

## Tours and Attractions in Washington, D.C.

### Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Building

Where: J. Edgar Hoover Building, 935 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20535  
Phone: (202) 324-3447  
(202) 324-1016 (TTY)  
Closest Metro Station: Metro Center (Red, Blue, Orange lines)

### National Museum of Women in the Arts

Where: 1250 New York Ave, NW, Washington, DC 20005  
Phone: 202-783-5000  
(202) 783-7996 (Tours)  
Closest Metro Station: Metro Center (Red, Blue, Orange lines)

### Ford's Theater

Where: 511 10th St. NW Washington, DC 20004  
More Information: <http://www.nps.gov/archive/foth/schedule.htm>  
Tours: Self-guided, but there are scheduled talks  
Closest Metro Station: Metro Center (Red, Blue, Orange lines)

### Verizon Center (Washington Wizards, Georgetown Hoyas, Washington Capitals & Concerts)

Where: 601 F St. NW, Washington, DC 20004  
Phone: (202) 661-5061 (group sales tickets)  
Closest Metro Station: Gallery Place- Chinatown (Red, Yellow, Green lines)

### Smithsonian Institution

Where: 1000 Jefferson Drive SW, Washington, DC 20560  
Phone: (202) 633-1000  
Tours: [http://www.si.edu/group\\_tours/](http://www.si.edu/group_tours/)  
Closest Metro Station: Smithsonian (Orange and Blue lines)

### The Pentagon

Where: Army-Navy Dr. and Fern St. Arlington, VA 22202  
Phone: 703-697-1776  
703-614-1642 (fax)  
More Information: [http://pentagon.afis.osd.mil/tour\\_request\\_public.cfm](http://pentagon.afis.osd.mil/tour_request_public.cfm)

- If you are part of a school, church, government agency, or military organization group of 5 or more people you may go through the web site. Otherwise, you must go through your Congressional office to request a tour
- Tours must be scheduled at least 2 weeks in advance

Closest Metro Station: Pentagon (Blue and Yellow Lines)

### National Guard Memorial Museum

Where: One Massachusetts Ave. NW Washington, DC 20001  
Phone: (202) 408-5887  
Closest Metro Station: Union Station (Red Line)

### Building Museum

Where: 401 F St. NW Washington DC 20001  
Phone: (202) 272-2448  
More Information: For groups of 10 or more contact [gharris@nbm.org](mailto:gharris@nbm.org). Schedule at least 3 weeks in advance  
Closest Metro Station: Judiciary Square (Red Line)

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### Sewall-Belmont House

Where: 144 Constitution Ave. NE Washington, DC 20002  
Phone: (202) 546-1210  
More Information: [http://www.sewallbelmont.org/mainpages/museum\\_tours.html](http://www.sewallbelmont.org/mainpages/museum_tours.html)  

- This museum explores the evolving role of women and their contributions to society through the continuing, and often untold, story of women's pursuit for equality
- Headquarters of National Women's Party
- Tours offered from Tuesday to Saturday; and should be arranged 2-4 weeks in advance
- The Museum can only accommodate up to 30 visitors

Closest Metro Station: Union Station (Red Line)

### Washington Monument

Where: 15th St. SW Washington, DC 20002  
Phone: (202) 426-6841  
More Information: Tickets are distributed on a first-come, first-served basis beginning at 8:30 am until all tickets for that day are gone.  
Closest Metro Station: Smithsonian (Orange and Blue Lines)

### Library of Congress

Where: 101 Independence Ave. SE Washington, DC 20540  
Phone: (202) 707-8000  
More Information: Groups of 16-60 participants may reserve private tours with advance notice by contacting the Visitor Service Office at:  
<http://www.loc.gov/visit/contact.php>  
Tours only by reservation and on a first-come first-served basis  

- The Group Tour schedule is Mon-Fri, at 9am, 10am, 11am, or 1pm
- This is a lecture tour and is not suitable for school groups younger than 5th grade

Closest Metro Station: Capitol South (Orange and Blue Lines)

### The United States Botanical Garden

Where: 100 Maryland Ave. SW Washington, DC 20001  
Phone: (202) 226-4082  
More Information: [www.usbg.gov](http://www.usbg.gov)  

