### 2014 Hermetic Code Tour Teacher Resource Kit

## **Tour Description**

Have you ever wondered why the Manitoba Legislative Building has sphinxes on the roof? Do you know the true identity of the Golden Boy? Join Dr. Frank Albo, academic inspiration behind The Hermetic Code, for an unforgettable tour of magic, mystery and architectural wonder. Meet inside the Manitoba Legislative Building and begin to unlock mysteries of Canada's most unique architectural landmark. Dr. Albo will take you along step-by-step to reveal a trail of occult clues concealed in the building's architecture including: hidden hieroglyphic inscriptions, numerological codes, and Freemasonic symbols so intelligently masked they have escaped historians and visitors for nearly a hundred years!

## Length

The tour is 1.5 hours long and consists of 20 minutes outside of the building, and standing throughout. The tour is also wheelchair accessible.

#### **Instruction Level**

The Hermetic Code Tour is ideal for students in Grades 7-12

#### **Topics covered**

Greek and Roman Mythology Numerology / Astrology Architecture

## **Pre-Requisites**

Students should have a basic understanding of Greek Mythology, Greek and Roman history, as well as knowledge of ancient Egyptian civilizations prior to taking the Hermetic Code Tour. They should also be familiar with the Fibonacci series of numbers as well as a basic understanding of architecture.

## Homework suggestions prior to taking the tour

Have students do projects or assignments on Greek and Roman Gods

# **Teacher Tips**

- We encourage you to arrive at least 10 minutes prior to the start of your tour
- Tours will run rain or shine so we ask that everyone dress appropriately for the weather as you spend 20 minutes outside
- Bottles of water and/or juice are permitted however, must be in a re-sealable container and easy to transport
- Washroom facilities are located inside the Legislative Building
- Cameras are permitted on the tour however; we are not responsible for lost or stolen items
- Parking is available for buses in the appropriate areas

For more information about your student group taking a Hermetic Code Tour, please contact Don Finkbeiner at 204-989-9630 or email <a href="mailto:donf@heartlandtravel.ca">donf@heartlandtravel.ca</a>.