

2015-2016

**NATIONAL PARKS
ARE COMING
★
TO YOU!**



**GETTYSBURG NATIONAL MILITARY PARK
& EISENHOWER NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE**

EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH

**CENTENNIAL CLASSROOM RANGERS
VIRTUAL "ASK A RANGER" OPPORTUNITIES
AND TRAVELING TRUNKS SHIPPED TO YOUR SCHOOL**

**PLEASE PRINT THESE FORMS AND FILL THEM OUT.
ONCE COMPLETE, PLEASE RETURN THEM TO THE ADDRESS BELOW:**

***GETTYSBURG NATIONAL MILITARY PARK
EISENHOWER NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE
ATTN: EDUCATION SPECIALIST
1195 BALTIMORE PIKE, SUITE 100
GETTYSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA 17325***

OR

SCAN AND SUBMIT TO GETT_EDUCATION@NPS.GOV

CONFIRMATION PACKETS WILL BE SENT TO YOU AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

**PLEASE CONTACT US VIA E-MAIL AT GETT_EDUCATION@NPS.GOV
OR CALL (717) 338-4422 WITH ANY QUESTIONS.**



JANUARY AND FEBRUARY, 2016

NEW!
***INQUIRY-BASED VIRTUAL LESSONS
FOR 7TH -12TH GRADERS***



Want your students to learn directly from primary sources, and from the fields of battle, but cannot get to Gettysburg? Looking for a good President's Day or leadership lesson, and want your students to discover the life and times of President Dwight D. Eisenhower? Our new Virtual "Ask a Ranger" opportunities allow your students to direct what they want to learn and see and ask... right from your classroom!

Your students can choose their topic, and will be sent after-action reports, diary entries and letters, and other primary source materials in advance to help them create document and place-based questions for the rangers. All you need is the capability to project the film clip and ranger to entire class on large screen, and we'll do the rest! Each "Ask a Ranger" program will last approximately 45 minutes.

Your class can choose to explore any one of the following themes and places:

WHAT IF...? — THE BATTLE FOR LITTLE ROUND TOP through the eyes of Joshua Chamberlain, 20th Maine Infantry and William Oates, 15th Alabama Infantry, opposing forces at the extreme army flanks, July 2, 1863.

A NEW BIRTH OF FREEDOM? — LINCOLN AT GETTYSBURG explores Lincoln's November 1863 visit to Gettysburg to dedicate the Soldiers' National Cemetery and deliver his 10-sentence Gettysburg Address. "Visit" the Gettysburg Train Station, David Wills House and/or the National Cemetery.

WAS IT WORTH IT? — CAUSES AND CONSEQUENCES remembers the lives of three unique individuals before, during and after the battle and the war: Basil Biggs, a free black farmer assisting with soldier reburials; Cornelia Hancock, nursing the wounded soldiers; and General Robert E. Lee.

FARM OR FOLLY? — EISENHOWER, NEHRU AND KHRUSHCHEV examines Eisenhower's diplomatic skills and use of the Gettysburg farm for that purpose, using primary source documents, from the 1956 and 1959 visits by these world leaders.



**APPLICATION
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“VIRTUAL ASK A RANGER” APPLICATION FORM

Name of School: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Teacher Contact: _____

Grades: _____ Number of Students: _____

POSSIBLE PROGRAM DATES (Monday through Friday, January and February only)

TOP 3 CHOICES

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

PROGRAM START TIMES

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

TOPIC SELECTION

- Little Round Top
- Lincoln at Gettysburg
- Causes and Consequences
- Eisenhower, Nehru and Khrushchev



“FARM OR FOLLY” and other programs are
PERFECT for your high school's A.P. History classes!

SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY / CAPABILITY

- SmartBoard
- Skype
- FaceTime
- Google Plus Hangouts
- Computer Lab
- YouTube
- Speaker phone
- Other: _____

Please submit this form by
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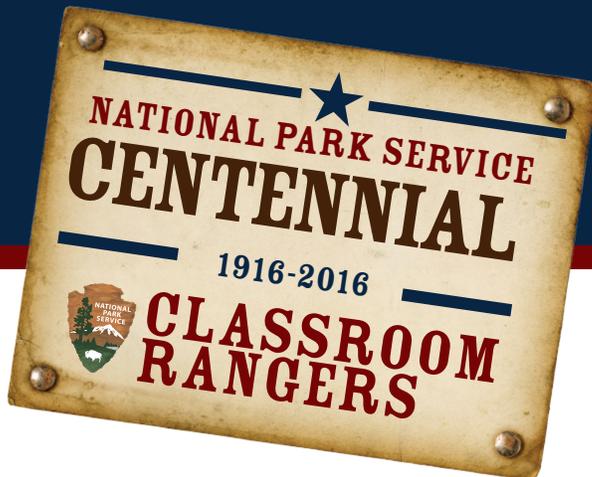
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COMPATIBLE WITH NCSS C3 CURRICULUM!

