

# The Plains of Abraham 2022-2023



Educational activities for  
**PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS**



# Level 1

## Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year



Also available in class and through video-conferencing

### Abraham and Company

Plunge into the very heart of the 17th century as you meet Abraham Martin to learn about family life in New France. Discover the difference between family life in New France and family life today. You will get to handle period items, hum old tunes, have fun with the Martin children's toys. Accessories: music and historic objects.

Louise Marcoux, former tenant of the Martello Tower, presents our level 1 activities to you



### An Unusual House

In the evocative setting of a Martello Tower, experience family life as it was in of the late 19th century. Discover the ancestors of our daily objects and have fun like the kids of yesteryear. Accessories: tower discovery rally, games and period objects.



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### Saint Nicolas or Santa Claus?

Step back in time and learn about the history of Christmases of yesteryear and today in the unique atmosphere of a Martello Tower. Join in the festive atmosphere, participate actively in historic games and revel in the magic of Christmas cheer. Accessories: Christmas decorations of yesteryear, music, Christmas symbols and stories.

# Level 2

## Grades 3 and 4



### Tales and Legends

### at the Martello Tower

Immerse yourself in the stories of the village gossip in the evocative setting of the Martello Tower. Learn to tell the difference between a story and a legend as you participate in the tales told. Accessories: voting cards, costumes, treasure hunt, sets and period artefacts.



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### The Voyageur

Leap back to the New France period and become the employees of nobleman Louis Rouer de Villeray. Learn how to barter with Indigenous peoples and identify animal tracks and furs. Be at the centre of the action and participate in games to discover the historical objects, daily life and trades of New France. Accessories: period setting, furs and barter items.

### The Colony

Say goodbye to Europe—New France needs you. Set a course for a new world and a life of adventure! Learn everything there is to know about the jobs and lives of colonists in New-France. Accessories: costumes for every students, period equipment, dance game, a military role play and quiz supplied.

### Abraham's Family

### Only in class

Welcome Marguerite and Abraham Martin, a well-known farming couple in New France who gave their name to the Plains of Abraham. Become settlers in New France! Students will wear costumes to learn about trades of the era. Accessories: New France games, costumes, pictures and period artefacts.

### Abracadabra!

### Scavenger hunt

Many mysteries and legends haunt the Plains of Abraham. In October, these stories resurface and magic takes hold. Are you brave enough to take a walk through this vast and boundless park? Don't worry—your magic bag has all the tools you need to go off on an adventure and find the hidden treasures. This activity is for small groups to explore on their own. Accessories: bags.



Marie-Magdelaine Pinguet, peasant, presents our level 2 activities to you

Activity	Period	Ratio	Duration	Meeting place	Cost (taxes not included)
Abraham and Company	September to mid-May	1 guide / 30 students	2 h	Plains of Abraham Museum	\$5.75 / student*
An Unusual House	September to mid-May	1 guide / 30 students	2 h	Martello Towers	\$5.75 / student*
Saint Nicolas or Santa Claus ?	Late November to late December	1 guide / 30 students	2 h	Martello Towers	\$5.75 / student*
Activities in class	November to April	1 guide / class	1 h or 1 period	Your school anywhere in Quebec	Starting at \$5.75 / student* Contact us!
Activities through videoconferencing	September to June between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time)	1 guide / class	1 h or 1 period	Your school via Internet	\$130.00 / class

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\*A minimum fee will apply.

Great for groups of special needs students.

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The Colony	September to mid-May	1 guide / 30 students	2 h	Plains of Abraham Museum	\$5.75 / student*
Abracadabra!	October 1 to 31	Independent activity	1 h 30	Plains of Abraham Museum	\$15.00 / bag**
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\*\*Maximum 5 children per bag.

