Throughout our Historic Timeline, which ranges from 1803 through 1928, you will encounter many experiences that support multiple state standards. Students can step back in time and enjoy the benefits of a field trip at Sauder Village through hands-on interaction, authentic objects, crafts, and our environment.

**Natives and Newcomers:** At Natives & Newcomers you will learn what life was like for Native Americans in Ohio. Step back to 1803 and into the lives of the Native Americans and European traders who lived in this area at the time of Ohio’s statehood.

**Pioneer Settlement:** Experience the lives of the pioneers who lived in Ohio’s Great Black Swamp while visiting Pioneer Settlement. This area shares stories of life in Northwest Ohio from 1834 to 1909 — the journey of the first European immigrants to this region, draining the swamp, establishing a new community and making advancements in agriculture.

**1920s Main Street:** Few decades have had the same impact on the American way of life as the 1920s. It was an era filled with exciting advancements in travel and communication, and tremendous social change.

**Craft Circle:** Each one of the artists carries on a skill that was vital to everyday life at the time the Black Swamp was settled. Today, they’re some of the premier artists in their fields. Crafts are handmade daily and available for purchase.

**Farm and Animal Experience:** Experience life on the farm as you get up close with farm animals, learn from our historic farmer and watch unique demonstrations like plowing, planting or goat milking (depending on the season).

**Historic Gardens:** As you travel along the historic timeline you'll see the produce growing in the gardens and can step into one of the homes to learn how food was prepared through our historical cooking programs.