

## CONNECTIONS POST-VISIT ACTIVITIES

1. You have just emigrated from England to a plantation in South Carolina in 1738. Write a letter to your Grandparents in England about the differences in what you and the slave child your age own do during the day.
2. Make a shaker or a drum.
3. Write a trickster story where a porcupine tricks a fox.
4. On a map follow the path of the Drayton family from England to the Barbados Islands to South Carolina. Using the distance scale on the map determine the distance between England and the Barbados Islands and between the Barbados Islands and South Carolina.
5. On a map follow the path that slave ships would have followed from the west coast of Africa to South Carolina. Using the scale of miles on the map, determine the distance between the west coast of Africa and South Carolina.
6. Which is further from South Carolina by sea - England or the west coast of Africa? How many miles is it from the west coast of Africa? How many miles from England?
7. Write an essay about the contributions made to American culture by the slaves and their descendents who were brought to North America from Africa.
8. Take a step. Measure the length of your stride. Now take a step for each year of your age.  
How many steps did you take? Multiply the length of the step by the number of steps. How many feet did you walk? How many steps would it take from your age to get back to 1670 when the first settlers arrived in South Carolina with slaves? Multiply the number of steps by the length of your stride. How many feet, yards, and miles would you need to walk to represent the time between 1670 and 2005?