



Traveling Trunks

Teachers can help make their Social Studies lessons come alive with the help of Historic Charleston Foundation's new traveling trunk program. We have three trunks available for teachers to check out for a week full of artifacts, books, movies, and lesson plans. Check out the pictures for descriptions.



Gullah Culture & Cash Crops

For 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 8th grades, this trunk is designed to teach students about South Carolina's cash crops, slavery, and Gullah culture. The trunk includes cotton, indigo, rice, sweetgrass baskets, African instruments, books, DVDs, planting tools, and more.



American Revolution

For 3rd, 4th, and 8th grades, this trunk covers the Revolutionary War in SC and in the other colonies. See what the life of a soldier was like, analyze political cartoons, write with a quill and ink, and crack Washington's secret code. Inside are reproduction soldier items, a tricorn hat, fife sticks, Declaration of Independence, quill pens, ink, political cartoons, books, a DVD set, colonial currency, and more.



Archaeology & Daily Life

Designed for Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grades, this trunk teaches students about life in the past and how it was different from life today. Inside are real artifacts uncovered in digs, daily use objects from the 19th century, and period toys and games.

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For local private and public schools in Charleston, Berkley, and Dorchester, Traveling Trunks are \$50 per trunk. There is a mileage fee in addition to the \$50 charge and discounts are available for Title 1.