



McHenry County Historical Society & Museum

BOOK NOW!

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

The McHenry County Historical Society & Museum serves as a valuable tool for the County's school districts to educate future generations about the role that history plays in our everyday lives. We have a full research library that teachers and students can use on-site to do local history research, including monographs, newspapers, subject files, local and County records, photos, and so much more. We also have temporary and permanent displays of 3D artifacts covering numerous thematic topics and an onsite 1800s log cabin and one-room schoolhouse for young learners to explore social themes from earlier eras.

Programs & Services

- Group or class museum tours
- In-school programs (Fall 2025)
- Educational videos
- Self-guided historical field trips
- Guest speakers

If you are interested in museum tours or any other offerings, please email Gail Perkins at education@mchenrycountyhistory.org or visit gothistory.org



McHenry County Historical Society FIELD TRIP REQUEST FORM

Name of School/Organization	Address	Please mark the exhibits you are interested in for your visit: <input type="checkbox"/> Gannon Cabin <input type="checkbox"/> Harmony <input type="checkbox"/> Schoolhouse <input type="checkbox"/> McEachren Hall/ <input type="checkbox"/> Diecke Hall <input type="checkbox"/> Eckert Hall <input type="checkbox"/> Anderson Gallery
Teacher Contact	City/State/Zip	
Contact Cell Phone	School/Organization Phone	
Email:		
Grade level(s) and # of Children	Number of Chaperones & Teachers <small>1:10 chaperone to child ratio recommended</small>	

For additional information please email education@mchenrycountyhistory.org or visit our website mchenrycountyhistory.org

- Allow at least 2 hours to visit the museum.
- Your total price confirmation will be sent to the teacher via email prior to the fieldtrip.
- Make check payable to McHenry County Historical Society. Payment accepted on the day of trip.
- Will your group be bringing and eating a snack or lunch during your visit? YES or NO

GROUP ADMISSION RATES

Group Type	# in Group	Cost per person	Cost
Students Grades K-3		\$2 each	
Students Grades 4-8		\$2 each	
Teachers/Chaperones		For every 10 paying students, 1 adult admission will be complimentary	
Adult Group		\$5 each*	
Total Cost			

*\$2 discount per person if group pays together with one payment.

When would you like to visit? Please list at least 2 dates and flexible 2-hour time slot. The museum is open for tours Monday-Friday, year-round.

Date #1: _____ Time of visit/2hrs: _____

Date #2: _____ Time of visit/2hrs: _____

Museum use only: Rec'd by: Field Trip Coordinator:	Rec'd on:	Conf sent:
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Questions? Please contact Gail Perkins at education@mchenrycountyhistory.org