Grades 3-5 Half Day Tours at One of Two Sites

The Governor Ross Farm OR the Seaford Museum



Tour this lovely Italianate style mansion located on 20 acres north of Seaford, DE.



Tour the <u>only</u> documented <u>log Slave</u> Quarter in DE



Victorian attire



Play a wide variety of Victorian games



2-2 ½ hr. tours are \$3.00 per student and chaperone at either site

Minumum number of students: 15

1 staff member admitted free for every 10 students



Grind Coffee and Shell Corn using authentic tools



Seaford Museum



Museum In Delaware





Area
artifacts tell
the story of
regional
history



Option #1: During their visit to the farm students will:

- Tour the Victorian Mansion and Slave/Tenant Quarter
- Understand the economic importance of Governor Ross's efforts to bring the railroad to the area.
- Experience life on a farm during the Victorian Period, and see how children dressed and contributed to life on the farm.
- Play Victorian games, observe a working loom, and more
- Opportunity to purchase Victorian toys, books, ornaments, etc. at the gift shop; priced from \$0.25 to \$20.00.

Option #2: During their visit to the museum students will:

- **Follow** a **timeline** of Delaware and U.S. history from Native Americans through World War II
- Identify local **natural resources** and **economic factors** relating to **trade**, **growth** of a **town**, **child labor laws**, the **poultry industry**, and **DuPont nylon**
- Experience hands-on activities

Tours can be modified to meet academic needs at various grade levels.

**One adult is required for every 10 students.

Request a tour on our website using the Education drop-down menu. If you have questions, call the Seaford Historical Society office at 628-9828 or e-mail at admin@seafordhistoricalsociety.com

Office hours: Tues.-Fri. 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.