Easy Read Guide for Digital Culture Accessibility Study Participation
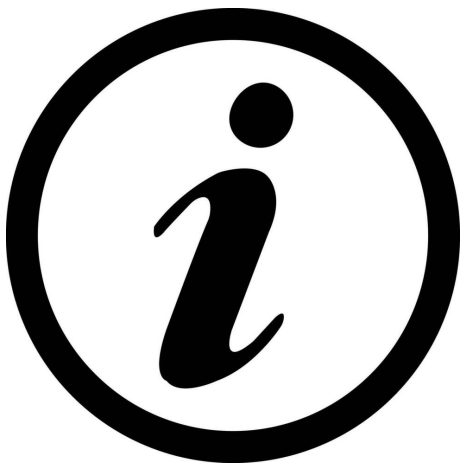
What is the study about?

This study explores how autistic adults feel about museum digital culture, virtual reality (VR), and augmented reality (AR) experiences.

It looks at how to make these experiences better by removing neurotypical bias and collaborating with austic adults.

Who is involved?

Shelby Navone, a PhD researcher at the University of Leicester, created this study.

Autistic people also helped design this study to make sure it meets their needs.

What will I do?

Visit the Jewry Wall Museum in Leiceser to try out the new multi-media Roman history exhibition with Shelby.

Share your feedback within a week by video call or online written questionnaire.

What do I get?

You will be paid £30 for your time and feedback.

How can I prepare?

Shelby will email you a Visual Story before your visit. This document tells you everything to expect at the museum.
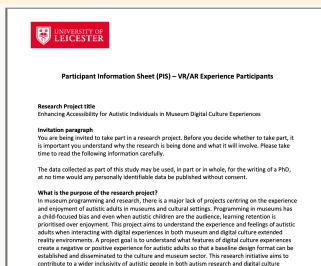
Watch a short video guide of the museum to see what it looks like and learn what to expect.

Watch a full walkthrough video of the museum with ambient sounds to see and hear what to expect.

Schedule an optional call with Shelby to ask questions and get to know her.

Read the Participant Information Sheet if you want to.

Why is this important?

Most museum programming and research focus on autistic children, but this project is about autistic adults.

Most digital culture experiences are designed for neurotypical people. This project aims to make them enjoyable for autistic people too.

Autistic people are rarely included in designing programs for them. This project makes sure their voices are heard to improve access for everyone.

How do I sign up? (PICK ONE)

Fill out the form here: Participant Interest Form

Email Shelby to say you're interested: snn9@le.ac.uk

Contact Shelby using any option on this page: Contact Page

This Easy Read Guide was made for
Shelby Navone's PhD project on
Digital Culture Accessibility.

It has been reviewed and approved by a focus
group made of autistic members. If you have
feedback, please contact Shelby!

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