# Walking Tours of Litchfield's Historic District

#### Homes and Histories Architecture Tour

Learn about past residents and how their lives are reflected in the architecture of their homes.

#### Heroes of the Revolution

Discover how people contributed to the Revolutionary War efforts, from Washington's spymaster to the melting of King George's statue.

# Slavery Here: The Life of William Grimes

Explore CT's complicated history with slavery through the life of William Grimes, a man who escaped slavery and found work in town.

# Pioneers in Education: Sarah Pierce and Tapping Reeve

Immerse yourself in Litchfield's "college years" and learn what life was like for students at the Litchfield Female Academy and the Litchfield Law School.

# The Beechers in Litchfield

The Beechers were a family of reformers. Learn about the patriarch Lyman Beecher and visit the sites that shaped Harriet, Henry, and their siblings.



#### Touch the Skies: Litchfield's Trees

Learn the story behind the quote "the trees bear witness to the spirit of the men who were here before us, who planted the young saplings and dreamed of beauty."

# The Artist's Interpretation

Explore how artists saw Litchfield and expressed it through their words, sketches, and paintings,

## Sold, Made, and Grown

Discover how the community's economy has grown and changed over time on tour of West Street,Litchfield commercial heart.

#### Seasonal Tours:

# Stories to Keep You Up at Night

Discover the violent and scandalous side of Litchfield's history during this Halloween tour.

# Happy Holidays Tour

Learn about past celebrations and winter pursuits during a Holiday-themed tour.

#### **BOOKING DETAILS**

On-site Programs: \$12 per person (minimum of \$60 for groups of 5 or less)

All programs last one hour

#### TO SCHEDULE A PROGRAM:

Contact Kate Zullo, Head of Education, with the program, preferred dates and times, and group size.

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