What is the Teacher Fellow Program?
The Learning and Engagement Department at The Henry Ford annually selects teachers to participate in a unique outreach program where Fellows experience what it’s like to work at a museum; getting an inside look at an upcoming exhibit, a behind the scenes feel for the institution and generating content to be used by both virtual and physical guests in the future.

Fellows are invited to meet with curators, educators, and other content area experts on the project; including brainstorming, dialoguing, as they co-create educational resources for educators and students who use The Henry Ford in their teaching and learning. Fellows work in collaboration with their cohort to create lesson/unit plans around a specific topic, as identified by The Henry Ford. Finally, they are asked to “prototype” the product in their own classrooms as well as on a field trip in the fall, and after final revisions and branding, these resources become part the wide array of tools available to our 1.8 million annual visitors. Ultimately, this program not only gives educators a challenging and fun way to enhance their professional careers, but also leverages the talents and capabilities of another impactful educational resource; teachers themselves

What’s new for the 2017 Fellows Cohort

- We have already identified the 2017 project—educator resources to support our exhibit “Mathematica”. Check out this link to learn more about it. Because of the multi-disciplinary nature of the exhibit we are seeking one K-12 teacher in each of the following content areas;
  - Science
  - Social Studies
  - English Language Arts
  - Math
- Fellows will be onsite at The Henry Ford either: **Monday - Friday, June 24th - 30th or July 7th - 11th**. Rewards include:
  - a $750 stipend,
  - funding for a 30-student field trip (transportation included!)
  - an annual family membership for each Fellow.

We need your help in finding the right people to be the next Teacher Fellows!

We are looking for K-12 teachers in each of the above listed content areas. They should be collaborative and creative individuals, ideally with some curriculum development experience and an interest in leveraging STEM principles to create educational materials, utilizing The Henry Ford Archive of American Innovation™ is the greatest collection ever assembled documenting American innovation, ingenuity and resourcefulness.

The application **due date is May 15**.

Visit our webpage to learn more about Teacher Fellows: [https://www.thehenryford.org/education/at-the-henry-ford/professional-development/fellow-program/](https://www.thehenryford.org/education/at-the-henry-ford/professional-development/fellow-program/)