PPHM is excited and energized to host your students this school year!

Our Education Department offers many different hands-on and informative adventures for your teaching needs and lesson enhancements. Our team is always creating new experiences and focused on your TEKS requirements. Whether you come here or we go to you, these opportunities are great for traditional and nontraditional education. We cannot wait to welcome you this year.

TOURS

Guided Experiences

Groups can choose up to three programs, activities, and/or tours for their visit. Each portion of a guided experience lasts about 30-90 minutes. Large groups of students will be divided into smaller groups of 20-30 students. Each group should have a teacher or a chaperone in charge. All guided tours include a hands-on-activity.

Field Trip Hours

School Tours
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM - Tuesday-Friday
Teachers should plan for the field trip to take about 1-1.5 to 2 hours.

Museum Admission for School Groups
Admission for students: $3.00 per student K-12
Teachers and chaperones (one adult per 10 students) are admitted FREE

At Your Own Pace

Make personal connections while reinforcing subjects taught in the classroom. Choose a combination of these tours for your class!

- Art Galleries
- Paleontology
- The Panhandle Petroleum Story
- People of the Plains
- Pioneer Town
- Special Exhibits
- Transportation
- Windmills

join in on
PPHM’s newest adventure!

We are booking now for the Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) Lab.

The STEAM lab will feature learning opportunities for all ages and grades. PPHM will utilize its collection to bring your curriculum to life! This hands-on, engaging space can be used for anything from an art lesson about color theory to a lesson on wind energy, math concepts, and so much more. Our STEAM Education team will tailor the experience to suit your group or class needs and learning objectives.

“our students were so engaged visiting the new STEAM Lab! They enjoyed building their own aerodynamic cars and racing them on the floor!”

- Ann Nelson with Nazareth ISD

We offer an abundance of TEKS based projects such as:

- Designing roller coasters (Force, Motion, and Energy: 6.8B, 8.8B)
- Heating and cooling experiments (Matter and Energy: 7.B)
- Plant water filtration experiments (Organisms and Environments: 3.PH, 3.T.9C)
- and many more!
Can't come to PPHM but want to explore our museum?

Book an Outreach Trunk.
Cost is $25 for a teacher-led program and four school day (Monday-Thursday) rental; or book an interpreter for a one-day rental for the same cost (plus mileage if outside Amarillo/Canyon SD.)

- Born on the Plains
- Boys and Things
- Cowboys in the Panhandle
- Discovering Dinosaurs
- Dusty Old Dust
- Panhandle Heritage Trunk
- Southern Plains Indians
- World War II

Outreach Opportunities - $25 per session when you rent with an interpreter

Interactive Art Classroom Experience

Your children will have the opportunity to learn about the art, history, and diversity of the region through hands-on experiences available in your classroom or at PPHM.

Have Art Will Travel - $40.00

(plus mileage outside of Amarillo/Canyon area)

This in-classroom experience brings the museum straight to you with fun art activities customized for each grade level.

Virtual Learning

- A Native American’s MVP
- Dia de los Muertos
- Dinosaur Dinosaurs
- Dinostory Time
- From Room to Dust
- Home on the Plains: A Boy’s Journey
- Quanah Parker: Adapting in a World of Change
- Panhandle Petroleum
- Presidents’ Day
- The Rednecked Rattlesnake
- Wild and Wacky Weather

PROGRAMS - $75

SCHEDULE TODAY
806-671-2269
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To learn more, visit panhandleplains.org

Constitution Day
PPHM provides a dynamic, interactive program going over the U.S. Constitution including narrations of activities all relating to the TEKS using the Constitution.

Sept. 13
Grades: 3-5
9:30 a.m. - noon
Registration deadline: Sept. 4th

Sept. 14
Grades: 6-8
9:30 a.m. - noon

Week of the Young Child
Week of the Young Child is a week full of educational content for Pre-K and Kindergarteners, celebrated all over the country.

April 18 - 21
Pre-K: 9 - 10:15 a.m.
Kindergarten: 10:30 - 11:45 a.m.
Registration deadline: March 30

Looking for a great space to host teacher in-service or meetings?

Look no further than our new Education Credit Union History Studio. This multi-functional space has a brand new look that can accommodate any meeting, party or event.

To book, email krxjohnson@pphm.tamu.edu

Inspiring Events

Education Credit Union
HISTORY STUDIO

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