

The Shipley Art Gallery Wedding Guide

This fine example of Edwardian architecture houses a variety of beautiful art, design and crafts which would make a stunning backdrop to your celebration. You can choose from one of four rooms for your ceremony. You can also hire the Gallery for your evening reception or wedding breakfast.

Ceremony hire options

Ceremony in Gallery A for up to 120 guests

A stunning setting with original features, wooden floors and grand piano. The Gallery shows a range of temporary exhibitions throughout the year. This stunning Gallery space will create the perfect backdrop to your special day. You will have exclusive use of the Gallery throughout your ceremony. Your hire will include a red carpet, guest chairs, registrar tables and a PA system.

Available Tuesday to Saturday between the times of 11am - 6pm - £600 +VAT

Ceremony in Gallery B for up to 15 guests

This Gallery offers an exhibition of objects from Saltwell Park Museum's collection. This new display will create a unique setting for your ceremony, it features glassware and ceramics, taxidermy, bird eggs, insects, minerals, fossils and geology. This Gallery is suitable for a standing ceremony only. Your hire will include registrar tables and a PA system.

Available Tuesday to Saturday between the times of 11am - 6pm - £250 +VAT

Ceremony in Gallery C for up to 15 guests

A stunning smaller Gallery with original features and wooden floors. The Gallery shows a range of temporary exhibitions throughout the year. This Gallery is suitable for a standing ceremony only. Your hire will include registrar tables and a PA system.

Available Tuesday to Saturday between the times of 11am - 6pm - £250 +VAT

Ceremony in the Shipley Lounge for up to 12 guests

We offer a lovely room with wooden flooring and lots of natural light.

Your hire will include guest chairs, registrar tables and a PA system.

Available Tuesday to Saturday between the times of 11am - 6pm - £300 +VAT

As a guide we suggest that the galleries can be used in the following ways:

Exclusive day and evening hire

Enjoy exclusive hire of the Gallery for your special event from 11am – 11pm.

The Gallery can hold up to 120 for a ceremony followed by an evening reception.

The Gallery can hold up to 50 guests for a ceremony followed by a wedding breakfast, increasing to 120 guests for an evening reception.

Your hire will include a red carpet, guest chairs, registrar tables and a PA system.

Cost of venue hire - £1995 +VAT (only available Tuesday – Saturday)

Exclusive evening hire

You will receive exclusive hire of the Gallery for your special event from 6pm – 11pm.

The Gallery can hold up to 120 guests for an evening reception.

Your hire will include guest chairs, tables and a PA system.

Cost of venue hire - £1500 +VAT (only available Tuesday – Saturday)

Catering

Our approved caterers Sodexo Prestige are currently reviewing their catering offer for The Shipley Art Gallery, however, a bespoke menu can be offered. Please contact us by email for information leann.hay@twmuseums.org.uk

On occasion the venue will consider alternative food suppliers to bring in pre-prepared food. A pre-event site visit will be required before we can agree to your chosen catering company.

For more information please refer to our FAQ guide.

Frequently asked questions

For more information please download copy of our FAQ from our website museumweddings.org.uk/faqs or contact us to request an electronic copy.

Contact information

If you would like to ensure availability, make a provisional booking, arrange a site visit or have any queries then please call: (0191) 277 2152 or email: leann.hay@twmusuems.org.uk

Visit our website: museumweddings.org.uk