

## Reserve Your Program By Calling **(215) 597-2760**

All programs are 1 hour in length, are curriculum based with hands-on learning experiences.

- 1 program: \$5 per person
- 2 programs: \$8 per person
- 3 programs: \$10 per person



“I hear and I forget. I see and I remember. I do and I understand.”

Confucius



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“...a wonderful hands-on experience for students. It really brings history to life in an interactive and fun way.”

-5th grade teacher



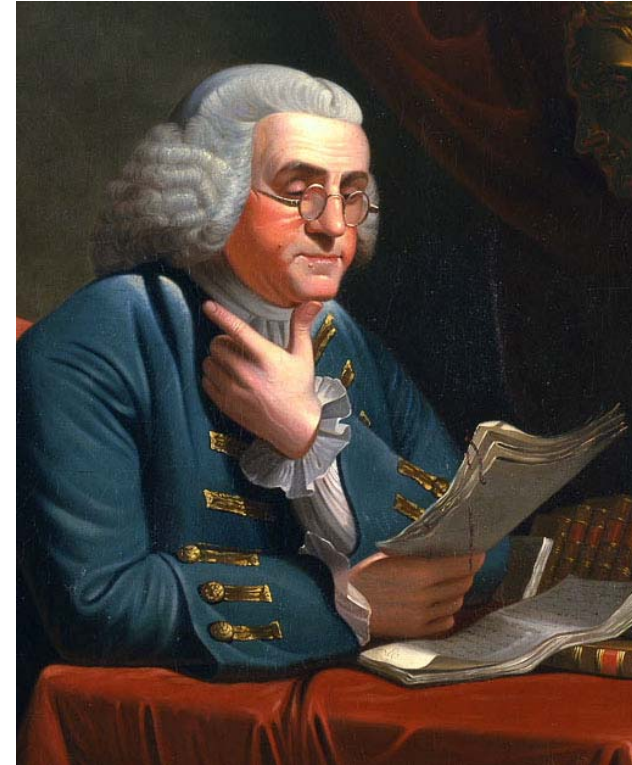
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## School Programs & Group Tours



## Benjamin Franklin

Grades K-12

Students explore Franklin's life and work through hands-on activities such as setting type for a printing press, playing a glass armonica, and experimenting with electricity.

"I can't thank you enough for introducing my students to the IPI programs. They really enjoyed learning about Benjamin Franklin, and the online information was extremely useful when visiting Franklin Court."  
-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher



## The Liberty Bell: A Symbol For "We The People"

Grades K-12

How did a broken bell become an icon of ourselves, our country, and the world? Students learn through hands-on projects how this transformation took place by looking at each event in history associated with the bell. This program offers a new way of looking at this old bell.

## Archeology: History Found in Pieces

Grades 5-12

Students take on the role of archeologists and piece together the stories of the buried past. They get hands-on experience from replica artifacts and then see real archeologists at work processing artifacts from a recent archeology dig.

## Quest for Freedom: Slavery and the Underground Railroad in Philadelphia

Grades 7-12

Park Rangers provide an outdoor walking tour that focuses on Philadelphia's significant contributions to anti-slavery efforts in the 18th and 19th centuries.



## Daily Life in 18th Century Philadelphia

Grades 5-8

Students become historians to explore the lives of Philadelphia's 18th century citizens. They examine documents, objects, and images in order to learn about life in the past. Students can use our web-based activities to learn about daily life in four households in 1790s Philadelphia before their field trip to the park.



## Free Teacher's Guides

Extensive teacher's guides with pre- and post-visit lesson plans to accompany each program are available at [www.nps.gov/inde](http://www.nps.gov/inde).

"The guides were great and your learning lab was right on target. I will recommend a trip down to Independence Park to everyone that I run into!!!!"

-8th Grade Teacher