

Fees for Whitechapel Gallery Archive Services, 2025-2026

The following sets out the standard fees for services offered by the Whitechapel Gallery Archive. The Archive Team reserves the right to waive or increase the fees of services depending on the nature of enquiry.

If applicable, postage & packing and VAT is charged additionally.

For services not covered below, please contact the archivist at archive directly for an individual quote.

Request for any of the services below might also be rejected due to copyright or conservation reasons.

Reproduction Fee for Images or Documents

We charge licensing the following to reproduce archival materials per copy and per instance of usage:

- For commercial use - £325
- For exhibitions and publications - £50
- For non-commercial use other than exhibitions and publications - £25

Digital Copies of Images or Documents - A4 or smaller

We charge the following to produce the following:

- Low-resolution unedited scan - £18
- High-resolution edited scan - £50

Digital Copies of Images or Documents - larger than A4

Individual quotes to be obtained.

Remote Search Service

If you are unable to undertake your research yourself, our archivist can undertake the research on your behalf:

- First 20 minutes - waived
- Fee per hour after - £60

We are only able to search for details of people, exhibitions, subjects and places within **specific** range of records as identified on our online catalogue.

Loan Fee

Applies to all items on external loan:

- £50 per item
- Cost of insurance for the item

Damaged items are only offered for loan if your organisation covers conservation costs.

Text

Fees starting at £25 apply for extensive textual quotes from:

- Whitechapel Gallery publications
- Interview (text or audio-visual) commissioned by Whitechapel Gallery
- Artistic work commissioned by Whitechapel Gallery

For example, a complete interview commissioned by Whitechapel Gallery can be licensed at £50. Please obtain an individual quote from the Archivist.

Licensing fee for reproductions of catalogue pages, or pages of text from Whitechapel Gallery Publications are the same as Digital Copies of Image or Documents (A4 or smaller).

Audio-visual Recordings Reproductions

Limited audio-visual recordings are available for licensing. We charge the following to reproduce per 30 seconds of archival recording. The standard licence term is 5 years.

These fees are for the UK only. For world rights, the fee is double the UK fee.

For commercial use:

- one transmission: £90
- unlimited broadcasts, 5-year term: £120
- unlimited broadcasts, 10-year term: £350
- unlimited broadcasts, in perpetuity: £500

For non-commercial use:

- one transmission: £45
- unlimited broadcasts, 5-year term: £60
- unlimited broadcasts, 10-year term: £175
- unlimited broadcasts, in perpetuity: £250