

Welcome, Vermont History Day Students!

At the Museum, we connect people to Lake Champlain by studying, preserving, and sharing its history, archaeology, and ecology. You can read more about us at www.lcmm.org/about.

The Museum's collections document the maritime history and archaeology of the Champlain Valley. Our collections contain thousands of items in a variety of formats, from books, paper manuscripts, photographs, and postcards to archaeologically recovered materials from the lake's many research projects and shipwreck sites.

Information about our Collections is available online via a database called CatalogIt. You can view our CatalogIt database and learn more about our Collections online at www.lcmm.org/collections

Visit Protocol

Contact us at info@lcmm.org to ask for an appointment with one week's notice.

Collections is open on weekdays from 9am to 5pm, excluding Thursday afternoons.

When visiting the Collections Lab, please follow these guidelines:

- No food or drinks in the lab
- Wash hands before handling artifacts or books
- Always carry artifacts with both hands
- Bring a list of what artifacts you would like to see using CatalogIt (extra points if you email the list ahead of time!)

Featured Topics

In our Collections, you can explore texts and artifacts from over 250 years of Lake Champlain history. These topics include:

- **Wars and Conflict**
 - American Revolution on Lake Champlain (October 11-13, 1776)
 - Battle of Plattsburgh Bay (September 11, 1814)
- **The Commercial Era, Canals, and Trade**
 - Canal Boats
 - Steam Boats
 - Champlain Bridge
- **Lake Champlain Archaeology**
 - Archaeological reports from sites around the Champlain Valley and New York State