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# Level 3

## Grades 5 and 6



Also available through video-conferencing

### Myths and Legends

in class

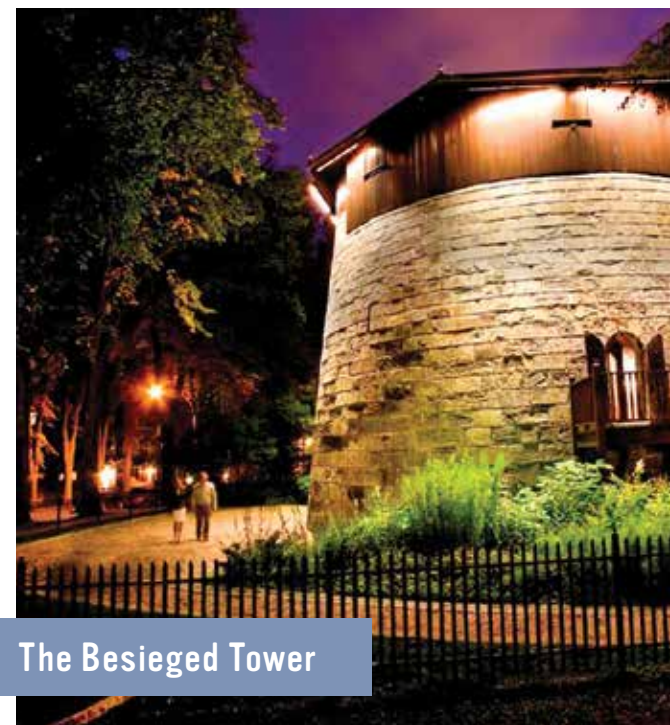
Let yourself be transported through the many stories of Marguerite and Abraham. Can you tell fact from fiction? Learn to separate the myth and legend from the truth while participating in the storytelling. Accessories: theatrical presentation, participatory stories, period items, lantern, and voting cards.



### Soldier for a Day

at the Martello Tower

Participate in the defence of Quebec City by occupying the Martello Tower and experiencing life in a garrison. Turn back the time to 1812 and be on the alert as you experience the hard life of a gunner. Accessories: rifles, cannon, cartridges and furniture of the period.



### The Besieged Tower

Take the Martello Tower by storm as you become a 19th century soldier, experience the military life of the period, and be in top form for all kinds of military manoeuvres. Accessories: muskets, cannon, cartridges and period items.



### The Investigator

Halloween activity

Become an investigator! Unmask the perpetrators of a crime committed years ago and learn about the kinds of punishments meted out in the day. Visit the Joan of Arc Garden and the haunted tower while finding out about legends that haunt the Plains. But watch your back — curses and evil spells surround you. Accessories: riddles and period objects.



### Battles | 1759-1760

Exhibition

Accompanied by a member of the Canadian militia, learn about the history of the Siege of Québec City and of the battles of the Plains of Abraham. In an evocative, interactive setting, find out about the crimes, punishments and laws in force. Take part in an incredible immersive screening featuring original, often moving, accounts of those who lived through the battles of the Plains of Abraham. Then, join in and explore military life from every angle. Finally, admire treasures from the magnificent collection of artefacts in the Identities exhibition.

Available in rally version.



### The Great March

of the 20th Century

Go back in time during the 20th century with Joe Malone, factory worker. Discover on foot, how this land filled with history is closely linked to the events that shaped the past century (World Wars, Great Depression, baby-boom). Accessories: interactive whiteboard (IWB), historical photos and period items.



Also available in class and through video-conferencing

### The Military

### The Battles

### of the Plains of Abraham



Participate in the military training under the command of General Wolfe and General Montcalm: analysis of the military strategies used in 1759 and 1760, theatrical performance and parade on the battle sites (weather permitting). Accessories: interactive whiteboard (IWB), wall map of the area in 1759-1760, regimental flags, drums, officers' uniforms and vests displaying the armies' respective colours.



Montcalm presents our level 3 activities to you



# 1759

Free  
Renewed Virtual  
Exhibition  
Online

## From the Warpath to the Plains of Abraham

1759.ccbn-nbc.gc.ca

Via the Internet, plunge deep into the Battle of the Plains of Abraham and the preparations that led to it. Relive, side by side with the French, British, Canadians and Indigenous peoples, the ups and downs of a fight to the finish for the conquest of North America, a landmark in the military history of this country. A total of 67 learning activities (illustrated narratives, interactive maps and games, videos, evolutionary comic strips, period music, etc.).



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Battles   1759-1760 Exhibition	Year-round	1 guide / 30 students	1 h	Plains of Abraham Museum	\$5.75 / student*
Battles   1759-1760 Exhibition Rally format	November to April	1 guide / 30 students	2 h	Plains of Abraham Museum	\$5.75 / student*
The Great March of the 20th Century	September to late May	1 guide / 30 students	2 h	Plains of Abraham Museum	\$5.75 / student*
The Besieged Tower	Year-round	1 guide / 30 students	1 h 30	Martello Towers	\$5.75 / student*
The Investigator	Late September to early November	1 guide / 30 students	2 h	Martello Towers	\$5.75 / student*
The Military	Year-round	2 guides / activity	2 h	Plains of Abraham Museum	\$5.75 / student*
Activities in class	November to April	Variable	Variable	Your school anywhere in Quebec	Starting at \$5.75 / student* Contact us!
Activities through videoconferencing	September to June between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time)	1 guide / class	1 h or 1 period	Your school via Internet	\$130.00 / class
1759   From the Warpath to the Plains of Abraham	Year-round	—	—	Your school	Free
Package (2 activities)	Available from November to April. Contact us for more details.				

