

Free entry ticket

to the Main Museum Complex or one of the exhibition complexes – the General Staff Building, Menshikov Palace, Winter Palace of Peter the Great, the Museum of the Imperial Porcelain Factory, the Staraya Derevnya Restoration and Storage Centre for the following citizens:

- pensioners (Russian citizens);
- preschool children and school children (regardless of nationality);
- students (regardless of nationality);
- students of educational institutions which train specialists of middle ranking (citizens under the age of 18 years old);
- cadets of educational institutions of the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Russian Federation, the Federal Security Service of the Russian Federation, and the Ministry of Emergency Situations of Russia;
- Heroes of the Soviet Union;
- Heroes of the Russian Federation;
- Full Cavaliers of the Order of Labour Glory;
- Heroes of Socialist Labour;
- Veterans of the Great Patriotic War;
- disabled people from the Great Patriotic War;
- those awarded the Medal for the Defence of Leningrad or Resident of Leningrad under Siege;
- former non-adult prisoners of concentration camps, ghettos and other locations of forced detention by Axis forces during World War II;
- people with disabilities (categories 1 and 2) (Russian citizens);
- disabled people in wheelchairs with one accompanying person;
- large families (Russian citizens);
- military conscripts (Russian citizens);
- workers from Russian museums;
- members from creative organisations: painters, architects and designers;
- members of the International Council of Museums (ICOM)

Free entry tickets (except those for children of preschool and school ages) are provided only if the appropriate documents confirming one's right to free entrance is shown.