task Setup
12.45 – 1.30	Lunch
1.30 – 2.15	Wildlife recording and running a bioblitz <i>ERIC North East</i>

Breakout Sessions (sign up for two)

2.15 – 3.00 and 3.15 – 4.00

Building and sharing creative outdoor learning activities with the OurPlace app
Open Lab (Newcastle University)

Exhibition Hall 1

Early Years – Talking and Thinking About Nature
Georgina Scott (GNM)

Natural Northumbria gallery

Dippy and Arts Award/Artsmark
Vicki Allen (TWAM)

Clore 1

Northumberland National Park
Rachel Baron and Joanne McKenna

Clore 2

Citizen Science – worm charming!
Sam Levy (GNM)

Outside....meet in Exhibition Hall 1



Dippy's Tour

- Dorset County Museum, 10 February - 7 May 2018
- Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery, 26 May - 9 September 2018
- Ulster Museum, 28 September 2018 - 6 January 2019
- Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum, Glasgow, 22 January - 5 May 2019
- Great North Museum: Hancock, Newcastle upon Tyne, 18 May - 6 October 2019
- National Museum Cardiff, 19 October 2019 - 26 January 2020
- Number One Riverside, Rochdale, 10 February - 28 June 2020
- Norwich Cathedral, 11 July - 31 October 2020

What's it all about?

- 'A Natural History Adventure'
 - (Re)connecting with nature
 - Enthusing the next generation of naturalists – and the current one!
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- Engaging children with the world around them
 - Making it real – real objects, real investigation, real research
 - Taking a cross curricular approach – weaving the natural world across what you do





No one will protect what they don't care about; and no one will care about what they have never experienced



It seems to me that the natural world is the greatest source of excitement; the greatest source of visual beauty, the greatest source of intellectual interest. It is the greatest source of so much in life that makes life worth living.

What's happening?

- Dippy is in Newcastle
18 May – 6 October 2019
- 'Dippy About...' exhibition
- Dippy Schools Programme
 - Monthly challenges
 - Camera trapping
 - Equipment to borrow
 - Research projects to join
 - Training events
 - City Nature Challenge 2019
- Visits
- Events



Lunchtime Activity

- Bioblitzing in the museum....



- Please be back here by 1.30 for the afternoon activities

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- Thankyou for coming today
- Watch out for more information and challenges
- Good luck on your Dippy journey – please let us know what you get up to!

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