



TIPTON COUNTY  
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VETERANS MEMORIAL  
NATURE CENTER

## ENHANCING CLASSROOM EDUCATION

### *Program Guide*

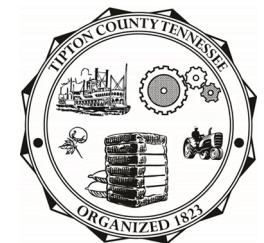
These programs are being made possible by friends of the Tipton County Museum and the following Corporate Sponsors

- **IMPORTANT THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW**
- Reservations must be made at least two (2) weeks in advance. To make reservations, call the Museum at (901) 476-0242.
- Group visits to the museum are \$5 per student.
- A visit includes an educational program on the Nature Trail, a guided tour of the Museum, and an additional educational program.
- Full payment is due upon arrival of your visit.
- Adult chaperones, teachers and bus drivers are welcome and free of charge.
- In the event of rain, Nature Trail programs will be presented in the Museum Nature Center.
- Grade levels after each program are only a suggestion, not a requirement.

### Tipton County Museum

751 Bert Johnston Ave., Covington, TN 38019

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# Tipton County Museum Educational Programs

**AMERICAN MILITARY HISTORY (K- 8)** Learn about the branches of the military, and their role in history.

**BATS: WINGED MAMMALS OF THE NIGHT (K-6)** Learn about the world of bats and their importance in the environment.

**BLACK HISTORY IN AMERICA (K- 8)** Learn about the first blacks in America, and their trials and tribulations.

**THE BUZZ ABOUT BEES (K- 6)** Living in a colony required hard work! Explore the life of a honeybee.

**THE CIVIL WAR (5- 8)** This program explores the daily life of a Civil War Soldier.

**IMPORTANCE OF COTTON (4- 8)** Explore the impact of cotton, especially in Tipton County. Discover the historical and present day uses of this 8,000 year old crop.

**JEWELS ON THE WING (K- 6)** The life cycle of butterflies is quite amazing. Discover how caterpillars become things of beauty.

**THE MIGHTY ...THE MUDDY...THE MISSISSIPPI (3- 8)** From Lake Itasca to the Gulf of Mexico, the Mississippi is full of surprises. Take a trip down the Mississippi River!

**NATIVE AMERICANS (3- 8)** Discover what Native Americans who lived in the region that is now Tennessee used for homes, food, medicine, decorations, tools, and entertainment.

**ROCKS AND MINERALS FOR THE BEGINNER (3- 8)** Discover the connection between rocks, minerals, and life today.

**SPIDERS: FRIEND OR FOE? (K- 6)** Get the spin on spiders as we discover the world of arachnids!

**STORY TIME (K- 4)** Folklore/Legends/Myths

**TIPTON COUNTY HISTORY (K- 8)** Learn about our first settlers, and how agriculture and farming helped us become the thriving community we are today.

**WALKING WITH DINOSAURS (K- 4)** Was your back yard a Dino playground? Discover dinosaurs, where they lived, and what they ate.

**WHEN IS THE NEXT ONE DUE? (5- 8)** Learn about the New Madrid Fault and simple ways to cope with possible earthquakes in your future!

**WHO AM I? (K- 8)** Learn about genealogy and how to map your family tree!

**THE ZOO IN MY BACKYARD (K- 4)** Discover how a backyard is a natural habitat for birds and more!



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