SASKATCHEWAN HISTORIC PLACES DISCOVERY HUNT

Instructions

Information for Parents/Guardians

The Saskatchewan Historic Places Discovery Hunt is series of question sets developed by the Ministry of Parks, Culture and Sport to help grades 3-5 students learn about Saskatchewan history while studying at home. Each set of questions focusses on a topic or theme identified in the grades 3-5 Social Studies curriculum. The Saskatchewan Historic Places Discovery Hunt is designed to be used with the Canadian Register of Historic Places, which includes listings for over 700 designated municipal and provincial heritage properties in Saskatchewan. The questions are designed to guide students to a Saskatchewan listing where they can quickly learn an interesting fact about the property.

The questions are purposely designed to be easily answered with limited teacher or parental/guardian support, while promoting skills in using the Register and exposing the students to the diverse range of historic places found across the province. For those students who want to learn more, each property listing contains write-ups about their history and the reasons why they were designated. Students can also search the Register to learn about other historic places in Saskatchewan and across Canada. Students may also use the information found on the Register to inspire their own research of a historic place, such as an older building in their community, a house where a family member lived, or a place that they're curious to learn more about.

Your child's teacher has been provided the answer key for the Saskatchewan Historic Places Discovery Hunt and we have left it to their discretion as to how they will incorporate these questions sets into their teaching plan and share this information with your child.

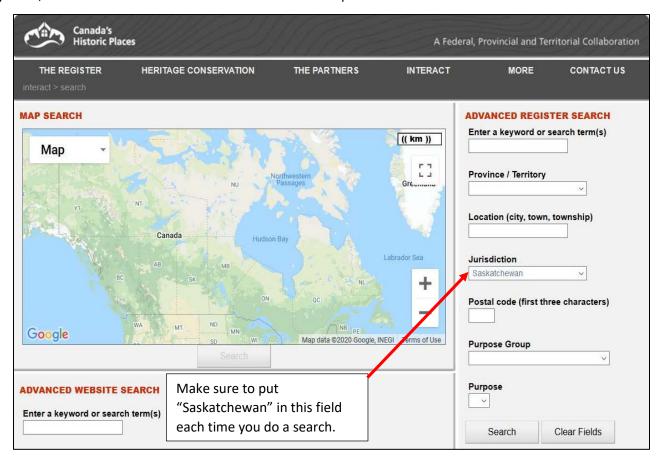
We hope that your child enjoys completing these questions and learning more about Saskatchewan's rich collection of designated heritage properties.

Instructions for Searching

You can learn a lot about Saskatchewan's history by learning about historic places that are found all around the province. By answering the questions in this exercise, you will discover interesting and sometimes surprising things about Saskatchewan's past.

Use clues in the questions to find historic places on the Canadian Register of Historic Places, then read about them to find the answers to the questions.

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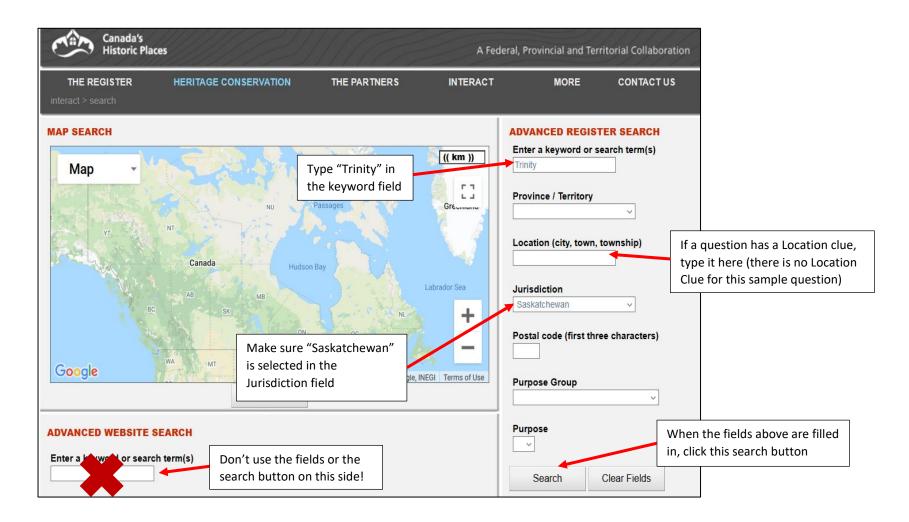


Here is a sample question and the steps you will need to take to find the answer.

Holy Trinity Anglican Church near the northern community of Stanley Mission was built next to which river? (Key Word: Trinity)

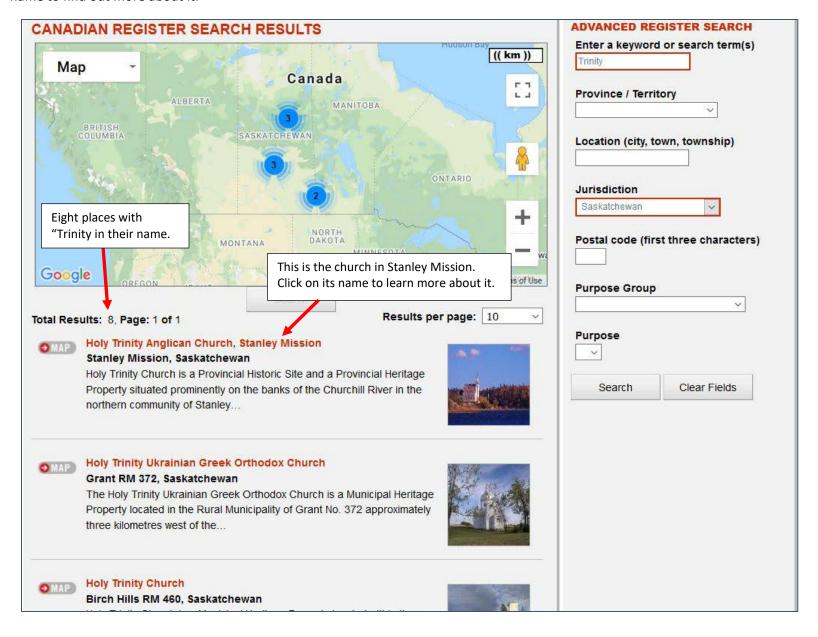
Step 1: Starting Your Search

Find the listing for this historic place by selecting "Saskatchewan" in the Jurisdiction field and typing the Key Word in the keyword field. Then press Enter on your keyboard or use the Search button. Each question will tell you what Key Word to use. For this question, the Key Word is **Trinity**. Some questions may have a Location clue in addition to a Key Word. For those questions, type the Location clue in the Location field.



Step 2: Reviewing Your Search Results

Sometimes there will be just one historic place in the search results. There might be more than one if there are different places with similar names. For this question, there are eight places that have Trinity in their name. Find the one that is located in Stanley Mission and click on its name to find out more about it.



Step 3: Finding the Answer

After you click on the church's name, the next screen tells you more about it. Read the information to find the answer to our sample question, "Holy Trinity Anglican Church near the northern community of Stanley Mission was built next to which river?". The answer is the Churchill River. When you are ready to go on to the next question, click on Advanced Search to return to the search page.

