



THE HOUSE OF THE SEVEN GABLES FIELD TRIPS & SCHOOL PROGRAMS 2019

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OUR EDUCATION PROGRAMS

FROM NAUMKEAG SETTLERS TO SALEM SHIPPERS

Grades 2-5

Length: 90 minutes

Limit: 72

Discover what daily life was like for three young Massachusetts Bay colonists in the 17th Century: Jehoden Palfrey, the young daughter of an early Naumkeag (Salem) settler; John Turner II, whose father built The House of the Seven Gables in 1668; and Joan Sullivan, an Irish indentured servant. Explore first hand the preparation of a “samp” breakfast, card raw wool, finger spin yarn, and enjoy Colonial games in authentic surroundings! Includes a customized tour of The House of the Seven Gables.



WORLDWIDE TRADING GAME

Grades 5-8

Length: 90 minutes

Limit: 40

“Sail” along Triangle Trade routes and relive the experience of fluctuating markets and danger on the high seas! Students engage in a group role-playing game to understand the economic impact colonial trade had on New England, Great Britain, and the Caribbean. This activity prepares students to understand how commerce triggered a momentous movement of goods, people, and ideas in the Atlantic world. Includes a customized tour of The House of the Seven Gables.



NAVIGATING WITH BOWDITCH

Grades 5-8

Length: 90 minutes

Limit: 45

Salem native, Nathaniel Bowditch, was America’s first mathematical geographer and was born near The House of the Seven Gables in 1773. His mastery of math helped sailors navigate safely from port to port; his American Practical Navigator is used aboard US Navy and Coast Guard ships to this day! In the tradition of Bowditch, students work in teams and use math, observational skills, and historical information to navigate their way through this outdoor adventure. **This program takes place outdoors and does not include a tour of The House of the Seven Gables.**

Tour options available.

2019 COST FOR ALL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

\$8.00 per student
\$9.50 per adult

*One adult chaperone
for every ten students
admitted free.*



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Our School Programs Meet Curriculum Standards!

For a complete list of the standards supported by our programs, visit 7gables.org.

Our programs meet standards:

- Massachusetts Curriculum Framework in History and Social Studies
- Common Core Standards for English Language Arts and Literacy in History, Social Studies and Mathematics

Topics covered by our educational programming:

- The daily life, education, and work of the Puritans in the Massachusetts Bay Colony.
- Salem's local geographic features and landmarks, and the different groups of people who have settled in the community since its founding.
- Nathaniel Bowditch's contributions in the fields of science and technology.
- Historic buildings in the area and their purpose and significance.
- The causes of the establishment of slavery in North America, slave life in New England.
- The diverse nature of the American people; identifying the distinctive contributions to American culture of several indigenous people, including the Naumkeag people of Essex county, African Americans, major European immigrant groups, and major Spanish-speaking and Asian immigrant groups who have come to the United States.

OPERATING HOURS

Reservations available on the hour and half-hour during the following hours of operation:

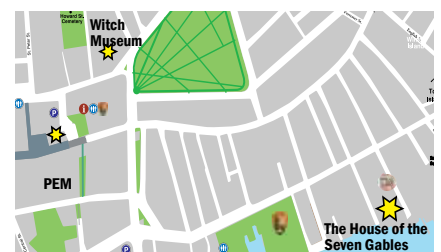
November - June:
10:00AM - 4:00PM

July - October:
10:00AM - 5:00PM

- For more information, please visit 7gables.org, find us on Facebook, or call 978-744-0991.

DIRECTIONS

Just 16 miles north of Boston, Salem is easily accessible by car, train, bus and seasonal ferry. For more information: salem.org/parking-map-transportation



We are walking distance to the Peabody Essex Museum and the Salem Witch Museum.



ACCESSIBILITY/LIMITED MOBILITY

Due to the nature of their historic architecture The House of the Seven Gables, the Nathaniel Hawthorne Birthplace, and the Hooper-Hathaway House are not wheelchair accessible. Our Visitor Center and restrooms, Colonial Revival Gardens, museum grounds and a portion of the museum store are wheelchair accessible.

Tours and performances last approximately 30-40 minutes and take place on multiple levels in our 17th- and 18th-century houses. Visitors are standing, walking, or climbing stairs during these experiences. Information is available about the rooms for those that cannot access any portion of the tour.