

# Chilliwack Museum and Archives School Programs 2027

The Chilliwack Museum and Archives offers in-person educational programs for K - 9 students. Programs are not limited to the suggested grade levels and can be modified for older or younger groups. For full program descriptions, visit [chilliwackmuseum.ca](http://chilliwackmuseum.ca) to download the complete Educator Resource Guide. The Educator Resource Guide provides detailed information about the program, including the program objectives, activities, structure, BC Curriculum connections, and in-class resources.

## BOOKING DETAILS

**Schedule:** Tuesday to Friday, 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

**Cost:** \$2.00 per student

**Capacity:** Up to 30 students per session (Larger groups are encouraged to book two consecutive sessions)

**Duration:** 60 minutes (excluding half-day programs)

*The Chambers Hall on the second floor of the museum is available for students to have lunch between programs.*

## YEAR- ROUND PROGRAMS

### *Collecting Memory: Grades 7 – 9*

[Museum] How are memory, history, and heritage preserved and passed down through generations? By examining Stó:lō artworks and cultural belongings, students will reflect on how we remember, what we choose to keep, and how we can tell our stories together in the future.

### *The Lifecycle of an Object: Grades 3 – 5*

[Museum + Archives] [Half-day] How does a museum decide which objects go on display? In this two-part program, students will trace the lifecycle of an artifact- from its initial acquisition at the Archives to its feature in a museum exhibit.

## **SEASONAL PROGRAMS**

### *CHWK Radio: Grades 6 – 9*

[Museum] Radio has long been a vital tool for entertainment, news, and communication. Students will analyze radio and other media sources to explore diverse perspectives. They will also learn to distinguish between primary and secondary sources while identifying creator bias.

### *Marvelous Mushrooms: Grades 3 - 5*

[Museum] Look around you. There is life everywhere! Looking at how local fungi contribute to the Fraser Valley ecosystem, students will discover how living things interact, grow, and survive together.

## **GRANT/SUBSIDY PROGRAMS**

### *Heritage Chilliwack Field Trip Grant*

Chilliwack School District teachers visiting the Chilliwack Museum and Archives or other heritage-related programs in the Fraser Valley can apply for coverage up to \$100 towards their field trip expenses. For application details, visit the Heritage Chilliwack website [here](#).

### *CM+A Busing Subsidy*

To make museum visits more accessible for classes visiting the Chilliwack Museum and Archives in historic downtown Chilliwack, the CM+A offers up to \$500 per year to cover school bus transportation costs. To learn more or apply, email [engage@chilliwackmuseum.ca](mailto:engage@chilliwackmuseum.ca).