

Bring your class to the Farmland Museum and Denny Abbey!

We welcome morning and afternoon visits; and even whole day trips. Teachers have various options for their visits:

- A general visit without the museum's input
- A general visit plus use one or more handling boxes
- Book one or more activity sessions with the museum team (maximum of 4)

You could choose to 'have a go' at:

- Maypole Dancing
 - Pond Dipping
 - Medieval Writing
 - Tudor Dancing
- or make something e.g.:
- A Medieval Tile
 - A Rag Rug Sample
 - A Bird Scarer
 - A Butterfly

HOMES FROM THE PAST

Possible Activities:

- * Washday
- * Shopping
- * Making Cottage cheese
- * Handling objects
- * School from the past
- * Visit to the 40s cottage

Curriculum links:

KS1: Changes within living history.
KS2: A local history study
KS1: Use discussion in order to learn, explain clearly their understanding

DISCOVERING THE PAST BY

Possible Activities:

- * Digging
- * Deciphering
- * Deducing
- * Organising
- * Interpreting
- * Reconstitution

Curriculum links:

KS1: Changes within living history.
KS2: A local history study
KS3: The development of Church, state and society in Medieval Britain

FARMING & FENS

Possible Activities:

- * Seed to shelf
- * Farming machinery
- * Making flour
- * Handling objects
- * Drainage debate
- * Visit to the 40s cottage

Curriculum links:

KS1: Changes within living history.
KS1: Use discussion in order to learn, explain clearly their understanding
KS1: Changes in farming and plants across the four seasons
KS2: Participate in debate

WWII

Possible Activities:

- * Farming machinery
- * Wartime cooking
- * Handling objects
- * Shopping/ Rations
- * Visit to the 40s cottage

Curriculum links:

KS2: A local history study

We also offer:

- Tudors
- Abbey Life
- Country Crafts
- Archaeology
- Toys of the Past

OUTREACH

Outreach sessions provide an unique opportunity for the children to handle real artefacts in their own environment. This give them a deeper understanding of what it was like to live in the past by looking at the personal history behind the objects. We offer 45min sessions about:

- * Farming
- * Fenland

- * Toys from the past
- * Homes from the past
- * Washday

COST TO VISIT US:

Price per child varies according to what you'd like to do: -

- minimum charge £3
- maximum charge £5

Teachers/ helpers - free
 Teachers' pre-visit - free

OUTREACH:

£35 per class + mileage of 45p per mile

For more information or to book call 01223 860988 or email: info@farmlandmuseum.org.uk

