



SCHOOL ACTIVITIES 2020



Activities for schools

Foteviken Museum with the Viking town has long experience of working with children and young people. The place offers exciting opportunities in teaching.

Welcome to book a meeting with the Viking Age!

In the Foteviken's Viking town at Höllviken there is the exciting Viking story that it was played out about 900 years ago. Here you will find the world's largest reconstructed Viking Town

School activities:

- Miniviking
- The Viking day
- The Viking fighter

Boka en upplevelse för din klass redan idag på vår hemsida!

Bokning: <https://www.fotevikensmuseum.se/d/en/besok/skola>

Växel: 040 - 330 800. Email: museum@foteviken.se

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Miniviking

Some teachers may want to pay a visit to the Foteviken Museum and The Viking town as one of several places to visit during the day. We have therefore for many years had Miniviking as a good alternative to our other programs.

The visit in the Viking town lasts for roughly 1½ hours and starts with a short introduction movie. After this it is time to step into history. A Viking from the town will meet the group and bring you on an exciting tour both inside and outside the town wall. Your Viking guide will describe Viking Age phenomena like religion, crafts, house construction and everyday occurrences within the town. The guided tour ends in our grand feast hall Tinghöll with a mythological story.

The visit ends with the pupils doing a Viking quiz. The pupils will move around in small groups to answer questions based on the guided tour.

The visit becomes like a trip through time where

the Viking town, with many Viking Age buildings, provides a historical atmosphere that brings the Viking Age to life, making the visit a stimulating part of history education.

Important to know

Since the activity is outdoors make sure everyone is suitably dressed depending on the weather.

To avoid disturbing the experience of subsequent groups the class may only remain inside the museum area during the 1½ hour of the activity. There are tables and benches outside the museum entrance shop by the sea where you may eat your own brought food.

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The Viking Day

The Viking Day at Foteviken is a very appreciated activity. After several years of experience we dare say it may become a positive memory for life.

A whole day in the Viking Town

The Viking day is a day full of activities, from 9:30 AM to 4:30 PM. The aim is to provide the pupils with an insight into how town life might have been about 900 years ago.

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When the class arrives you will be met by a Viking from the town. You will be provided Viking style tunics to wear and view a short introduction film. Then it is time to pass into history. Your Viking guide will lead the class through the town and describe Viking Age phenomena like religion, crafts, house construction and everyday occurrences within the town. The guided tour ends in our grand feast hall Tinghöll with a mythological tale.

Before lunch the pupils will do a Viking quiz around the area. In small groups you will wander around to answer questions based on the guided tour. Everyone will gather at the school house to go

through the questions and answers.

After lunch you will accompany your Viking for an afternoon full of fun and educational activities. The pupils will be split into groups and participate in various hands-on stations under the guidance of the accompanying teachers. Activities include trying out simpler Viking Age crafts and wander around the town to find answers to questions about the buildings and estates within the town.

Following the afternoon meal it is time for historical games, a much appreciated feature of the visit. Here pupils and teachers alike will try out various Viking Age games putting their balance, strength and precision to the test!

Important to know

Since the activity takes place outdoors make sure everyone is properly dressed depending on the weather. Comfortable clothes are recommended.

Food and drink

During the Viking Day lunch and a simple afternoon meal will be served.

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The Viking Fighter

Foteviken's Viking fighter is a sought after activity.

By extending the time for Miniviking by one hour the class gets, beyond film screening and guiding, also perform historical games which are always appreciated by the children.

The activity lasts from 13:00 to 15:30. Your visit begins with a brief introduction and movie presentation before the travel back in time begins. You will accompany a Viking from the town on an exciting tour within and around the Viking town. The Viking will describe Viking Age phenomena like religion, crafts, house construction and everyday events within the town. The guided tour ends with a mythological story told in the large feast hall Tinghöll.

After the guided tour it is time for historical games; a much appreciated activity. Pupils and teachers will have their strength, balance and precision tested. Important traits for any Viking fighter!

The visit is a trip through time where you wander around the Viking town, which with its numerous buildings bring the Viking Age alive in a way that is sure to make the visit a stimulating part of history education.

Important to know

Lunch is not included in the visit, make sure you have eaten before the programme starts. As the activity is outdoors make sure everyone is dressed appropriately for the weather. Comfortable clothing is recommended.

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School Activities Prices for 2020

The season for school activities is: April - May, September - October

Miniviking:

Miniviking costs 2500 SEK per class of max 25 pupils, and an additional 80 SEK per each extra pupil above that up to a maximum of 35 pupils per class. We can receive at most 2 classes per occasion.

The Viking Fighter:

The Viking Fighter costs 4500 SEK per class of max 25 pupils, and 150 SEK per pupil above that up to a maximum of 35 pupils per occasion.

The Viking Day:

During the Viking Day one adult needs to accompany every 6 pupils. Payment must be made for at least 10 pupils. The Viking Day costs 395 SEK per pupil and 210 SEK per adult.

**Overnight accommodation is available at the nearby hostel EFS Höllviksstrandsgården.
Tel: + 4640-45 12 02 • bokning@hollviksstrand.se • www.hollviksstrand.se
Please indicate that you booked The Viking Day at Foteviken Museum.**

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