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Paws in the Snow: Embodying History through Play and the Greenlandic Sled Dog

Short description / Abstract:

We will host a workshop that integrates storytelling and play into the teaching of history and physical education. Participants will engage with history through active, experiential learning. Through embodied activities, they will have the opportunity to “step into” ways of life that differ from those of the present. We will use the greenlandic sled dog as an example. In Greenland, sled dogs have historically played a crucial role in human survival; however, today they hold primarily cultural and historical significance.