

Curriculum Units

Using the chart: Blue headings are units, orange headings are lessons/lesson plans, and bulleted information are topics covered. Within each lesson, you will find content as well as activities that serve to reinforce content and assess learning. These lessons and activities can stand alone, or can serve as pre- and post-visit activities for groups planning a field trip to Eckley.

Immigration/Immigrant Experience

Coming to America	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✚ Introduction – overview, vocabulary, objectives, activities/assessments, standards✚ Process - transportation, push and pull factors, Ellis Island, etc
Citizenship	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✚ Introduction – overview, vocabulary, objectives, activities/assessments, standards✚ Process – culture, rights, and laws

Coal/Coal Mining

Coal: Our Natural Resource (Coal in Pennsylvania)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✚ Introduction – overview, vocabulary, objectives, activities/assessments, standards✚ Kinds of Coal✚ Coal Formation✚ Uses for coal✚ Pennsylvania’s Coal – mainly anthracite coal
Coal Mining and Processes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✚ Introduction – overview, vocabulary, objectives, activities/assessments, standards✚ Ways to mine coal – surface mining, underground/sub-surface mining

In the Coal Patch – 19th Century Life

Case Study: Eckley Miners’ Village	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✚ Introduction – Why are we learning about the 19th century? Overview, vocabulary, objectives, activities/assessments, and standards.✚ Home – immigrant experience and cooking, washing clothes, gardening, etc✚ Work – immigrant experience and labor (specific to grade level), wages, monies, etc
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Career Enrichment – Working in a Museum

Museum People	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✚ Introduction – working in a museum overview and activities related to job tasks.✚ Museum Educator – what does a museum educator do, what education and training does one need to become a curator, etc✚ Curator – what does a curator do, what education and training does one need to become a curator, etc✚ Registrar – what does a registrar do, what education and training does one need to become a registrar, etc✚ Other Museum Careers
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