

This 2 hour program will take place aboard the USS Yorktown in our state-of-the-art Flight Academy.

Mission Objective:

Participants will support defending Midway Island which involves, finding and sinking the Japanese Aircraft Carriers.

Conflict:

World War II, Midway, June, 1942

Location:

Pacific Ocean, Off the Coast of Midway

Station Roles: Combat Information Center / Air Traffic Control / Pilots for Aircraft

Aircraft:

SBD-2 Dauntless

Academic Objectives:

Reinforcement of SC State standards in Social Studies, Math, and Science along with the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate.





Official US Navy Photograph of USS Yorktown CV5 listing heavily to port after being hit at the Battle of Midway. Photo is dated September 16, 1942. From the Collection of Patriots Point Naval and Maritime Museum.



The USS YORKTOWN CV5 at her last port following a torpedo attack. From the Collection of Patriots Point Naval and Maritime Museum.