

NORTH VANCOUVER MUSEUM & ARCHIVES SCHOOL PROGRAMS 2017/18

North Vancouver Museum
Presentation House Arts Centre
209 West 4th Street, North Vancouver

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North Vancouver Archives
Community History Centre
3203 Institute Road, North Vancouver

We are accessible by transit.



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Winter Days

Kindergarten & Grade 1

Winter has always been a festive time on the North Shore. Families, shopkeepers and sailors from around the world enjoyed the holiday season. Through pictures and play, children will discover how early North Vancouver residents celebrated holiday traditions and brightened the dark days of winter.

Offered: Wednesday – Friday; November 29 – December 15, 2017

Time: 9:30 am – 10:30 am (K) or 11 am – Noon (Grade 1)

Fee: \$40



Our Community: Newcomers & Natives

Grade 2

What was it like to live and work in North Vancouver in its early days? During this lively program, students will learn how newcomers and natives adapted to the environment to provide essentials for their families. Students will examine historic artifacts, and practice traditional activities while exercising their critical thinking skills!

Offered: Fridays Only; February 9 – April 27, 2018

Time: 10 am – 11:15 am

Fee: \$40

The Chief Dan George Story & Coast Salish Ways

Grades 3 to 5

Explore the story of one Indigenous leader and uncover aspects of traditional Coast Salish life. Students will learn the significance of Chief Dan George's life and of how traditional cultures have continued and changed over time. Students will also discover highlights in the quest for Indigenous rights. French language teaching materials available: *L'histoire principale de Dan George et les voies salish côtières*

Offered: Wednesday – Friday; October 11 – November 17, 2017 & February 7 – April 27, 2018

Time: 10 am – 11:15 am

Fee: \$40

Chief Dan George: Actor and Activist

Grades 9 to 12

With materials and support provided by the NVMA, teachers will work with students to uncover the story of Indigenous political activism in British Columbia. The contributions of Tsleil-Waututh Chief Dan George, as an actor, activist, and family leader will be revealed. Critical thinking skills will be exercised when discussing themes such as stereotyping and media literacy. French language teaching materials available: *Chef Dan George: acteur et militant*

Offered: Wednesday – Friday; January 17 – April 27, 2018

Time: Flexible morning schedule; some afternoon availability

Fee: \$40

AT THE COMMUNITY HISTORY CENTRE

Time Travel

Grades 4 to 6

North Vancouver has been home to many noteworthy individuals and historic sites. While uncovering the stories behind these people and places, students will learn to use the Archives and work with original documents and photos. They will investigate celebrated citizens such as Mathias Joe Capilano and local sites such as the Lions Gate Bridge.

Offered: Fridays Only; October 13 – November 17 & February 9 – April 27, 2018

Time: 10 am – 11:15 am

Fee: \$40

Archival Research 101

Secondary Level Classes

Introduce your students to a world of research beyond the reaches of Google and Wikipedia. Working with archival resources such as photographs, maps, and oral histories, students will gain practical experience in accessing and analyzing primary source evidence. This program is perfect for giving students the tools they need to start a research project of their own.

Offered: Thursdays & Fridays; October 12 – November 17 & February 8 – April 27, 2018

Time: 9:15 am – 12:00 pm, one or two hour programs available.

Fee: \$40

ONLINE PROGRAMS

Climbing to the Clouds: A People's History of BC Mountaineering

Grades 4 to 9

Format: PDF online at <http://nvma.ca/education/online/>

Explore mountaineering and related themes. Students will investigate First Nations activities in the local mountains, the scientific and technical advances made by mountaineers, as well as their impact on wilderness conservation. This program is based upon the website, viewable in French and English <http://nvma.ca/climb2cloud/>

Native - Newcomer Relations: Case Studies in Contact, Colonialism & Resistance

Grades 9 to 12

Format: PDF online at <http://nvma.ca/education/online/>

Secondary level students will critically analyze both archival and contemporary newspaper articles relating to aboriginal rights and title in British Columbia.



PROGRAMS IN YOUR CLASSROOM

Moodyville: Milltown to Mystery

Grades 4 and up

Historians are detectives; they decipher clues to reveal stories of the past! Like them, your students will use critical thinking to uncover the story of Burrard Inlet's first non-native settlement, the lost community of Moodyville. They will learn its significance to the development of Canada and discover why all traces have vanished.

Offered: Wednesday – Friday afternoons; October 11 – November 17 & February 7 – April 27, 2018

Time: 1 – 2:30 pm

Fee: \$40



North Vancouver: Then and Now Kit

Grades 2 & 3

With their teacher, students will explore the concept of community by analyzing photographs that illustrate how North Vancouver has changed over time. Activity guide, photos, and Teachers' Package provided. Also available in French: *North Vancouver: Hier et Aujourd'hui*

Refundable Damage Deposit: \$50

Fee: \$30 for 2-week loan period

Pick-up at Community History Centre

First Nations Community Kit

Grades 3 to 5

It is said that 'a picture is worth a thousand words'. Using archival photographs that feature Squamish landscapes and individuals, students will explore the history of local First Nations communities. Themes include art, traditions, relationships in the community and governance. The Kit includes lesson plans which encourage team work, group discussion and critical thinking.

Refundable Damage Deposit: \$50

Fee: \$30 for 2-week loan period

Pick-up at Community History Centre

Indigenous Peoples in North Vancouver Book

Grades: Intermediate and Secondary Levels

A large-format, limited edition book, looks at the history, traditions and culture of the Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh peoples. Researched by Squamish author and language teacher Khelsilem (Dustin Rivers), this book highlights significant aspects of traditional and contemporary cultures here. A copy of the book will be provided electronically and will also be available in French: *Le livre des peuples autochtones à Vancouver Nord*

Refundable Damage Deposit: \$50

Fee: \$30 for 2-week loan period

Pick-up at Community History Centre

CUSTOM PROGRAM

Let's Talk History

Grades 4 and Up

Treat your class, ESL students, adult learners or children's group to a program that highlights the achievers and achievements of North Vancouver. Enjoy exhibits that weave together the unique timeline of our past. Programs may be custom-made to suit your group's needs.

Offered: Wednesday – Friday afternoons; October 4 – November 24 & January 10 – April 27, 2018

Format: One 60-minute program at the North Vancouver Museum.

Fee: \$40



BOOKING INFO

Phone: 604.990.3700 ext. 8016
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- Programs are designed for a class of 30 students maximum.
- At the Museum, elementary level classes require a teacher and three adult supervisors.
- Teachers' Packages with pre- and post-visit activities will be provided.
- Leaving a voice message or sending an email? Include your name, school, preferred program with times and dates, and a time to return your call.



The North Vancouver Museum & Archives Commission, an agency of the City and the District of North Vancouver, receives ongoing support from both municipalities and from the Government of British Columbia through the BC Arts Council.

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