

# A Walk Through the Middle Ages

## ----- Presentation Guidelines -----

- Scene presentation should be 5-7 minutes long
- Make your scene interactive and hands-on! Involve the audience as much as possible by inviting them into your scene
- Make the scene come alive. Talk as if you are living in the Middle Ages. Take the audience to medieval times!
- Incorporate the key information from your I-Search but don't try to include too much. Creatively teach (don't lecture).
- Make your scene "safe" and "G" rated. No weapons, no fighting, no lit candles or fire of any kind.
- No candy or gum (eaten or given as prizes)
- Welcome audience to scene and thank them at the end.
- Memorize all of your lines or detailed outline. No reading scripts.
- No quizzes at the end of your scene to "test" the audience
- No cats or dogs. Live animals are ok if it fits your scene and if it's in a cage. You may need a parent supervisor depending on the animal.
- Have a banner or sign that identifies your scene
- Be sure to speak loud and clear. Outdoor public speaking requires you to project your voice.
- Use your provided clear plastic sleeve to display your I-Search. Please hang your I-Search from a sting at the front of your sunshade.