- Guided tours are available for groups of 10-25 persons; Mon-Fri 10:30am-1:30pm
- Schedule at least 3 weeks in advance

Closest Metro Station: Federal Center SW (Orange and Blue Lines)

### Arlington National Cemetery

Where: Arlington, VA 22211  
Phone: (703) 607-8000  
More Information: [www.arlingtoncemetery.org](http://www.arlingtoncemetery.org)  
Closest Metro Station: Arlington Cemetery (Blue Line)

### John F. Kennedy Center for Performing Arts

Where: 2700 F St. NW Washington, DC 20566  
Phone: (202) 416-8340  
More Information: [www.kennedy-center.org](http://www.kennedy-center.org)  
Free tours available Mon-Fri. 10am-5pm and Sat-Sun. 10am-1pm  
Free tours are given at the Kennedy Center weekdays 10am-5pm, weekends 10am-1pm  
Reservations needed (20 or more) by calling the Visitors Center (202-416-8340, 10am-9pm daily)  
Closest Metro Station: Foggy Bottom/ GW University (Orange and Blue Line)

## Tours and Attractions in Washington, D.C.

### National Cathedral Tours

Where: Massachusetts and Wisconsin Avenues, NW Washington, D.C. 20016-5098  
Phone: (202) 537-6200  
Fax: (202) 364-6600  
More Information: [www.cathedral.org/cathedral/visit/tour](http://www.cathedral.org/cathedral/visit/tour)  
Tours are offered Mondays and Wednesdays at 9:15am, tours can accommodate 45 people and last for approx 45 min  
Closest Metro Station: Cleveland Park (Red Line)

### National Postal Museum

Where: 2 Massachusetts Ave. N.E. Washington, DC 20002  
Phone: (202) 633-5555  
Fax: (202) 633-5534 (tours)

- More Information: Groups of 10 or more visitors may schedule a tour at least three weeks in advance
- Tours are approx one hour long and are NOT recommended for school groups

Closest Metro Station: Union Station (Red Line)

### The U.S. Capitol

Where: Between Independence and Constitution Avenues Washington, DC  
Phone: (202) 225-6827  
More Information: [www.aoc.gov/cc/visit/index.cfm](http://www.aoc.gov/cc/visit/index.cfm)

- Visitors can obtain free tickets for tours on a first-come, first-served basis, at the Capitol Guide Service kiosk located along the curving sidewalk southwest of the Capitol, by Independence Ave and the House Office Buildings
- Tours are available Mon-Sat. from 9am-3:30pm, and last for approx 45 min

Closest Metro Station: Capitol South or Union Station (Orange and Blue Lines, or Red Line, respectively)

### Bureau Engraving and Printing

Where: 14th St and C St. SW Washington, DC 20228  
Phone: (202) 874-2330

- Tours can be arranged though your congressman's office, for no more than 10 people
- School Groups should arrange tours though the Bureaus website: [www.moneyfactory.gov](http://www.moneyfactory.gov)
- Reservations should be made at least 6- 8 weeks in advance

Closest Metro Station: Smithsonian (Orange and Blue Lines)

### The National Archives

Where: 700 Pennsylvania Ave. NW Washington, DC 20408-0001  
Phone: (301) 837-0700  
More Information: The archive is open Mon-Fri from 10am-7pm  
Closest Metro Station: National Archives/ Navy Memorial (Yellow and Green Lines)

### The National Zoo

Where: 3001 Connecticut Ave. NW Washington, DC 20008  
Phone: (202) 633-4800  
More Information: The National Zoo is open every day of the year between 6am-6pm, except Dec 25  
Closest Metro Station: Woodley Park Zoo/ Adams Morgan (Red Line)

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### International Spy Museum

Where: 800 F St. NW Washington, DC 20004  
Phone: (202) 393-7798  
More Information: The Museum is open 7 days a week from 9 am to 8 pm (last admission 6pm)  
All Tickets are date and time specific. Advance Tickets are highly recommended.

