

# FORT TICONDEROGA

Spring 2019 / Summer 2019

## BOOK YOUR PROGRAM TODAY!

Programs at Fort Ticonderoga align to current educational standards including the Common Core State Standards, C3 Framework for Social Studies, and the Next Generation Science Standards.

Programs offered include in-classroom visits, on-site visits, and overnights!

We look forward to welcoming you and your students to Fort Ticonderoga! Contact Ryann Wiktoro, Group Tour Coordinator, to book on-site programs at [rwiktorko@fort-ticonderoga.org](mailto:rwiktorko@fort-ticonderoga.org), or at **518-585-1023**.

## Field Trips

A field trip this spring provides an exciting experience! With the use of our Daily Itinerary, students engage with historic trades, interact with staff portraying British soldiers and sailors, thrill at weapon demonstrations, explore exhibits, and become immersed in our beautiful historic landscape. Consider one of our add-on programs to expand your experience. School groups receive a special discounted rate, so schedule your trip today!

**Availability:** Field trips are available May 4-October 31, 2019.

**Cost:** \$6/student; 1 free chaperone per 5 every students; \$14/additional chaperones.



## Expand Your Experience to the Water!

A 75-minute cruise aboard the tour boat *Carillon* provides a great addition to your amazing Ticonderoga visit. Explore centuries of maritime history and gain a new historical and geographic perspective. These cruises book quickly; schedule your cruise today for up to 35 passengers per cruise!

**Availability:** Cruises are available May 13-October 18, 2019.

**Cost: NEW Teacher Rate!** \$12/student; \$12/chaperone (includes general admission).

## “To Act as One United Body”

Enlist your students in the daily routine of the Continental Army soldiers at Fort Ticonderoga at the beginning of the Revolutionary War. Students learn teamwork and discipline as they undergo a typical day in the life of American soldiers. This program lasts 65-75 minutes and sells-out every spring, so book early!

**Availability:** Available May 5-October 31, 2019.

**Cost:** \$10/student; 1 free chaperone per every 5 students; \$14/additional chaperones (includes general admission).





# More Opportunities For Students

Contact Ryann Wiktorko, our Group Tour Coordinator, to plan and book on-site programs at [rwiktorko@fort-ticonderoga.org](mailto:rwiktorko@fort-ticonderoga.org), or at **518-585-1023**.

## “Maritime Artificer’s Apprentice”

Explore the maritime trades of carpentry, sail-making, and rigging with your students in this **NEW** hands-on program! Rotating through three stations, students learn how these trades built the boats that drove local and global economies. Students get hands-on experience in historic trades and work alongside our staff. This program lasts approximately 75 minutes.

**Availability:** Weekdays May 4—October 31, 2019.

**Cost:** \$10/student; 1 free chaperone per every 5 students; \$14/additional chaperones (includes general admission).



## School Overnights

Become immersed in the life of the soldiers at Fort Ticonderoga in the Revolutionary War. Experience the training and teamwork needed to serve in the Continental Army. Cook and eat the victuals similar to those consumed by soldiers, participate in active programming, and sleep in the barracks located within the majestic fort walls for a once-in-a-lifetime experience!

**Availability:** Inquire about available dates for the 2018-2019 school year.

**Cost:** \$800 for up to 15 people, \$1100 for up to 30 people.

Returning this Fall with a **NEW** design!

## Heroic Corn Maze: A Corn Maze Adventure!

Explore the six-acre maze and find clues connected to Fort Ticonderoga’s history to find your way through! This ideal team-building activity, coupled with a visit to the King’s Garden, can help your students build connections to harvest time this fall.

**Availability:** Daily August 10-25; Thursday and Fridays only from August 29– October 31.

**Cost:** \$10/student; 1 free chaperone per every 5 students; \$14/additional chaperones (includes general admission).

Bring Fort Ticonderoga to Your Classroom!

