

Vance Birthplace Education Program Request Form

School or Group: _____ Date: _____

Arrival Time: _____ Leave By: _____ Lunch Here? _____

Grade Level: _____ # of participants: _____ # of chaperones: _____

Life on an Appalachian Farm: Tour and Hands-on Program

At the Vance Birthplace, students will learn about the lives of the people, enslaved and free, who lived on the Vance family farm. How did families work the land? Where did they get their food, clothing, tools? What was it like to be enslaved in Western North Carolina?

To answer these questions, our "Life on an Appalachian Farm" program takes students on a guided tour of the buildings and grounds, followed by a hands-on History Mystery activity where children interact with real 1800s artifacts. This program is designed for third and fourth grade students but can be adapted to suit other ages/grades. Please Note: We can accommodate up to 100 students at the site. Space within the historic structures is limited, so we will split groups of 25 or more into smaller groups and rotate through the programs.

Add on a Craft to your Program (choose one; fees apply):

- Button Spinner Craft: \$0.75/child, 3rd grade & up (30 minutes)
- Cup and Ball Toy Craft: \$0.75/child, all ages (45 minutes)
- Corn Husk Doll Craft \$2.25/child, 3rd grade & up (30-45 minutes)

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