

# More in Common

Do you believe that we can live together in a multicultural society without labels? Are you looking for a space to meet a diverse range of people?

Be part of a group getting together at People's History Museum every fortnight to **meet**, **discuss**, **and explore** what you have in common. You can choose what you want to do and how you will spend the time together.



# 1. Check if you can commit to (most of) the sessions, choose Group A or Group B

Group A	Group B
Wed 8 Jan 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 13 Jan 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 22 Jan 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 27 Jan 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 12 Feb 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 10 Feb 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 26 Feb 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 24 Feb 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 11 Mar 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 9 Mar 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 25 Mar 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 23 Mar 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 8 Apr 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 6 Apr 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 22 Apr 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 20 Apr 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 6 May 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 4 May 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 20 May 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 18 May 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 3 Jun 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 1 Jun 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Wed 17 Jun 2020, 10.30am – 1.00pm	Mon 15 Jun 2020, 6.00pm – 8.30pm

### 2. Sign up

If you're interested in getting involved, please fill in a short online application form at phm.org.uk/collaborations or get in touch with Abir Tobji on abir.tobji@phm.org.uk or 0161 838 9190 by Sunday 22 December 2019.

#### 3. Wait for our response

We will review the applications and get back to you on Monday 23 December 2019.

#### **Useful information for participants**



Refreshments will be provided during the sessions. Let us know if you have any dietary requirements.

Our premises are fully accessible. Let us know if you have any additional support needs.





We can cover your travel expenses. Let us know if this is required for you to participate.

We will offer a crèche service for under 5s (or older in special circumstances) for **Group A** participants.





We cannot offer interepretation but this is a great opportunity to improve your English if you are learning.

For any enquiries about the project, please contact Abir Tobji on abir.tobji@phm.org.uk or call 0161 838 9190

### About the More in Common project

People's History Museum (PHM) is the national museum of democracy, telling the story of its development in Britain: past, present, and future. The museum provides opportunities for all people to learn about, be inspired by and get involved in ideas worth fighting for; ideas such as equality, social justice, co-operation, and a fair world for all.

PHM offers a powerful programme with annual themes; the More in Common project is part of PHM's year long programme for 2020 exploring migration. Examining what the ethos of 'more in common' means to multicultural Britain today and within the context of Brexit is a major strand of PHM's focus upon migration. Inspired by the legacy of murdered MP Jo Cox (16 June 2016), the creation of a social space is at the heart of the More in Common project. This will be a dedicated area of the museum designed for special one off events and community use, along with regular gatherings that will be managed by participants in the project; people from migrant and non-migrant communities in Greater Manchester who will work together, share knowledge and exchange ideas around the notion of 'more in common'.

More in Common will culminate in an exhibition from the participants in the project that will open in summer 2020, to coincide with activities marking the fourth anniversary of Jo Cox's murder and the Great Get Together weekend.

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