



DUTCH FARM SURVEY

Teacher's Section

Texts & Activities to Supplement Grade-School History Studies

The **Dutch Farm Survey** has launched a series of educational and entertaining materials to augment history studies in grade schools. The goal is to promote historical awareness — and to show that history is fun. The materials are not intended to substitute for the regular curriculum but to provide additional resources for teachers who would like to highlight historical, architectural, or ecological subjects. They also provide activities to fill in extra time slots, or to provide for substitute teachers.

On this website you will find:

- A 2nd-grade module including a simple, one-page text, coloring sheets, and posters.
- A 4th-grade packet containing three modules, which include not only texts and activities but also a sample lesson plan.

These materials are free to download and to use as much as you would like. If you do have the opportunity to make use of them, we would greatly appreciate it if you could inform us, either by email at info@dutchbarns.org, or by U.S. mail at Dutch Barn Preservation Society, c/o Mabee Farm Historic Site, 1080 Main Street, Rotterdam Junction, NY 12150. Your feedback is crucial in designing further education materials, as well as receiving future funding for this work.