

## Education Programs

### Ben Lomond Manor House

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### School Days It's Elementary

Students go back in time and take part in school activities of the mid 19th century. Reading from McGuffey Readers, ciphering on a slate board, signing their names with quill pens, sealing letters all bring to life the schoolroom of yesterday. Students take home a sealed letter to remember the school work. They will also have a chance to try some toys and games typically played at recess.

Recommended Grades 2-5 One to one an a half hour program

### Textiles Homespun to Factory Done

Students compare homespun to factory made cloth. They will learn about the intricacies of the textile processes during the late 18<sup>th</sup> to mid 19<sup>th</sup> centuries. The difference between silk, cotton, wool and linen. Students will also try carding wool and take some home to show the work they have done.

Recommended Grades 2-5 One to one an a half hour program

### Folk Medicines Unsung Heroes of the Civil War

Nurses, hospital stewards, laundresses, civilian volunteers, and even family members all took part in the care of the soldiers wounded in the Civil War. Learn about some of the medical equipment that was used, how herbal medicines were used and make a simple safe remedy to take home.

Recommended Grades 3-5 One hour program

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