



Education Programme

World War II

This immersive day allows pupils to re-live the experience of a wartime evacuee, discovering the hardships and heroism of World War II with a focus on the local realities of the conflict. This session can be delivered for KS1 and KS2 and encourages pupils to broaden their historical understanding, chronology and use of historical terms.

Curriculum Links

KS1

- Events and life beyond living memory.
- Significant historical events, people and places in their own locality.

KS2

- Extends pupils' knowledge beyond 1066.
- Local history study.

Workshops



Evacuee Classroom Roleplay

An authentic wartime classroom session allowing pupils to capture the essence of 1940s education.



Object Handling

This workshop offers pupils a chance to come face to face with original wartime uniforms and objects. Rationing is also explored.



Guided Gallery Visit

Students will explore our historical displays including our exhibition on local WWII history with the help of a quiz sheet. Pupils will also learn about the Blitz and practise an air raid drill.

Lunch

We have indoor lunch facilities for schools to use.

Visit the Museum Shop

Don't forget to tell us if you are planning on visiting the Museum Shop. Goody bags also available.