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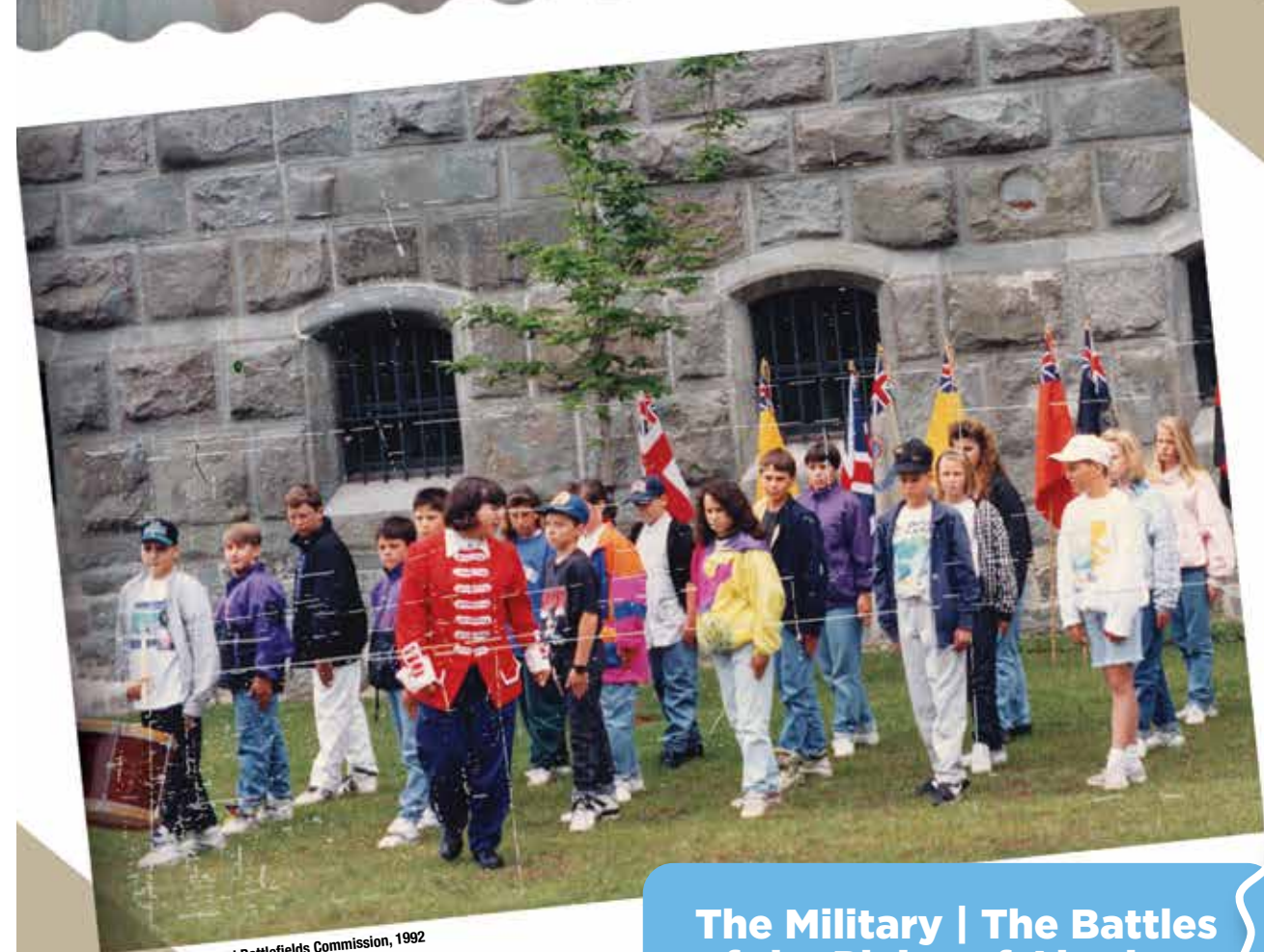
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## GROUP ACTIVITIES

LEADER IN LIVING HISTORY

A unique experience appreciated by more than 1,000,000 participants!



Archives The National Battlefields Commission, 1992

The Military | The Battles of the Plains of Abraham

30th  
anniversary!



Government of Canada  
The National Battlefields  
Commission

Gouvernement du Canada  
Commission des champs  
de bataille nationaux

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# Information

# and Reservations



## The National Battlefields Commission

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### Reservations

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Web site: [theplainsofabraham.ca](http://theplainsofabraham.ca)

Reservation required for every activity.  
A dining-room can be available on request.  
Costs do not include taxes.  
Prices and details are subject to change.

