

Teacher's Guide for Trinity Experience

When you call or e-mail us to book your visit, please give us at least one week notice. We would also like to know how many people will be in your group, when you expect to arrive and the duration of your stay. If you must cancel your visit, give us as much notice as possible. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Our hours of operation are from 10:00 am - 5:30 pm. Cost to visit the six sites in Trinity is \$4.00 per student or select three sites for \$2.50 per student. A series of word scrambles and word search puzzles have been developed for each of the six sites. Inquire when booking your visit. A copy can be sent to you for pre-visit preparations or can be given to you upon arrival for a post-visit activity.



Lester-Garland House - learn about the mercantile family from Poole, England, the first brick house to be built in the province, their fleet of ships and their large mercantile premises and how Mr. Lester saved Trinity from destruction. This building is also home to the Trinity Historical Society Archives.



Ryan Shop - here you will feel like you have stepped back in time as you view the store and see items that they were able to purchase in the 1910 period. Visit the counting house where all the records of each day's trades were kept. Maybe participate in a role play !!



Cooperage - view the cooper at his work making many of the items that were necessary for shipping goods and the many boats that called Trinity Harbour home in the past. The cooperage was reconstructed using photos from the early 20th century depicting a cooperage located on this very site.



Green Family Forge - learn about the men from the Green family who have been blacksmiths for over 250 years and six generations. Watch our blacksmith demonstrate how to make something out of iron and maybe take a turn at pumping the bellows for him!!



Hiscock House - learn about how Emma Hiscock became an entrepreneur after her husband Richard Hiscock was lost at sea and how she raised her children on her own. Witness life in the early 1900's.



Trinity Museum - view over 3,000 artifacts that tell the stories of our ancestors from cobbler's tools to medical instruments, WWI and II uniforms and guns to household items that would have been used in everyday chores.