



ARCHAEOLOGY, YOUR WAY

THE MANY SIDES OF ARCHAEOLOGY

IMAGINE THIS...

You've been given the opportunity to travel back in time for one day to learn about the past. Your job is to come back and share as much information as you can about one specific thing.

What would you choose to focus on?

There is more than one way to investigate the past. Archaeology is a diverse field that requires people that have different skillsets and interests to come together to build up our understanding of the past. Read on to discover some of the unique subfields of archaeology. Which one would you like to try?



- Historical Archaeologists study people and cultures by examining written records such as letters, government documents, or newspapers
- Underwater Archaeologists explore sites and objects that are submerged in oceans, lakes, and rivers.
- Environmental Archaeologists are interested in learning more about the long-term relationships between people and the natural world.
- Public Archaeology involves engaging with local communities to ensure that archaeological research is accessible and informative for everyone.
- Zooarcheologists study animal remains such as bones, teeth, or shells to discover more about human and animal relationships and diet.