



## Frederick Douglass-Isaac Myers Maritime Park and Museum

### **Dear Educators,**

**Welcome!** The Frederick Douglass-Isaac Myers Maritime Park and Museum staff welcomes you to what we hope will truly be a memorable experience. Your trip will be a hands-on experience for both you and your students. The activities we offer are designed to augment school curriculums as well as excite and motivate students utilizing real-world applications.

**Role of the Teacher:** In order to ensure the best possible experience, we must emphasize the importance of teacher involvement and preparation. All students are expected to become involved in our exhibition activities. Teachers are also asked to participate in our learning activities. We appreciate your assistance in keeping students on task, safe and respectful of the educators and other students. Since our stations are "hands-on", we ask that teachers and chaperones encourage students to participate.

**What is expected of students:** The Douglass-Myers's educational staff employs a hands-on, interactive method of instruction. The Socratic or questioning method of teaching is used to skillfully guide students to specified learning outcomes. We rely on student enthusiasm, involvement and participation throughout the entire day. Students are also expected to cooperate and display listening skills to ensure the safety of everyone during their visit.

**About Cancellations:** We ask that you call our tour scheduler as soon as possible should you need to cancel. The Douglass-Myers Park and Museum rarely cancels a trip. If there is snow and cancellation is dictated, we will contact you. We can be reached at (410) 685-0295 ext. 489 during the day.

The Douglass-Myers Park and Museum educational staff is committed to offering you the best possible program. This is not possible without your valuable input. Teachers will be asked to complete an evaluation sheet at the end of each trip. Your comments are vital to our continued success and we would like to thank you in advance for your efforts. We look forward to having you and your students at the Frederick Douglass-Isaac Myers Maritime Park and Museum.

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