

Wheelchair Accessibility at the ADM

Overview:

The Alfred Denny Museum is **Partially** Wheelchair accessible.

Within the building there are 4 lifts which provide access to the museum and accompanying displays. All toilet facilities include an accessible toilet cubicle. The closest toilets to the museum are the C floor toilets (female) and D floor toilets (male). There are also gender neutral toilets on A floor.

External access:



There is step free access to the Main entrance on the corner of the building.

Currently there is scaffolding up around the Alfred Denny building limiting access from the south side due to steps on the pavement. We recommend entering the building from the Art's Tower carpark or the pelican crossing instead of using the underpass in front of the students union.



Internal access:

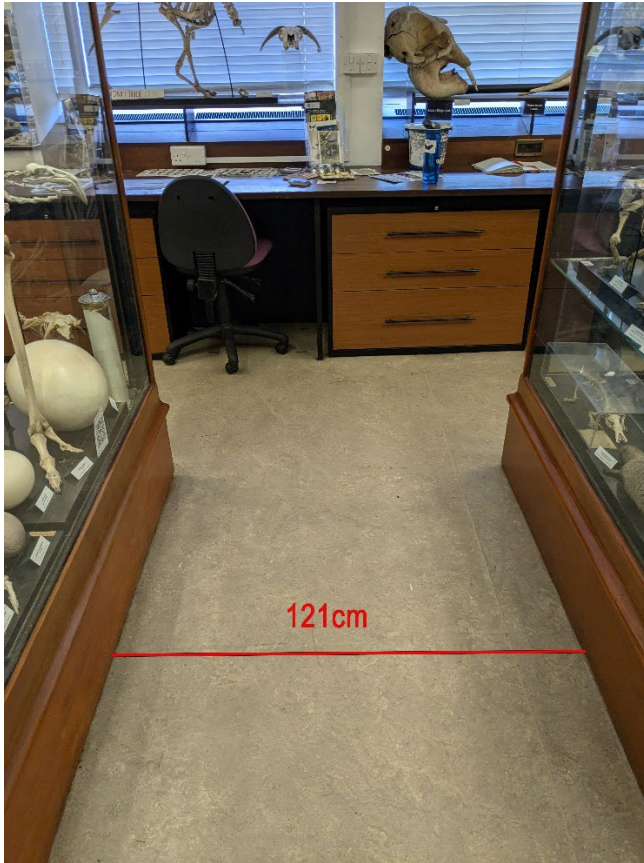
The entrance to the building, corridors and external displays are wide enough to comfortably accommodate a wheelchair.

Within the museum there are some spaces too narrow for wheelchairs to pass through (immediate left and right walkways by museum entrance). However, there is space to move around the rest of the museum via other routes which can get to the same points.

Below are photos of the spaces in the museum with measurements:



Entrance to the museum with both doors open



Central gangway opposite the entrance



Outer gangway around central cabinets



Gangway left of museum entrance - the narrowest point in the museum



Gangway right of museum entrance



Space between central cabinets



Far left gangway between central cabinet and wall



Far right gangway between central cabinet and wall

Additional:

Chairs can be removed from the museum in advance to reduce additional obstacles to movement by increasing space in the gangways.

There is a [virtual reality tour](#) of the museum with inbuilt measuring feature which can be used to plan the best routes around the museum in advance.

We may be able to offer places on tours with reduced numbers or private tours. To enquire about this email emma.hughes@sheffield.ac.uk

For more information about accessibility in the Alfred Denny Building/Museum visit the buildings [AccessAble Guide](#).