Museum Tour at the Moravian Historical Society

Visit the oldest Moravian building in America with a tour of the 1740 Gray Cottage and a museum tour at the Moravian Historical Society. Students will learn about the history of Nazareth as well the Moravians and their contributions to early American education, music, mapmaking, and trades. Group tours include a museum tour, a tour of the Gray Cottage, and a relevant hands-on activity. Tours and activities are tied to the curricular needs and can be customized to fit your particular classroom needs.



Topic: Regional history

Cost:* \$8 per person. One free admission for every 15 people.

Length: 75 minutes or more

Maximum group size: 100 Adult/ Child Ratio: 1:15

Location; address for bus: 214 E. Center Street, Nazareth, PA 18064

Grade Level/ Ages: 3rd–12th grade

Accommodations? N/A

Other information: The 1740-1743 Whitefield House Museum is located in an historic 3 1/3

story building without air conditioning or an elevator.

Moravian Historical Society

The Moravian Historical Society is a nonprofit museum and historic site that preserves, interprets, and celebrates the rich culture of the Moravians. Located in Nazareth, Pennsylvania, MHS maintains the 1740–1743 Whitefield House and the 1740 Gray Cottage, the oldest surviving Moravian structure in North America. Recognized widely for its significant collection and historically important 18th-century site, the Moravian Historical Society is the third oldest historical society in Pennsylvania. The museum offers permanent and changing exhibitions and a museum store that features gifts, books, and handmade artisan items.

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