## “A Soldier’s Life at Fort Ticonderoga”

Students learn about the daily life of soldiers through hands-on experiences with high-quality reproductions of items soldiers carried during the American Revolution. This interdisciplinary program requires students to think critically about how to supply an army on the frontier in the Champlain Valley. Students analyze the impact of geography on an army’s logistics as they examine the strategic importance of the Ticonderoga peninsula.

**Availability:** Most Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, through June 2019 and September 1, 2019 through June 2020.

**Cost:** \$200 plus mileage. Additional programs on the same day are \$100 each. *Grant funding is available for schools in certain geographic areas to greatly reduce the out-of-pocket costs for schools.*



To reserve, contact the Museum Education Coordinator at [jmason@fort-ticonderoga.org](mailto:jmason@fort-ticonderoga.org) or **518-585-6370**.



# Opportunities for Educators

Contact Director of Academic Programs at [rstrum@fort-ticonderoga.org](mailto:rstrum@fort-ticonderoga.org) or visit [www.fortticonderoga.org/education/educators](http://www.fortticonderoga.org/education/educators) for more details about programs on this page.



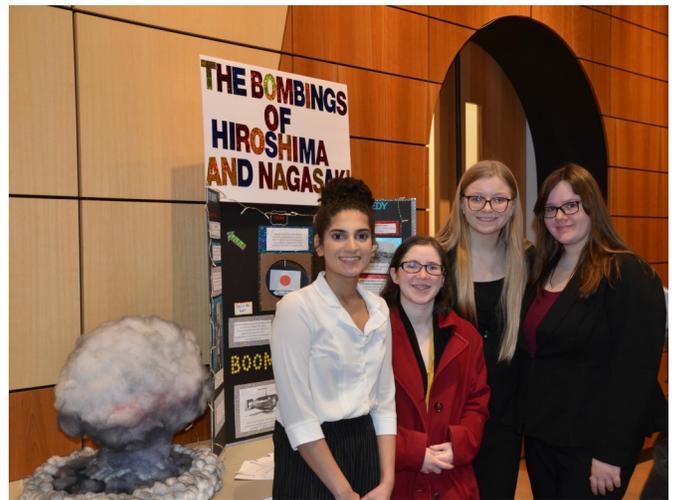
## History Conference For Educators—May 17, 2019

This day-long conference explores civic and military unrest across American history, using a riot that takes place at Ticonderoga on December 25, 1776, to start the conversation. Presenters from Fort Ticonderoga, the New York State Archives, and the New York State Museum explore topics that include draft riots and anti-suffrage violence in New York history.

## Coming this Fall!

### History Day Workshops for Teachers

Fort Ticonderoga will host a series of one-day workshops for teachers introducing the National History Day Program. These workshops will be in partnership with the Warren County Historical Society in Lake George, the Essex County Historical Society in Elizabethtown, and the Clinton County Historical Association in Plattsburgh. Dates and exact locations will be posted online at the web link above.



## Teacher Scholarships for Conferences

Fort Ticonderoga offers scholarships for teachers to attend several of its conferences and seminars during the year.

Upcoming programs with scholarships include:

- The Seminar on the American Revolution (September 20-22, 2019)
- Material Matters (October 19 & 20, 2019)
- The War College of the Seven Years' War (May 15-17, 2020)

## Teacher Resources

We have a collection of lesson plans, unit plans, and activities for use at Fort Ticonderoga and in your classroom. We have K-12 lessons on a variety of topics related to life at Fort Ticonderoga, the American War for Independence, and the French and Indian War. Created by teachers from across the United States and staff at Fort Ticonderoga, these resources are aligned to current educational standards including the Common Core State Standards, C3 Framework for Social Studies, and the Next Generation Science Standards.

Explore these resources at: [www.fortticonderoga.org/education/educators/resources-by-subject](http://www.fortticonderoga.org/education/educators/resources-by-subject)



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