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Date Faxed: _____
Program Name: _____
Preferred Dates and Times:
(Please give at least two.)
1. _____
2. _____
Teacher's Name: _____
School: _____
School Fax: _____
School Phone: _____
Grade: _____
Number of Students: _____

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How to find us

Ontario Electric Railway Historical Association
operators of the Halton County Radial Railway

13629 Guelph Line
Box 578
Milton, ON L9T 5A2
Phone: 519-856-9802
Fax: 519-856-1399

Hours of Operation:

Mid-May to the end of October

Weekdays: 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Last ride leaves a half hour before closing.

The museum is closed at the end of October to the end of April.

The HCRR school programs have been made possible through the Halton Healthy Community Fund, as well as contributions from:

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Education Programs

Ontario's operating streetcar museum

Get on board with our museum education programs!

About us

The Halton County Radial Railway (HCRR) is an electric railway museum, which features operating restored streetcars.



The Museum is owned and operated by the Ontario Electric Railway Historical Association (OERHA), which is a non-profit, educational organization. It offers exhibits in the original Rockwood Station and a variety of streetcars in display barns. Visit our gift shop and café and enjoy a unique opportunity to ride on our restored streetcars.

Guided Programs

Museum staff and volunteers guide students through interactive learning activities at the Museum.

Our two-hour programs are offered from May to October. Choose between two daily time slots to book your program: **10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 12:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m.** Maximum 30 students per program. Teachers, bus drivers and chaperones are free.

All programs include a 2km ride on a restored streetcar and a presentation on railroad safety.

Washroom and picnic facilities are onsite.

"S" is for Streetcar (Grade 1)

Following an introductory rail safety presentation, students learn about the structures that make up a railway system. Seated in a restored car, students will hear stories and imagine what traveling by rail was like long ago. Finally, students will enjoy a streetcar ride while learning the rules and responsibilities of public transit systems.

Curriculum Strands:

- Everyday structures
- Relationships, rules and responsibilities

Duration: 2 hours

Cost: \$6.50/student*

Wheels & Levers & Gears... Oh My! (Grade 2)

In this interactive program, students identify simple machines as they explore streetcars and railway systems. Simple physics experiments are performed in Rockwood Station. In the exhibition barn, students engage in a "Simple Machine Search", while they walk



through our collection of streetcars and artefacts. Students connect what they learn about simple machines with everyday structures.

Curriculum Strands:

- Movement
- Traditions and celebrations

Duration: 2 hours

Cost: \$6.50/student*

Cable Cars & Streetcar Stories (Grade 3)

Through interactive physics experiments, students discover how streetcars operate using electricity, and learn how forces control movement. Students also gain insight into early transportation methods and discover how streetcars helped cities grow into what they are today.



Curriculum Strands:

- Forces and movement
- Early settlement in Upper Canada

Duration: 2 hours

Cost: \$6.50/student*

Streetcar Mechanics (Grade 4)

Students will be amazed by the number of pulleys and gears streetcars use to operate. Here, students explore mechanisms at work as they examine streetcar bodies and parts in the exhibition barn. In Rockwood Station, students experiment with the mechanics of pulleys and gears, and will see first-hand how it all comes together during a ride on a restored car.

Curriculum Strands:

- Pulleys and Gears

Duration: 2 hours

Cost: \$6.50/student*

*Plus applicable taxes.

Programs offered May to October. Book early to ensure a spot!