CAREER-BASED PRESENTATIONS AND ASSEMBLIES AT YOUR ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE OR HIGH SCHOOL



To celebrate 100 years of the National Park Service, Park rangers and employees are available to visit schools within a one-hour drive of Gettysburg to talk about your local National Parks (Gettysburg National Military Park and Eisenhower National Historic Site) as well as the value and importance of the entire national park system.

- Can be an assembly for the whole grade/school, or a classroom experience.
- Lasts about 45 minutes to one hour.
- New vocabulary and other pre-program lessons available.
- Hands-on, interactive and skills based lesson for each grade level.

Call the Education Specialist at (717) 338-4422 with any further questions or email gett_education@nps.gov.

**“CENTENNIAL CLASSROOM RANGERS”
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE PRESENTATIONS AND ASSEMBLIES**

Name of School: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Teacher Contact: _____

Grades: _____ Number of Students: _____

Possible dates and times (Monday through Friday, January through May 2016)

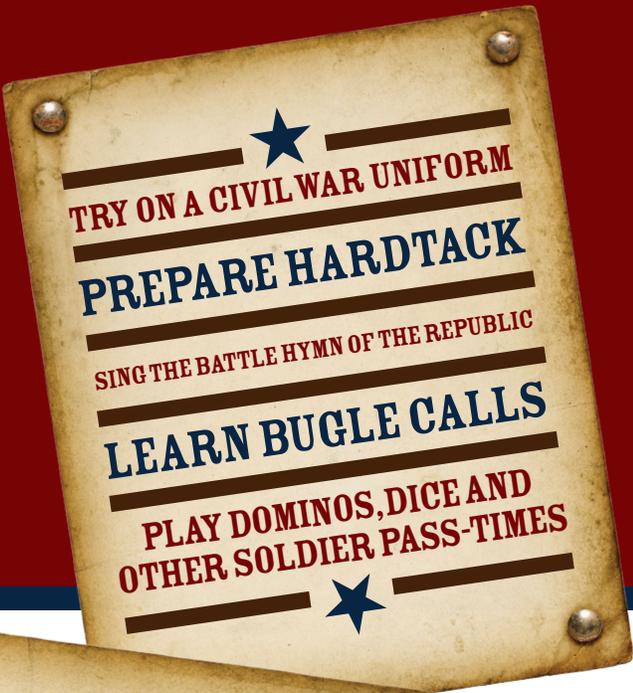
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TRAVELING TRUNKS



TRY ON A CIVIL WAR UNIFORM

PREPARE HARDTACK

SING THE BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC

LEARN BUGLE CALLS

PLAY DOMINOS, DICE AND
OTHER SOLDIER PASS-TIMES

HOW DO YOU RESERVE ONE OF OUR TRUNKS?

SCHOOLS IN ADAMS, FRANKLIN OR YORK COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

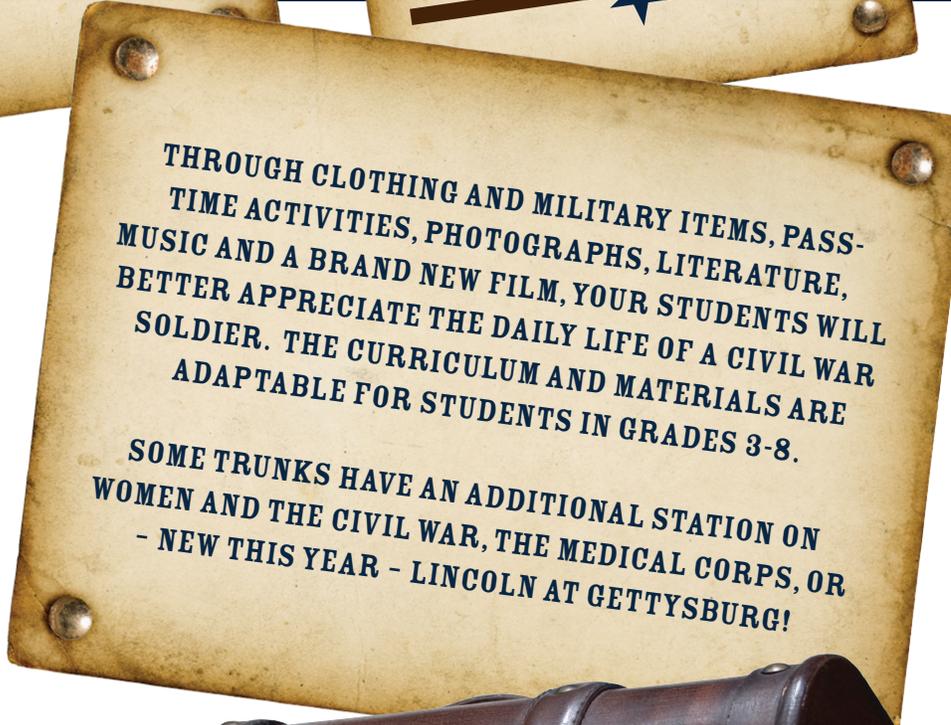
You can reserve one of our Traveling Trunks through the Lincoln Intermediate Unit's Instructional Services Division, and it will be delivered to your school. For reservations, call Pat Barker at (717) 624-6445.