- Groups of 20 or more qualify for Group Admission and require advance reservations
- Please allow approx 3 hours to complete the museum

Prices: Adult (ages 12-64) \$16

- Seniors (65+), Active Duty Military & Intel Community \$15
- Child\* (ages 5-11) \$13
- Children age 4 and under FREE

Closest Metro Station: Gallery Place/ Chinatown (Red, Yellow, and Green Lines)

### United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

Where: 100 Raoul Wallenberg Pl. SW Washington, DC 20024-2126  
Phone: (202) 488-0400  
More Information: [www.ushmm.org](http://www.ushmm.org)  
The museum is open from 10am–5:30pm every day  
Timed passes are necessary for visiting the museum; these can be obtained at the Museum on a first come first serve basis or in advance by calling Tickets.com at (800) 400–9373  
Group reservations for groups larger than 21 people, using the Museum’s online reservation system. Requests are processed on a first-come, first served basis, and may be submitted from 24 hours to 12 months in advance of the visit date.  
Please allow at least 4 hours to see the museum  
Closest Metro Station: Smithsonian (Orange and Blue Lines)

### Frederick Douglass House

Where: 1900 Anacostia Dr. SE Washington, DC 20020  
Phone: 877-444-6777  
More Information: Open 9am-5pm  
Closest Metro Station: Federal Center SW, then take P6 Metro Bus towards Anacostia Station (Orange and Blue Lines)

### Woodrow Wilson House

Where: 2340 S St. NW Washington, DC 20008  
Phone: 202-387-4062  
More Information: Tours are available on a first come first serve basis on the day of your visit, or alternatively you can arrange a tour though their website: <https://www.woodrowwilsonhouse.org>  
The house is open 10am-4pm Tues-Sun  
Prices: Adults \$7.50  
Seniors \$6.50  
Students \$3.00  
Under age 7 free  
Closest Metro Station: Dupont Circle (Red Line)

### Textile Museum

Where: 2320 S St. NW Washington, DC 20008-4088  
Phone: (202) 667-0441  
(202) 483-0994 (fax)  
More Information: The Museum is open Monday though Sat. 10am-5pm, and Sun. 1pm-5pm  
Admission is free, however a \$5 donation is recommended  
Closest Metro Station: Dupont Circle (Red Line)

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### National Museum of American Jewish Military History

Where: 1811 R St, NW Washington, DC  
Phone: (202) 265-6280  
More Information: Call Mary Westley at Extension 511 to arrange a tour  
www.nmajmh.org  
Closest Metro Station: Dupont Circle (Red Line)

### Voice of America

Where: 330 Independence Ave, SW Washington, DC  
Phone: (202) 203-4990  
More Information: www.voanews.com/english/about/index.cfm#  
Call to arrange for groups of 5 or more at: (202) 203-4990  
Closest Metro Station: Smithsonian (Orange and Blue Lines)

### Washington Redskins (American football)

Where: FedEx Field, Raljon Rd. Landover, MD 20785  
More information: For schedule and pricing information: www.redskins.com  
Closest Metro Station: Landover, then transfer to shuttle bus (Orange Line)

### Washington Nationals (baseball)

Where: RFK Stadium, Gate F 2400 East Capitol Street, S.E. Washington, D.C. 20003  
Closest Metro Station: Stadium Armory Station (Blue and Orange Lines)

### Embassies

It is also worth checking with the various Foreign Embassies based in Washington DC, to see what special events and exhibitions they are hosting during your visit

### The U.S. Navy Memorial and Naval Heritage Center

Where: 701 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004-2608  
Phone: 202-737-2300  
More Information: www.lonesailor.org  
Hours: 9.30am-5.00pm, Monday-Saturday, closed Sunday  
Winter schedule: closed Sunday and Monday, November-February  
Closest Metro Station: Archives/Naval Memorial Station (Yellow and Green Lines)

### Folger Shakespeare Library

Where: 201 East Capitol Street, SE, Washington, DC 20003  
Phone: 202-544-4600  
202-544-7077 (tickets)  
More Information: www.folger.edu  
Closest Metro Station: Capitol South (Orange and Blue Lines)

### Main Treasury Building

Where: 15<sup>th</sup> Street and Hamilton Place, SE  
More Information: Guided tours offered on most Sunday mornings at 9.00, 9.45, 10.30, and 11.15  
Advance reservations required, may be made through Congressional offices  
Tours are only available for citizens and legal residents of the US  
Name, date of birth, and Social Security Number for each visitor must be provided when making a reservation  
Closest Metro Station: Metro Center or McPherson Square (Red, Blue, and Orange Lines; or Blue and Orange Lines; respectively)

