



Docents are well trained, highly respected members of The Mini-Time Machine Museum of Miniatures education team, who lead tours for all visitors throughout the year and may participate in other educational activities offered by the Museum. The Museum offers tours throughout the year for visitors including early-childhood, elementary through secondary schools, college classes, community clubs and organizations. School tours are thematic and based on Arizona state curriculum standards. No previous knowledge of miniatures is necessary – however, volunteers with an interest in history, arts and crafts, a genuine desire to learn, and a willingness to share their enthusiasm and enjoyment of miniatures with others are vital!

Docents are imaginative, flexible, eager learners, good listeners. They engage visitors and enjoy talking with the public and the camaraderie of others. A proficiency in foreign languages, especially Spanish, is a plus.

Training:

- Regular Training, Tuesday mornings, September – April
- Observing tours prior to leading a tour is part of the training process

Responsibilities:

- The docent program requires a two year commitment
- Docent are required to become museum members
- Attend monthly training sessions
- Learn one curriculum based tour for *each* curriculum area (art, language arts, mathematics, science and social studies)
- Lead a minimum of 2 tours per month throughout the year (with most tours taking place during the school year.)

Benefits:

Membership benefits plus-

- A comprehensive training program that supports lifelong learning
- Docent handbook
- Annual field trip
- Discounts/free lectures and programs
- Annual recognition luncheon

The Mini-Time Machine Museum of Miniatures is located in central Tucson on the north side of Camp Lowell Dr. just west of Swan Rd.

Museum hours are: Tuesday– Saturday, 9:00 – 4:00; Closed Sunday, Monday and Holidays.
The Mini-Time Machine Museum of Miniatures is handicap accessible.

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