

#### **East Grinstead Museum**

### **Copyright Policy**

#### Introduction

East Grinstead Museum (EGM) wishes to encourage the dissemination and use of information about its collection and expertise that it publishes on its website, publications, exhibitions and within the Museum itself. It has a large collection of images and original items that it wishes, where possible, to make available and accessible to all.

It does this via displays and through its collection catalogue, both available at the Museum. It also publishes articles on its website and via its online catalogue, which is supported through a plugin purchased from Modes Users Association. Its collections are constantly evolving and it tries to exhibit them in as relevant a way as possible to contemporary audiences.

## Copyright

EGM is committed to respecting copyright and other intellectual property rights. It makes every effort to protect EGM's copyright as well as pay attention to copyright in any third party material, so that it can use and promote its assets fully and safeguard its collections to enrich people's understanding of the past.

EGM supports and encourages public access to its collection by offering a protected collections catalogue, which is provided via a Modes Complete Plugin. The images within this catalogue can be accessed and are provided in a low quality format.

For all copyright queries, please contact enquiries@eastgrinsteadmuseum.org.uk

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By third parties disclosing personal information to EGM using its website, via its publications, e-communication, printed material or over the telephone, they consent to the collection, storage and processing of personal information by EGM.

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- 13. The image(s) will not be released until receipt of a signed agreement.
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- 15. Payment must be paid by cheque, cash or bank transfer (please note, EGM is unable to accept payments by other methods including by credit card).
- 16. No variation of the Terms and Conditions set out herein shall be effective unless agreed in writing by both parties.

# Appendix 2: Image Reproductions - Fees

Type of Use	Cost per image
Non commercial use	
Individuals – for personal, educational or research purposes	£5
Non profit making organisations (schools, charities, clubs etc) – for educational or research use	£5
Commercial use	
Non profit making organisations (schools, charities, clubs etc)	£10
Leaflets	£10
Books (including podcasts and e-books)	
- front cover - inner page	£50 £25
Newspapers and magazines - local - regional - national - international	£10 £25 £50 £100
Television (including cable, digital, satellite, terrestrial and web streaming/on-demand) - regional - national - worldwide and retail (DVD, Blu Ray etc)	£25 £50 £100
Other commercial uses (websites, digital magazines, cards, displays etc) - one off use - local/regional - one off use - other - multiple use	£25 £50 Negotiable

- Images are available on photographic paper and CD or can be emailed. Postage charged at cost.
- Fees are effective from 1 January 2018 and are inclusive of VAT.
- Discounts for commercial use: first 5 £25, next 5 £20, next 10 £15, 21+ £10, use same ratio for other amounts ie 0-5 £50, 6-10 £40.
- Only the Museum Co-ordinator and the Collections Officer can agree any variation in these charges