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Elementary
School Tours



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Heritage Village



HERITAGE VILLAGE is a pioneer village museum representative of a Lower Mainland street in the period 1890 to 1925. There are an interesting variety of displays to captivate imaginations and to stimulate memories. Displays include a House, School, Pharmacy, Auto Shop, Log Cabin, Blacksmith, Bank, Print Shop, Chinese Herbalist, Ice Cream Parlour, Church and others. Many exhibits are functional and all offer the visitor a fascinating and authentic glimpse into the past.

An interesting and educational school tour programme is available for Elementary School students. Trained volunteers, in period costume, guide students on tours into the era of their grandparents. They are people eager to explain displays, answer questions, and allow students to participate in some "old-time" activities. The tours offer students a rare and valuable opportunity to augment their classroom education with vivid experiences. Concepts of heritage, awareness of the past and an appreciation of History will be some of the tangible results of this enjoyable and educational field trip.

WE HEARTILY INVITE YOUR SCHOOL TO PARTICIPATE!

This is an excellent opportunity. PLEASE book early to avoid disappointment.

Child's World



A Child's World Tour provides an introduction to museums, artifacts and History for the younger elementary students. The programme is designed to look at daily life at the turn of the Century from a child's point of view. By incorporating activities in an old-fashioned school room, participation in routine chores in the log cabin, handling of toys and games typical of the period and a visit to the General Store and Dress Shop to see clothing and shopping facilities, the students will gain a more relevant appreciation of life 67 years ago.

The "good old days" of our grandparents' childhood become an immediate experience for the present-day student. Participation in "A Child's World" of 1910 is an experience which remains for a long time after in the memory of the younger student. This is an exceptionally worthwhile tour!

TUESDAYS 10 am to 11:30 am
 1 pm to 2:30 pm

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED FOR GRADES 2 AND 3



General Tour

The General Tour gives students a fascinating look at Village life in the early TWENTIETH CENTURY. Themes such as life-styles, health care, transportation and merchandising are discussed and illustrated throughout the tour. The students visit the School, General Store, Pharmacy, Dress Shop, Auto Shop, Print, Tram and Homes representative of the period.

Students will be encouraged by their guides to compare village life at the turn of the Century to present-day life and to examine the ways in which HERITAGE VILLAGE creates an old-fashioned atmosphere. A combination of participation in old-time activities and a walk along the street and through the buildings of yesteryear will make a lasting impression and will provide a memorable stimulant to the enjoyment of local History. The General Tour is an excellent introduction to the idea of Heritage.

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MONDAYS 10 am to 11:30 am

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED FOR GRADES 3 TO 7



Hot and Cold

This tour offers an experience which effectively illustrates life before central heating, refrigeration, and modern lighting. The students will consider the problems of lighting and heating homes, cooling food and functioning in an era when electricity was unheard of. They will participate in a variety of activities such as lighting kerosene lamps, helping to prepare a wood stove fire, investigating the use of ice boxes, and doing laundry the old-fashioned way. First-hand involvement enables the students to relate to how society functioned before push-button technology entered the home.

Developments in lighting and heating will be presented so that students can appreciate the advances and improvements in technology. Involvement through the handling of artifacts makes this tour a truly memorable and educational experience!

◆ **KIT PRESENTATION AT YOUR SCHOOL.** *In order to prepare the pupils and to introduce the subject, a volunteer will present a short slide show and discuss some of the artifacts which students will become familiar with on the tour. The KIT will be presented the week prior to the tour and there will be an additional charge to cover the expense of travel and presentation.*

The school will PLEASE provide a slide projector and screen.

WEDNESDAYS 10 am to 11:30 am
 1 pm to 2:30 pm

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED FOR GRADES 4 AND 5