

Hands-on History School Programs
Pre-visit Information

MARCHING BAREFOOT: CARVER COUNTY AND THE CIVIL WAR

Our staff member will visit your classroom on _____.
They will arrive at _____. They will depart at _____.

Program Summary: Explore life in Carver County during the Civil War as we meet Theodore & Sophie Bost, immigrants and farmers, and Peter Daniel Anderson, Benedict Schmid, and Edwin Aldritt, Civil War soldiers. Students will experience their lives during the war through words, photos, letters, and objects and will discover the impact the Civil War had on Minnesota.

Vocabulary/Concepts: The following words and terms will be used in the program. It would be helpful if your students were introduced to these prior to their participation in the program. This will help your students to gain a better understanding of the concepts in the lesson.

US-Dakota War of 1862

Secession

Confederacy

Union

Border States

Primary sources

Nametags:

Please have each student wear a nametag. This will help the staff member call on students and personalize their experience.

We look forward to visiting your classroom. If you have further questions, please feel free to contact our Education Coordinator at (952) 442-4234.

