

## **Stones, Bones, and Middens (Grades 7-12)**

In this program, students will be introduced to current archaeological theories about the earliest history of the Pacific Northwest Coast. The presentation will also discuss methods used by archeologists to interpret the past. Students will apply these skills by working hands-on with locally discovered artifacts. The highlight of this program for many students is the opportunity to create their own stone tools using the same techniques the First Peoples used on our coast.

This 2-hour program includes 30 minutes of outdoor activity.

### **BC Curriculum Connections**

#### **Grade 7 Social Studies**

- Anthropological origins of humans
- Human responses to particular geographic challenges and opportunities, including climates, landforms, and natural resources
- Scientific and technological developments

#### **Grade 8 Social Studies**

- Scientific and technological developments
- Interactions and exchanges of resources, ideas, arts, and culture between and among different civilizations
- Changes in population and living standards

#### **Grade 12 Human Geography**

- Demographic patterns of growth, decline, and movement
- Demographic patterns and population distribution are influenced by physical features and natural resources.
- Human activities alter landscapes in a variety of ways.