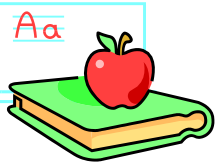


6th Grade



Connecting school and home through family learning!

To expand 6th grade studies on the **Solar System**, plan a visit to the Rock Creek Planetarium. The 75-seat venue introduces kids to the solar system as well as **Native American** legends about stars.

www.nns.gov/rocr

The National Museum of the **American Indian** is a great place to learn more about the many **Indian tribes** studied in 6th grade. Many weekends feature weaving, boat building, dancing and drumming demonstrations.

www.AmericanIndian.si.edu

At the National Archives, your 6th grader can view the **Declaration of Independence**, the **Constitution** and the **Bill of Rights**. While there, they can also view immigration records and treaties, create their own Great Seal and even make a documentary film!

www.archives.gov

For a deeper understanding of the life and death of **Abraham Lincoln**, plan a visit to Ford's Theater to hear a National Park Service ranger's interpretation of the night Lincoln was shot. You can also go thru the Lincoln Museum and even cross the street to see the bedroom where Lincoln died.

www.nps.gov/foth

"Fighter for Freedom", a 17-minute movie on the life of Frederick Douglass can be viewed at the **Frederick Douglass** National Historic Site. While there, learn more about this former slave's work as an **abolitionist**, **suffrage** supporter, author and well-respected orator.

www.nps.gov/frdo