



Gressenhall Farm and Workhouse digital learning programme:

KS2 History Detectives

The Learning Team at Gressenhall Farm and Workhouse is developing 'history detectives', an online museum education programme to complement our standard offer. We will bring museum learning into your classroom to allow you to

- engage with costumed characters and specialists through **pre-recorded material**.

You will have access to a series of short films using a combination of actors and collections and settings to bring the past to life and develop understanding and knowledge.

- promote thinking and questioning skills by **direct interaction with your children**.

Events will focus upon enquiry questions. Each film will pose challenges and raise specific questions to encourage your children to find out more from the characters they meet. They will have the opportunity to ask questions in real time using digital media.

- benefit from a **flexible approach** to museum learning

We will use the Gressenhall site in a familiar way, with costumed characters and a fun and upbeat approach to learning. However, our digital programme does give greater flexibility – opportunities to develop interaction and questioning of characters and specialists, more choice over timings (events on a single day or over a few days) and the ability to adapt our offer to suit your specific learning outcomes (such as developing local knowledge or a literacy focus).

During the autumn term, our KS2 online offer will be focusing upon **Second World War**, **Victorians** and **Prehistory**. If you would like to help us to pilot these events please do contact us by email: gressenhall.museum@norfolk.gov.uk or call 01362 869260 – we have a limited number of places available for schools.

We look forward to hearing from you. Best wishes,

Gressenhall Farm and Workhouse Learning Team.