Joel Lane Museum House ON- SITE PRESENTATION 18TH-CENTURY (COLONIAL) WORK AND TOYS: CHILDREN'S ROLES

Objective:

By the end of this presentation, participants should have a basic knowledge of the types of chores done by and games played by 18th-century children. They should also gain an understanding of how colonial children contributed to the daily needs of family life; how they spent their free time playing; how toys were made; who made them; and which toys were suitable for girls and boys alike. This will be done through the following methods:

- 1. The presenter will provide an oral and visual explanation on the different types of chores done by children and the toys which they played with.
- 2. Through the use of reproductions, students will actually get to handle and use tools, objects, and toys from the colonial period
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