

DIGITAL

Selly Manor Museum

Teachers Guide to our
Education Team providing digital
experiences for your school



explore • learn • enjoy

The Great Fire of London

key stage 1



Explore the Great Fire of London in a whole new way with the Digital Museum @ School. Enjoy dramatic storytelling, a chance to investigate the fire by questioning Thomas Farriner and Samuel Pepys in real time, as well as hands-on activities with replica objects to bring history to life.

This will be followed by a fun Great Fire of London activity for the whole class. Choose between creating a London firescape picture or learn to write like Samuel Pepys.

We will provide great hands-on activities + resources:

- Pre-recorded storytelling video
- Loan box of replica objects
- Live digital Q&A with key characters
- Pictures of the Great Fire of London
- Craft / writing activity
- Extracts from Samuel Pepys Diary

Duration: 1.5 hours

Cost: £80 for 1 class, and £60 for each additional class

This session supports a number of Key Stage 1 National Curriculum elements including a history topic beyond living memory



Discover what life was like at Selly Manor 450 years ago with a virtual tour and live interactive session with our knowledgeable learning team. Delve deeper into Tudor history with a focus on specific topics tailored to your class and explore the past with our fun hands-on activities.

Topics include:

Timber buildings

Clothing

Daily life & work

Rich & poor

Food & cooking

Armor, weapons & battles

We will provide great hands-on activities + resources:

Loan box with replica objects

Pre-recorded virtual tour

Live talk & Q&A

Tudor Costumes

Craft Activity

Tudor Games

Duration: 1.5 hours

Cost: £80 for 1 class, and £60 for each additional class

This session supports a number of Key Stage 2 Curriculum elements including a study of history or a site from a period beyond 1066 and a study of an aspect or theme of British history that extends a pupil's knowledge beyond 1066

Practicalities

Numbers

Our digital outreach sessions are suitable for one class of children containing no more than 35 pupils. We are happy to run multiple sessions each day.

Cost

Each session will last for approximately 1 ½ hours. The cost is £80 for 1 class, and £60 for each additional class.

Cancellation

If you are forced to cancel at short notice due to Covid then we will be happy to rearrange your booking for an alternative date at no extra cost. If you cancel the booking for any other reason we require 5 working days' notice, failure to do so will result in the full cost being charged.

Times

We are happy to run our digital outreach sessions at any time to suit you, dependent on our availability.

Loan Boxes

Loan boxes with some great extra resources are available to support digital sessions. Loan boxes can be collected and returned from Selly Manor Museum. We can deliver loan boxes to Birmingham schools for a small charge. The cost of delivery will be calculated upon booking – this will vary depending on the distance. All loan boxes are quarantined before and after each school uses them. All sessions can be adapted for schools who are unable to arrange a loan box.

Resource Pack and Pre-Session Preparation

A resource pack will be sent out to all booked and confirmed groups. We will also be very happy to discuss your school's specific needs with teachers before the session. We aim for all our sessions to be tailor-made to suit you.

Enquiries and How to Book

Please contact Daniel or Tia
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