



Grade Four

Explore local history and beyond within the exhibits of the Northern Rockies Museum. Learn about the original functions of the building and what day to day life was like for the first people who came to Hinton. Enjoy colourful stories from our area through our ever changing exhibits. Spark curiosity and wonder with hands-on learning opportunities.

\$45/class

The following can be added on to 'my first museum':

Pedley Pony Race- 30 minutes

Grab one of the museum's hobby horses and race through our obstacle course collecting the horses' equipment. **\$10/class**

History Savers- 1 hour 30 minutes

Take an indepth and hands-on look at the people behind the scenes at museums. Encapsulate a photograph, sculpt an artifact, test your memory and design a museum for your classroom! **\$3/participant**

Pioneer Life Skills- 1 hour

Become a pioneer for a day! Learn how to make butter, wash and hang clothes to dry and create a pioneer toy to take home. **\$3/participant**

Pedley Puppet Show- 30 minutes

Join our friendly mascot, Pedley the Packhorse as he gets children laughing and learning about local history. **\$10/class**

Basket Weaving- 30 minutes

Weave a basket inspired by North American Indigenous design. **\$2/participant**

Museum Team Work Activity-30 minutes

Challenge your students to work together while solving problems related to the museum tour- except not one person has all the information! They must team up and share knowledge to pass the challenge. **\$10/class**

Layered Paper Painting- 1 hour 30 minutes

Create a beautiful painting to take home inspired by the local landscape and history! Choose from 3 different designs. **\$5/participant**

Mail-A-Pony- At School

Write to any of the four museum mascots about what life is like for a workhorse during Hinton's early years. Each student receives a custom 'hoof' written letter. **\$25/class**

Please see following pages for your grade's curriculum outcomes.

To book, email manager@northernrockiesmuseum.com or call at 780-801-2643.

Grade 4 My First Museum Outcomes

Social 4.2.1 Appreciate how an understanding of Alberta's history, peoples and stories contributes to their own sense of belonging and identity

Listen to a guided tour of our local history.

Social 4.2.2 Assess, critically how the cultural and linguistic heritage and diversity of Alberta has evolved

Students will learn stories of different cultures who call this place home.

Social 4.3.3 Examine, critically, Alberta's changing cultural and social dynamics

Students will learn of changes in this region over the last two hundred years.

Social 4.S.1 Develop skills of critical thinking and creative thinking

Social 4.S.2 Develop skills of historical thinking

Grade 4 History Savers Outcomes

Art Level 2 Reflection Component 1

Students will sculpt an artifact that represents a moment in history, telling a story.

Art Level 2 Expression Purpose 2

Students will arrange their works inside their museum, telling a story.

Art Level 2 Media and Technique, Sculpture

Students will sculpt an artifact.

Social 4.1.4 analyze how Albertans interact with their environment by exploring and reflecting

Students will learn who owns artifacts and how they transfer from being found to being in a museum.

English 1.2 Clarify and Extend, Combine Ideas and Extend Understanding

Talk within their group to develop flow, expression and meaning within their museum.

English 2.1 Use Strategies and Cues, Use Prior Knowledge

Using their previous knowledge, students curate an exhibit within their museum.

English 2.3 Understand Forms, Elements and Techniques, Understand Elements and Techniques

Working together, students group similar ideas together within their museum space, apply narration.

English 3.3 Organize, Record and Evaluate, Organize Information, Evaluate Information

Students will group similar artifacts and displays together and discuss the success of their display.

English 3.4 Share and Review, Share Ideas and Information

Students will select appropriate visuals to construct the best exhibit they can.

English 5.2 Work Within a Group, Cooperate with Others, Work in Groups

Although they each will sculpt an artifact, they will be grouped together to arrange all of their works within the museum.

Grade 4 Pedley Puppet Show

Social 4.2.1 Appreciate how an understanding of Alberta's history, peoples and stories contributes to their own sense of belonging and identity

Students will learn about life as a pack horse and the roles horses played in building Hinton.

Grade 4 Pioneer Life Skills

Art Level 2 Component 10 Media and Techniques, Fabric Arts
Construct a fabric doll.

Grade 4 Basket Weaving

Art Level 2 Component 10 Media and Techniques, Fabric Arts

Grade 4 Museum Team Work Activity

English 5.2 Work Within a Group, Cooperate with Others, Work in Groups
With a limited amount of time, groups have to use all of their knowledge to solve a puzzle.

Grade 4 Layered Painting Activity

Art Level 2 Component 10 Media and Techniques, Painting
Students will paint a layered painting paper piece.