



# Education at the Farmland Museum



# Key Stage 1 and 2

You are welcome to book a self-led visit to the Farmland Museum and Denny Abbey, however, we have lots of educational activities you can enjoy on your school trip!

We have different education visit packages for you to choose from, designed to align with the curriculum.

We recommend spending the whole day with us, enjoying lots of activities! However, if you have any requests or would like to change anything in one of our packages, please contact us.

## Farming in the Fens

- A. Seed to shelf activity
- B. Fenland farming handling box
- C. Pinwheel bird scarer craft
- D. Self-guided tour

## Medieval Day

- A. Herbs and humours activity
- B. Medieval handling box
- C. Illuminated manuscript craft
- D. Self-guided tour



## **Tudor Day**

- A. Tudor tile-making activity
- B. Tudor handling box
- C. Pomander craft
- D. Self-guided tour

## **Victorian Day**

- A. Washday / cottage cheese activity
- B. Toys from the past handling box
- C. Rag rug craft
- D. Self-guided tour

## **World War II Day**

- A. Shopping and rationing activity
- B. WWII handling box
- C. Medal craft
- D. Self-guided tour

## **Curriculum Links**

### *Key Stage 1:*

- Changes within living history.
- Use discussion in order to learn, explain clearly their understanding.

### *Key Stage 2:*

- A local history study.
- Establishing clear narratives within and across the periods they study.
- Understand how our knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of sources.

# Key Stage 3

We can provide Key Stage 3 Education visits on request, developing a programme to suit your needs.

Our site can provide an excellent source for learning about various subjects on the curriculum, primarily:

- The development of Church, state and society in Medieval Britain 1066-1509.
- The development of Church, state and society in Britain 1509-1745.
- A local history study.

## Curriculum Links

- Understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance, and use them to make connections, draw contrasts, analyse trends, frame historically-valid questions and create their own structured accounts, including written narratives and analyses.
- Understand the methods of historical enquiry, including how evidence is used rigorously to make historical claims, and discern how and why contrasting arguments and interpretations of the past have been constructed.
- Gain historical perspective by placing their growing knowledge into different contexts, understanding the connections between local, regional, national and international history; between cultural, economic, military, political, religious and social history; and between short- and long-term timescales.

If you are interested in arranging a Key Stage 3 visit to the Farmland Museum and Denny Abbey, please contact us to arrange a consultation.



# Prices and Details

Our education visits cost £5 per child. Any teachers and helpers attend free of charge.

Teachers may also arrange a free pre-visit to the museum to help plan the visit.

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You are not limited to our opening days, a visit can be arranged for any day of the working week as long as there is availability.

An indoor room is available to be used for lunches and to store bags, but we have lots of picnic tables and outdoor space for you to use should the weather permit it. You are also very welcome to enjoy our play area!

We can also arrange for the gift shop to be open for you to use. We offer pre-made souvenir bags at £2 per child on request, or children are welcome to bring some money to spend in the shop.

Please contact us at [info@farlandmuseum.org.uk](mailto:info@farlandmuseum.org.uk) or call 01223 860988 to discuss an education visit to the Farmland Museum and Denny Abbey.

We would love to hear from you!

