

SCHOOL PRESENTATION: “WHAT IS IT?”: IDENTIFICATION

Objective: By the end of this presentation, students should have a basic knowledge of some of the types of objects that were used by people during the 18th century. The objects to be presented will include such items as tools, kitchen gadgets, household utensils, and toys. Students should also gain an understanding on how these objects were used; what they were constructed of; where they would be found in the colonial household; and who would use them. This will be done through the following methods:

1. Students will have the opportunity to examine the objects in question, and through guided questions by the presenter, voice their deductions about the intended use of the object.
2. The presenter will give an oral explanation of the object, and if practical, a demonstration of its function.