

IN-DEPTH STUDY WORKSHOP AT  
THE PIERO CONTI MUSEUM OF EMIGRATION

# POPULAR TRADITIONS AND SOCIAL HISTORY IN NORTH- EASTERN UMBRIA. "THE STRANDS OF MEMORY. NONNA ELSA RECOUNTS..."

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## Target Age Group

Primary School, Middle School.

## Objective

The session will provide an introduction to the popular traditions and social history of the North-eastern internal area of Umbria. An economy centred on agriculture has shaped the life of the inhabitants, a life strictly regulated according to precise rhythms and customary precepts, and closely following the alternation of the seasons, the varied work in the fields and the life cycle itself.

## Form

An introductory phase will familiarise the pupils with the traditions, folklore and recurrent festivities permeating life in the internal area of North-eastern Umbria. This will be followed by an entertaining workshop "The Strands of Memory. Nonna Elsa recounts...", during which customs and traditions will be re-evoked by means of objects now considered obsolete.

## Duration

1 hr viewing the video and workshop

## Cost

€ 6,00 per pupil in attendance  
Free on-line activity

## Period

Current school year



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