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### National Postal Museum

Where: First Street and Massachusetts Ave., NE  
Phone: 202-357-2991  
202-633-9849 (TTY)  
More Information: [www.si.edu/postal](http://www.si.edu/postal)  
Hours: open daily, 10.00am-5.30pm, closed December 25<sup>th</sup>  
Admission is free  
Tours: 1 hour museum tours offered weekdays at 11am, 1pm, and 2pm, weekends at 11am, and 1pm  
Closest Metro Station: Union Station (Red Line)

### The Museums at the Pope John Paul II Cultural Center

Where: 3900 Harewood Road, NE, Washington, DC 20017  
Phone: 202-635-5400  
More Information: [info@jp2cc.org](mailto:info@jp2cc.org)  
Hours: Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-5pm, Sunday 12am-5pm  
*Please call 202-635-5400 for holiday and winter hours*  
Admission: Donation and group fee  
*Please call 202-635-5475 for group information*  
Closest Metro Station: Brookland-CUA (Red Line)

### The Maryland Zoo in Baltimore

Where: 10 minutes from Baltimore Inner Harbor  
Phone: 410-366-LION  
More Information: [www.marylandzoo.org](http://www.marylandzoo.org)  
Hours: March 1<sup>st</sup> - December 31<sup>st</sup> 10.00am - 4.30pm  
(extended summer weekend hours – gates close 1 hour prior to Zoo closing)  
Closed on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday in June, Thanksgiving Day, and December 25<sup>th</sup>  
Admission: Children under 2 – free  
Groups of 15 or more receive a discount with advance reservation

### The DC Visitor Information Center

Where: 1300 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, DC 20004  
Phone: 202-DCVISIT (328-4748)  
1-866-DCISFUN (324-7386)  
More Information: [www.dcvisit.com](http://www.dcvisit.com)  
[www.dcchamber.org](http://www.dcchamber.org)  
Summer Hours (March 15-Labor Day): Monday-Friday 8.30am-5.30pm  
Saturday: 9.00am-4.00pm  
Fall/Winter Hours: Monday-Friday 9.00am-4.00pm  
Closest Metro Station: Federal Triangle (Blue and Orange Lines)

### Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History

Where: 10<sup>th</sup> St. and Constitution Ave., NE, Washington, DC 20560  
Phone: 202-357-2700  
202-357-1729 (TTY)  
More Information: Hours: Daily, 10am-5.30pm, closed Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>  
Tours: Monday-Thursday, 10.30am, and 1.30pm, Friday at 10.30am only  
[www.nmnh.si.edu](http://www.nmnh.si.edu)  
Closest Metro Station: Smithsonian (Blue and Orange Lines)

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### Tour Mobile Sightseeing

What: Daily narrated Shuttle tours with free re-boarding  
Phone: 202-554-5100  
Fax: 202-488-5200 (Fax)  
1-888-868-7707 (toll free)  
More Information: [www.tourmobile.com](http://www.tourmobile.com)  
Closest Metro Station: Union Station (Red Line)

### Boat Tours

What: Potomac Riverboat Company  
Where: City Marina, Alexandria, VA  
Phone: 703-548-9000  
Closest Metro Station: Alexandria Waterfront Location- King Street Metro (Blue and Yellow Lines);

### National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial

Where: E St., between 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> St., NW, Washington, DC  
More Information: Open year round, 24 hours a day  
Closest Metro Station: Judiciary Square, F St. exit (Red Line)

### Mount Vernon

Phone: 703-780-2000 (24 hours)  
703-799-8697 (TDD)  
More Information: [www.mountvernon.org](http://www.mountvernon.org)  
Hours: early 8am opening for Spring and Summer  
April-August 8am-5pm  
March, September, October: 9am-5pm  
November-February: 9am-4pm  
Easily reached by car, RV, bus or boat

### National Gallery of Art

Where: 6th St. and Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, DC  
Phone: 202-737-4215  
More Information: [www.nga.gov](http://www.nga.gov)  
Closest Metro Station: Judiciary Square (Red Line); Archives (Yellow and Green Lines), and Smithsonian (Blue and Orange Lines).

