

Georgia Beginnings

Mama Koku and Mary Jane Stone

Learn about the geography of Georgia through traditional folktales told in different regions. The past comes alive for students in our replica log cabin and one room schoolhouse where students see, hear, and touch Georgia History. Students will consider how culture and geography impacted the lives of Georgians during the late 1800s.

Inspired by stories and the geography of Georgia, students will create their own visual explorations. This hands-on clay pottery making activity supports the Language Arts of the storytelling program, Georgia Beginnings. Students will learn about the Georgia pottery traditions of Creeks and Cherokees and the European and North African pottery techniques brought to the New World, as they make a hand-built vessel.

Virtual

Pre-recorded, 2 segments, 50 min. each; available for 2 weeks. Clay supplies are sent to school Q&A available with MJ Stone Live Stream also available.

Live @ the Museum

Assembly-style & classroom workshop, 120 students max. per day; 9:30—11:30;

Who Put the Fizz in my POP?

Barry Stewart Mann

How do inventors invent? We have so many amazing things that make our lives fun and easy – but they haven't always been there! "Who Put the Fizz in My Pop?" is an assembly program of stories about the people and the science behind some of the stuff we love most.

Actor and storyteller Barry Stewart Mann becomes Sippin' Sam the Soda Man and, with the help of his friend HooHow the Owl, explore who had the idea - and how they made it happen - for soda pop, fireworks, popcorn, and television. To provide a literacy connection, Barry features books about inventions.

Virtual

Live-streamed, 50 minutes

Live @ Your School

Assembly-style, 50 minutes

Live @ the Museum

Assembly-style, 50 min, 9:30 & 10:30;

The Boy Who Would Be King: The Martin Luther King, Jr. Story

John Doyle

In this reflective, biographical and often humorous portrayal, young Martin shares his adventures exploring the uncharted, wonder filled wilderness of Atlanta's Auburn Avenue. Every inch a boy's tale, filled with mischief and dreams, the boy King recounts the extraordinary community of individuals who will shape his ideas and ideals. The play celebrates how King's youth, before destiny, complete with its triumphs and tragedies, led this unassuming Atlanta boy to become one of the most admired Americans of his generation.

Live @ Your School

Assembly-style, 50 minutes

Live @ the Museum

Assembly-style, 50 min, 9:30 & 10:30;

Life Cycles in Our Own Backyard

Mary Jane Stone

Students will explore the identity, songs and life cycles of familiar backyard birds, using some fun mnemonics! Bird life cycles associated with native trees, plants and other animals are discussed as students work on their new nature journals. Students will receive a nature journal to keep, along with some sketching basics, as they observe, draw and describe natural objects.

Virtual

Live-streamed, 50 minutes. One classroom per session

Live @ Your School

Assembly-style, 50 minutes; One classroom per session, multiple sessions can be booked back-to-back

The Secret Stories of Science: Solar System Stories

Mama Koku

Mama Koku is Dr. Supra Nova! Her super power is that she can communicate with the celestial bodies of our Solar System. With her trusty side-kick, TellTell Telescope, a student volunteer, they interview and gather information from The Planets, Our Sun and other Stars. Students join her in various stellar roles to rotate and revolve in this heavenly story!

Virtual

Live Stream, 50 minutes

Live @ Your School

Assembly-style, 50 minutes

Live @ the Museum

Assembly-style, 50 min., 9:30 & 10:30;

Great Pirate Decoder

Neha Bhatt and Jan Jensen

A treasure hunt of a different kind! Steve, a talking pirate bird, finds a note from his missing friend Polly! But he is at loss as he is not able to read some of the words! Luckily for Steve the great pirate librarian comes to the rescue. Learning to use 'decoding hacks' has never been so much fun! Let's go on a treasure hunt and help Steve learn some 'syllabification hacks'. Hey Ho Hey Ho....All Aboard the ship we go!



Virtual

Live Stream Performance, 50 minutes

Live @ Your School

Assembly-style, 50 minutes

Live @ the Museum

Assembly-style, 50 min., 9:30 & 10:30;

Jackie Robinson

Bright Star

Jackie Robinson's number "42" has come to symbolize the triumph of the human spirit over incredible odds. The biographical tale follows the life of Jackie Robinson, the first black baseball player to cross the color lines in the Major Leagues. A real-life hero and a tribute to the power of persistence and determination in the face of adversity, see why Jackie Robinson has inspired so many people both in and out of sports!

Live @ the Museum

Assembly-style, 50 min, 9:15, 10:30, 11:45,

Starlab

Chattahoochee Nature Center

Join us for an astronomical discovery trip in our portable planetarium! Students will see the position of the stars in the sky that evening. Students discover the differences between various stars and how stars and planets differ. A model of our solar system will have students exploring Earth's position in the solar system. **Note: Physical distancing is not possible in the enclosed Starlab.**

Live @ Your School

Assembly-style, 50 min, 60 students max. per session; inquire for dates

Live @ the Museum

Assembly-style, 50 minutes, 9:30 or 10:30; 60 students max. per session, inquire for dates

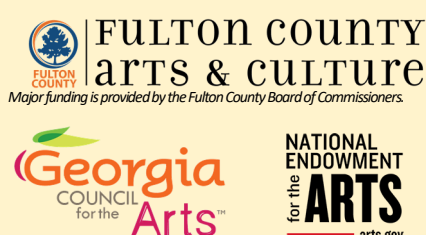
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