



École Intermédiaire  
**Macdonald Drive**  
Junior High School

Dear Parents / Guardians,

This year the Social Studies Department has arranged field trips for all grade 8 classes. Individual classes will visit *The Rooms* and participate in a program called *Soldiers' Stories: Newfoundlanders and Labradorians at War*. Students will be out of their regular scheduled classes from 9:15 to 11:45 AM on their designated day. This program is directly linked to the outcomes for Chapter 6 "World War 1". Using archival documents, artifact reproductions and exhibit activities, students learn about the battlefield experiences and daily life of soldiers who served during World War 1. The program includes a visit to the new permanent exhibition: Beaumont-Hamel and the Trail of the Caribou: Newfoundlanders and Labradorians at War and at Home 1914-49 as well as hands-on research in The Rooms Provincial Archives Reference Room.

Students are asked to return the permission form and **\$5.00** to their social studies teacher no later than **two** days before their field trip. If you have any questions please contact me at [davidlawton@nlesd.ca](mailto:davidlawton@nlesd.ca)

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**Permission Form**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ **give** permission for my son/daughter,  
\_\_\_\_\_, to attend the field trip at *The Rooms*.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ **do not** give permission for my  
son/daughter,  
\_\_\_\_\_, to attend the field trip at *The Rooms*.