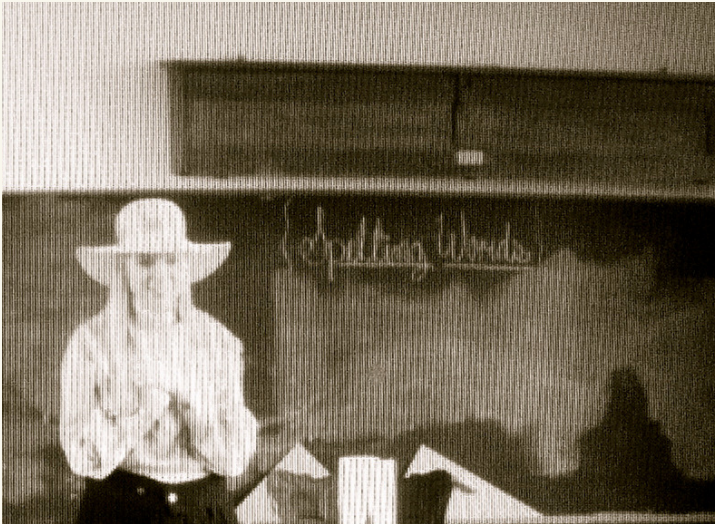




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TEACHER GUIDE

2019-2020

LOCATED ON HIGHWAY #39 WEST
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ABOUT US

SERVING THE COMMUNITY ALL YEAR ROUND

Who We Are

The Souris Valley Museum provides visitors and residents of Estevan and are with an engaging depiction of the socio-cultural influences and economic development of Southeast Saskatchewan through the collection, preservation, exhibition, images, documents and stories significant to the region.

What You Need To Know

All education programs include a Museum tour and there are a variety of activities for teachers to choose from to best reflect their curricular outcomes and students capabilities. All of the programs introduce students to Museum's exhibits and important activities and practices of historic life in Southeast Saskatchewan,

Hours of Operation & Fees

Teachers are welcome to book a class tour Monday to Friday between 9 am to 5 pm.

The fee for school programs had a base rate of \$1.00 to \$3.00 per student, depending on the program. Teachers and chaperones are required, at no cost. One adult must be present for every ten students.

How To Book

Teachers who are interested in booking their class for a tour at the Souris Valley Museum can do so by contacting the Museum at 306.634.5543 or info@sourisvalleymuseum.ca.

Location

The Souris Valley Museum is located on Highway #39 West, approximately 1 km outside the City of Estevan. We are located beside Redhead Equipment and adjacent to the Heritage Mining Display Centre.

PROGRAMS OFFERED

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Dinosaurs | Grades: Pre-K | Cost: \$2 per student

During this program students will have the opportunity to learn about the dinosaurs that roamed the earth. Students will have a chance to explore the Museum and see our dinosaur egg. Working together with their families, students will create a dinosaur craft that they can take home with them.

On The Farm | Grades: Pre-K, K | Cost: \$2 per student

Working and helping on the farm was a way of life for young children. During this program students will learn about the life of Pioneer children and how they helped on the farm. At the end of the tour children will have a chance to make their very own butter.

A Pioneer Life | Grades: 1, 2, 3, 4 | Cost: \$1-\$2 per student

Learn about the Pioneer Life. Students will have a chance to explore the Museum and learn about the early settlers. Included in this program is a tour and a choice of seven different activities: Schoolhouse Mock School Day, a Scavenger Hunt, Historical Games, Rope Making, Fortune Teller Craft, Ice Cream Making and Butter Making.

The Story of Soil | Grades: 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 | Cost: \$3 per student

Students will have a chance to learn about soil at the Museum. Classes will go on a tour of the Museum and learn about our archaeological collection. Once the tour is completed class will then participate in a mini archaeological dig and also learn about how soil was important to Indigenous Peoples.

Discovering Indigenous Culture | Grades: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 | Cost: \$1 per student

This program will allow students to learn more about Aboriginal culture and history. Students will explore Indigenous way of knowing and learning through storytelling, discussion and playing traditional games. Students will also have a chance to learn more about Indigenous culture by visiting the Museum's Indigenous Display that features hand tools, spear heads and traditional clothing.

Can't Find What You Are Looking For?

The Souris Valley Museum would love to hear from teachers if they cannot find a program that fits the needs of their class. Working with the teacher, the Museum can customize or make a new program that follows their class schedule better. For more information please contact the Museum at 306.634.5543.



SPECIAL PROGRAMS

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Metis Culture Day | September XX, 2019 | Grades: K, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

The Souris Valley Museum and the Metis Federation have partnered to teach students all about the Metis culture. Metis Culture Day will allow students to learn about a group of people who help shape Canada in what it is today. Students will participate in four different stations that will feature:.

Teachers will have the option of choosing either the morning or afternoon session. The morning session will run from 9:30 am to 11:30 am and the afternoon session will run from 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm. A fee of \$2 per student applies; 2 chaperones for every 15 students is required, at no charge. Spaces are limited, register your class as soon as possible.

Heritage Day | June 4, 2020 | Grades: K, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

Take a trip back into history! Heritage Day will allow students to take part in some fun activities and learn about how life was lived over a century ago. Students will participate in a schoolhouse re-enactment, activities and have a relaxing carriage ride. Each year there will be new activities for students.

Teachers will have the option of choosing either the morning or afternoon session. The morning session will run from 9:30 am to 11:30 am and the afternoon session will run from 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm. A fee of \$2 per student applies; 2 chaperones for every 15 students is required, at no charge. Spaces are limited, register your class as soon as possible.