### The Radio & Television Museum

Where: 2608 Mitchellville Rd. Bowie, MD 20716  
Phone: 301-390-1020  
More Information: [www.radiohistory.org](http://www.radiohistory.org)

### The Chesapeake and Ohio Canal

Where: National Historical Park  
1850 Dual Highway  
Hagerstown, MD 21740  
Phone: 301-739-4200  
More Information: [www.nps.gov/choh](http://www.nps.gov/choh)

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### Clara Barton National Historic Site

Where: 5801 Oxford Rd.  
Glen Echo, MD 20812-1201  
Phone: 301-320-1410  
More Information: [www.nps.gov/clba](http://www.nps.gov/clba)  
Park is open 7 days a week  
Closed on Thanksgiving, 12/25 and 1/1  
The house is shown by guided tour only.  
Tours start on the hour between 10am and 4pm.

### Bike the Sites

Where: 1100 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20004  
Phone: 202-842-BIKE (2453)  
202-842-2441 (Fax)  
More Information: Open 7 days/week, March through November  
9am-6pm, spring and fall  
9am-9pm, summer  
Open 9.30 on Sundays  
Bike tours and Rentals  
Located at the Old Post office Pavilion  
Closest Metro Station: Federal Triangle (Blue and Orange Lines)

### The National Postal Museum

Where: 2 Massachusetts Ave, NE  
Phone: 202-633-5555  
202-633-9849 (TTY)  
More Information: [www.postalmuseum.si.edu](http://www.postalmuseum.si.edu)  
Open daily from 10am-5.30pm  
Free Admission  
Closest Metro Station: Union Station (Red Line)

### D.C. Party Shuttle Tours

Where: Meet at 12<sup>th</sup> St. & Pennsylvania Ave., NW (in front of Old Post Office Building) at 9.45am  
Phone: 1-877-U-TOUR-DC  
More Information: [www.WashingtonDCPartyShuttle.com](http://www.WashingtonDCPartyShuttle.com)  
Tour Pricing: Day Tours: Adults \$60.00, kids \$55.00  
Night Tours: \$30.00 per person  
Private tours: call for pricing

### Freer Gallery of Art/Arthur M. Sackler Gallery

Where: Freer Gallery of Art / Arthur M. Sackler Gallery  
Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. 20013-7012  
Phone: 202-633-0519  
More Information: [www.asia.si.edu](http://www.asia.si.edu)

### Woolly Mammoth Theatre Company

Where: 641 D Street, NW  
More Information: Schedule: Wednesday – Saturday 8pm, Sunday 2pm and 7pm  
Tickets: \$22 - \$52, \$10 for patrons 25 and under  
Pay-What-You-Can: Mon 6/4 and Tues 6/5 at 8pm, tickets on sale at 6.30pm, 2 per person  
(cash/check only)  
Closest Metro Station: Archives – Navy Memorial – Penn quarter (green/yellow lines; Gallery Place (red/green/yellow lines))



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### Port Discovery: The Children's Museum in Baltimore

Where: 35 Market Place, Baltimore, MD 21202  
More Information: Hours of Operation:  
Memorial Day – Labor Day: Monday -Thursday 10am-5pm  
Friday – Saturday 10am-6pm  
Sunday: 12pm-5pm  
September: Friday 9.30am – 4.30pm  
Saturday: 10am – 5pm  
Sunday: 12pm-5pm  
October – May: Tuesday – Friday: 9.30am – 4.30pm  
Saturday: 10am – 5pm  
Sunday 12pm – 5pm

Purchase advance tickets at [www.ticketmaster.com](http://www.ticketmaster.com)  
[www.portdiscovery.org](http://www.portdiscovery.org)

### The US Navy Museum

Where: Washington Navy Yard, 805 Kidder Breese St. SE, Washington, DC 20374  
Phone: (202) 433-6897  
More Information: All Navy Museum programs are free and open to the public, but an RSVP is needed for entry into Navy Yard  
[www.history.navy.mil](http://www.history.navy.mil)  
All visitors enter the 11<sup>th</sup> and O St. SE gate of the Washington Navy Yard on weekdays and the 6<sup>th</sup> and M St. SE gate for evening events, weekends, and holidays.  
Closest Metro Station: Navy Yard (Green Line); Eastern Market (Blue and Orange lines); Union Station (Red line)