ONLINE RESOURCES FOR EDUCATORS

The MAC is pleased to offer virtual field trip programs that complement and enhance elementary, middle school, and high school student learning. Our goal is to make history, art, and culture come alive through engaging exhibits and virtual tours.

From virtual museum visits to behind the scenes videos, the following list highlights digital programming that educators may find helpful in weekly lesson planning and that connects to Social Studies, Art, Science or Free Choice. Contact the Education Department with any questions at education@northwestmuseum.org.

❖ Indicates suggested WA State and CC Standards connections.

Virtual Visits

Come experience a virtual field trip with the MAC. Each 7-8 minute video tour covers highlights of our featured galleries and exhibits and can be viewed stand alone or as part of a series. Tours are appropriate for students grades K-12.

Intro to the MAC's Virtual Field Trips (Teachers, Start Here): https://youtu.be/4LOqxJtJEjU

Virtual Field Trip - Pompeii: The Immortal City: https://youtu.be/_9jvihLBBCM

Examine examples of the architecture, technology and art that came from Pompeii as you learn about why these artifacts have survived such a long time.

❖ WA STATE Social Studies Standards for 6th grade: world civilizations. Also, strands of Civics, Geography, History and Social Studies Skills are applicable

Virtual Field Trip - Campbell House: https://youtu.be/RXSXcrU-uk4

Take a tour through the Historic Campbell House as you learn about the architecture, family life and the history of this mansion. You will be transported into the early 1900’s as you hear about how the Campbell’s lived and were instrumental to the growth of Spokane.

❖ WA STATE Standard in Social Studies Skills, Geography, Civics, Economics and History for many grades and specifically WA state History standards for 3rd and 4th grade.
Virtual Field Trip - Mount St. Helens: Critical Memory: [https://youtu.be/g8WFWDT44-M](https://youtu.be/g8WFWDT44-M)

This tour focuses on the 1980 eruption of Mt. St. Helens and how critical memories of such events can be preserved. Even if students were not around for the event, they will hear stories from people that were as they analyze technology of then and now.

❖ WA State Social Studies Standards in the Social Studies Skills, Geography, Economics, and History strands, specifically WA state History.

Virtual Volcano Lab - Coming Soon

As a supplement to our Virtual Museum Visits, experience a digital version of our Volcano Lab. These 6 video presentations provide facts and activities to help students better understand volcanos.

❖ NGSS science standards: Life Sciences (adaptations), Earth’s Systems,
❖ WA STATE Social Studies: Geography

Storytime with the MAC

[https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture](https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture)
[https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLw45-DiXCfsXyle1dafPmtH2PcIBil5i1](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLw45-DiXCfsXyle1dafPmtH2PcIBil5i1)

Each weekday enjoy a 3-4 minute story read by a museum educator. Stories are appropriate for PreK or Kindergarten students and are intentionally chosen to be thematic and developmentally appropriate.

**ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

The following programs, while directed towards adults, could also be used in conjunction with a virtual visit or with older students:

**Virtual Guided Tours**

**Pompeii Virtual Guided Gallery Tour Video:** [https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture](https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture)
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EbvUUEL4aA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EbvUUEL4aA)

This 12-minute video offers viewers a look at *Pompeii: The Immortal City* exhibit at the MAC. Experience highlights of the themes and artifacts in each of the four galleries displaying the exhibit. Appropriate for 3rd -12th grade.

*Suggested connection: Virtual Field Trip - Pompeii: The Immortal City*
Historic Campbell House Tour: *Paris to Pompeii: The Campbell Family Grand Tour*

[https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture](https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture)

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EbvUUELa4aA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EbvUUELa4aA)

This 12-minute video briefly tells the story of the Campbell family and their historic house with a focus on the Campbell’s Grand Tour of Europe, which took them to Pompeii. Listen and learn about the Campbell family’s journey to Europe in 1909-1910 and see what they brought back from Pompeii and why. Appropriate for 2nd - 12th grade.

*Suggested connection: Virtual Field Trip - Campbell House*

Mount Saint Helens Gallery Tour: [https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture](https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture)

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KCHLZGE-FS8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KCHLZGE-FS8)

This 9-minute video examines the impact and consequences of the most destructive volcanic eruption in the US in over 100 years. Appropriate for 4th-12th grade.

*Suggested connection: Virtual Field Trip - Mt. St. Helens: Critical Memory*

Countdown to the Eruption: [https://www.facebook.com/watch?v=2666630663610659](https://www.facebook.com/watch?v=2666630663610659)

[https://twitter.com/NorthwestMuseum](https://twitter.com/NorthwestMuseum)

[https://www.instagram.com/NorthwestMuseum/](https://www.instagram.com/NorthwestMuseum/)

Countdown to the MAY 18th 40th anniversary of the eruption of Mt. St. Helen’s with 40 days of audio and video artifacts, trivia and information about Mount St. Helens. Appropriate for 3rd-12th grade.

*Suggested connection: Virtual Field Trip - Mt. St. Helens: Critical Memory*

**Behind the Scenes**

Ever wonder what it’s like to work in a museum? Or want to know more about a specific gallery or exhibit? Our Behind the Scenes series explains the hidden stories and inner workings of our Museum.

Behind the scenes of the *Mt. St. Helens: Critical Memory The Story of Spirit Lake*

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L3tWoYmfZ0Y](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L3tWoYmfZ0Y)

Behind the scenes of the *Installation of Pompeii: The Immortal City*

[https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture/videos/335779130714710/](https://www.facebook.com/NorthwestMuseumofArtandCulture/videos/335779130714710/)

Behind the Scenes of our *Collections Workroom*


For a complete list of online resources, go to [https://www.northwestmuseum.org/about/online-resources](https://www.northwestmuseum.org/about/online-resources)