

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### What Should We Wear?

Most of the tour is outside, so dress appropriately by bringing hats, coats, umbrellas, boots/running shoes, sunscreen and/or insect repellent.

### What About Lunch?

Be environmentally friendly... Bring a litterless lunch. Schools are responsible for the removal of their own litter from Longwoods. Picnic areas available. There are no food sales on site. Cold drinks are available.

### Can We Shop?

Souvenirs can be purchased at the Resource Centre. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$30.00.

### Why Not Get Two Curriculum Strands In One Great Place!

Fill up the Bus! Book a Ska-Nah-Doht program AND a Conservation Education program for a Full Day (\$14.00 per student) OR bring 2 different Grades for a Half Day (\$8.00 per student). Call for details.

Go to our website for Conservation Ed. Programs:  
[www.ltvc.ca/publications.html](http://www.ltvc.ca/publications.html)

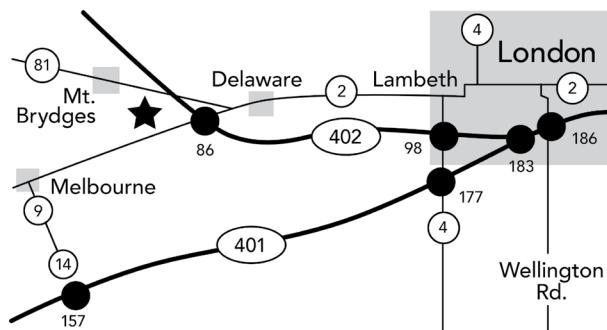


## DIRECTIONS

### How Do We Get There?

Ska-Nah-Doht Village and Museum is located in Longwoods Road Conservation Area, at 8348 Longwoods Road Mount Brydges, ON (6.5km west of Delaware or 10km east of Melbourne).

- London & Toronto follow Hwy. 401 west, exit onto Hwy. 402 and take exit 86. Follow signs.
- Chatham & Windsor follow Hwy. 401 east and take exit 157, north to County Rd. 2 and turn east. Follow signs.
- Sarnia & Port Huron follow Hwy. 402 and take exit 86. Follow signs.



★ Longwoods Road Conservation Area

● Interchange No.'s

### For Further Information Contact Us:

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## Native Studies at

# SKA-NAH-DOHT

Village and Museum



## Curriculum Based Programs For Elementary School Level 2017 - 2018



Located in Longwoods Road Conservation Area  
8348 Longwoods Road  
Mount Brydges, Ontario

## PROGRAM INFORMATION

### What Are My Curriculum Links?

Ska-Nah-Doht Village and Museum offers programming to compliment the Native Studies components of the Ontario Curriculum:

Heritage and Citizenship, Grades 1 to 6

History and Geography, Grades 7 and 8

### Program Options

Half Day (1.5 - 2 hours)

Choose any ONE program #1 to #7

Full Day (4 - 5 hours)

Choose any TWO programs

### Programs

#### 1. The Ska-Nah-Doht Experience (All Grades)

The most popular program! Learn about Native communities 1,000 years ago. Discuss contributions of Native peoples to the present. At the Hands-on Activity Room challenge classmates to games of hand/eye coordination. Try puzzles, clothes and learn about the animals they relied on. While in the village; sit in a longhouse, role play and choose village leaders. Try to use a mortar and pestle, climb a lookout.

This is the only program that includes a visit to Ska-Nah-Doht Village!

#### 2. Traditional Pottery (All Grades)

Each student shapes and decorates their own clay pots by hand using traditional methods. Students may take home their pot. Back at school, teachers may have the class paint their pots as an art project!

#### 3. Tool Making (All Grades)

This team building exercise challenges students to work together to survive. Pick your leaders, assign tasks and make the tools you need. Trading is the key to success.

#### 4. Builder, Gatherer, Medicine Walk (Spring & Fall, All Grades)

A guided walk through the woods to identify plants, trees and flowers used by First Nations for medicine, food and as building material. No picking! No recipes!

#### 5. Hunting Challenge (Grade 5 & Up)

Students play the roles of hunters and their prey. Learn the value of animals for food, clothing and tools. Will your strategy help you survive or will nature change the outcome?

#### 6. Trade Routes (Weather Permitting, Grade 5 & Up)

This team building exercise challenges small groups of students to work together to make their village succeed. A trading strategy will be the key to survival!

#### 7. Snowshoeing (December, January, February & March, Grade 3 & Up)

Go for a guided hike using traditional wood and rawhide snowshoes. Learn why First Nations invented the snowshoe, track animals and play games. It's good snowy fun!

#### 8. NEW! Balance & Biodiversity (all seasons)

(Curriculum links: Life systems, Gr. 4,5,6; Heritage & Citizenship Gr. 1-6, History & Geography Gr. 7-8)  
The importance of native plants/animals and threats facing them is combined with First Nations regard for the environment and how proper use and respect sustained them for centuries. Incorporates Ska-Nah-Doht Village, Resource Centre and trails.

## BOOKING & COST

Call 519-264-2420

Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Bookings must be made by phone. A confirmation letter and information will be sent prior to your trip.

### Cancellation Policy

Three weeks' notice must be received to cancel any booked program. Otherwise, an invoice for 50% of the total cost of your trip will be sent to the school. Cancellations due to inclement weather will not be penalized.

### How Many Classes Can We Bring?

Your school may book one or two (maximum) classes at a time. One instructor per class is provided.

### What Is The Cost Of A Half Day?

One Program (1.5 - 2 hours)

- \$8.00 per student
- Minimum fee: \$120.00 if less than 15 participants
- Teachers, Educational Assistants and all Chaperones are admitted free

### What Is The Cost Of A Full Day?

Two Programs (4-5 hours, includes lunch break)

- \$14.00 per student
- Minimum fee: \$210.00 if less than 15 participants
- Teachers, Educational Assistants and all Chaperones are admitted free

