We are going to visit a museum and a very old ship called the SS Great Britain.

We will learn about the ship and have fun exploring.
When we arrive

We will arrive at the car park. First, we will walk to the entrance.

Then we might need to wait for a few minutes by the big gates. Someone might meet us and welcome us to the SS Great Britain.
When we go in

First, we will go through the entrance.
Then it will be time to listen to some important things to help with our visit.
We will need to go outside and walk around the ship.
Then we might put our bags in a bag store.

There might be lots of people visiting so we need to stay with our helpers.
People who can help us

They wear uniforms like these. They also wear a badge.
Useful places

Toilets

Stairs

Lift

In different parts of the museum and ship these will look different.

If we hear a loud alarm it is time to stand still, quietly and calmly, until someone tells us what to do and where to go.
Places we might see or go to

Great Western Dockyard

Dockyard Museum

Ship

Dry Dock
Some places might be light and open.

Other parts might be dark and narrow.

There are pretend people to help us imagine we are in the past.

We might hear pretend people talking and smell unusual smells.
When it is time to go back to school

We will leave together by walking through the shop.

Then we will walk to the bus in the car park.

Then the bus will take us back to school.
To discuss specific access or educational needs please call 0117 926 0680 and ask to speak to the Education Team.

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