

TASK FOR THE OPEN AIR MUSEUM



During your visit to the Open Air Museum, you will have the opportunity to immerse yourself in the past and get to know more about Dutch culture and history. You will also discover the most popular jobs what every day life was like.

Working in groups,..

1. Find ten professions or crafts in the museum park and list them below

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____
- 6. _____
- 7. _____
- 8. _____
- 9. _____
- 10. _____

2. Then, choose one of these crafts or professions and prepare a short film (max. 2 minutes) about this craft/job/ profession

- In this short video, you must clearly show the craft (describe the tasks performed, timetable, etc.)
- You must also show the development or evolution of this craft or profession from the past to the present

Remember:

- try to present everything in a creative way
- every one in the group must participate in the film
- take into account copyright and use royalty free music



The Netherlands Open Air Museum: A museum about life

The Netherlands Open Air Museum is full of stories. They are hidden in the historic houses, mills and farmhouses you will find in the museum park, as well as in our work, lives, customs and traditions.

A hundred years of the Open Air Museum

At the end of the 19th century, the Netherlands experienced a period of rapid change. The industrial revolution brought progress and prosperity, but crafts and traditions were faced with the threat of being lost forever. Established on 24th April, 1912 and open to the public since July, 1918, over the last century this museum has grown to become one of most visited in Netherlands.

This museum shows the history of ordinary people and tells a relevant story that is linked to the present, the past and the future.

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