SCHOOLS/ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN DRIVING DISTANCE OF GETTYSBURG:

You can reserve and pick up one of our Traveling Trunks here at the park. Fill out the reservation request on the next page and write PICK-UP/DROP-OFF under the comments section. We ask for a nominal donation to help with wear-and-tear of the items.

SCHOOLS ACROSS THE REGION AND THE COUNTRY:

Trunks are available for two-week time frames (or longer) throughout the school year. There is a requested donation to cover the cost of shipping, and limited scholarships are available to defray that cost. If interested in scheduling a trunk for your school, please fill out the reservation request on the next page; a confirmation will be mailed to you as soon as possible.



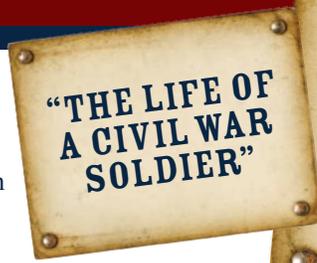
THROUGH CLOTHING AND MILITARY ITEMS, PASS-TIME ACTIVITIES, PHOTOGRAPHS, LITERATURE, MUSIC AND A BRAND NEW FILM, YOUR STUDENTS WILL BETTER APPRECIATE THE DAILY LIFE OF A CIVIL WAR SOLDIER. THE CURRICULUM AND MATERIALS ARE ADAPTABLE FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 3-8.

SOME TRUNKS HAVE AN ADDITIONAL STATION ON WOMEN AND THE CIVIL WAR, THE MEDICAL CORPS, OR - NEW THIS YEAR - LINCOLN AT GETTYSBURG!



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FOR APPLICATION

RESERVATION REQUEST FORM



INSTRUCTIONS: Fill out form carefully. Multiple requests exceeding our number of trunks for the same time frame will be drawn from a random lottery. A confirmation with your requested donation amount (ranging between \$110 and \$150) will then be sent to you. Limited trunk scholarships are available; if necessary, please request a scholarship in the comments section below.

Name of School: _____

Teacher/Contact: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Number of Students: _____ Grade(s) Participating: _____

NUMBER YOUR TOP 3 PREFERRED TIME FRAMES AND CHECK ANY OTHERS THAT WOULD WORK FOR YOU.
Remember, check your district's calendar! Some choices are 3 and others are 2-week time frames.

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| _____ <input type="checkbox"/> October 5 – October 23 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> February 1 – February 12 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> April 4 – April 15 |
| _____ <input type="checkbox"/> October 13 – October 31 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> February 8 – February 19 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> April 11 – April 22 |
| _____ <input type="checkbox"/> October 19 – November 6 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> February 16 – February 26 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> April 18 – April 29 |
| _____ <input type="checkbox"/> November 2 – November 20 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> February 22 – March 4 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> April 25 – May 6 |
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| _____ <input type="checkbox"/> January 4 – January 22 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> March 14 – March 25 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> May 16 – May 27 |
| _____ <input type="checkbox"/> January 11 – January 29 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> March 21 – April 1 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> May 23 – June 10 |
| _____ <input type="checkbox"/> January 19 – February 5 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> March 28 – April 8 | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> May 31 – June 17 |

COMMENTS AND REQUESTS

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THE TRUNK WILL ARRIVE AT YOUR SCHOOL ON A MONDAY (UNLESS IT'S A HOLIDAY) AND SHOULD BE SHIPPED BACK TO THE PARK NO LATER THAT THE RETURN DATE. IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT YOU ABIDE BY THESE TIME FRAMES, AS OTHER SCHOOLS WILL BE WAITING FOR YOUR TRUNK!