

Introduction to Packing Collections – additional resources

The following list of resources was compiled in October 2021 to support the MDEM training film *Introduction to Packing Collections*:

[Introduction to storage and display materials](#) (Museums Galleries Scotland)

[Creating and improving stores](#) (Museums Galleries Scotland)

In 2006, Wiltshire County Council Conservation Service prepared a factsheet on '[Materials for storage and display](#)'. The factsheet includes a table which showed storage and display materials to avoid and suggested acceptable substitutes.

In these YouTube videos, Professor Jane Henderson from the University of Cardiff clearly demonstrates basic packing techniques:

- [making tissue puffs](#)
- [packing a box](#)
- [making tissue sausages](#)

Museum of London e-learning tool [Packing museum objects for storage](#)

Museum of London e-learning tool [Packing museum objects for moving](#)

['Packing museum objects – A Collections Care How to Guide'](#) (SHARE Museums East)

This resource from South East Museum Development gives step by step instructions for [making tissue puffs and sausages](#)

[An Illustrated Guide to the Care of Costume and Textile Collections](#) is a very useful resource produced by the Museums & Galleries Commission in 2000.