

# Discover the Nation's Capital

## Patch Program



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## Welcome!

The Discover the Nation’s Capital patch program encourages Girl Scouts to explore the rich history of the Nation’s Capital council by visiting multiple places throughout the area. The program is appropriate for Girl Scouts of all levels. Through completing this program, Girl Scouts will **DISCOVER** the richness and diversity of the country’s history while having fun sightseeing in the many areas of our council. They will learn to appreciate and honor our country’s leaders – past and present – by visiting important historical sites. They will **CONNECT** with their troops or families and the world around them by completing activities that encourage them to think critically about our country’s social and political history. They will **TAKE ACTION and** apply the knowledge they gain from this trip when they return home. They will be inspired to create projects that share their experience with others and help them to take action in their own communities.

## Earning the Patch

To earn the center patch, Girl Scouts will visit several sites around our council’s area, answer questions about the places they visit and complete a project to share their experience with others.

The site locations are separated into five categories: Memorials, Government, Statuary, Museums and Gardens. (Find all the sites listed on page 5.)

This patch program can be completed in one trip to Washington, DC and the surrounding areas or over several visits. Girl Scouts can visit more than the three places needed to complete the requirements. If Girl Scouts are inspired to do more on their trip to DC or the surrounding areas, they may want to earn one – or all! – of the Discover the Nation’s Capital segments. The segments further explore the five topics. To earn a segment, visit two additional sites listed in that category.

**For questions, please reach out to the Program team at [programaa@gscnc.org](mailto:programaa@gscnc.org)**

## **During the Visits**

Girl Scouts will need to visit three locations from any of the five categories. Girl Scouts can use the provided activity questions for the locations to guide them during their visit or come up with one of their own.

While visiting the sites, or soon after, Girl Scouts complete the conclusion questions for each category to reflect on what they have seen and learned and how it ties into their experiences as Girl Scouts. Girl Scouts can complete the questions however they would like – by thinking silently, jotting down notes or discussing their answers.

## **After the Visit**

While visiting, Girl Scouts should take note of things that interest them and what they would like to learn more about or share with others.

Girl Scouts and troop leaders can tailor the activities and projects depending on the age level. For example, Brownies may want to do their conclusion questions and project as a group with the troop leader facilitating while older Girl Scout Scouts could do their own projects and share them with the other members of their troop.

Girl Scouts will make a project to share with their troop, family or others about their trip to use the knowledge they have gained on their trip to inform others. They can present a general overview of their trip or info about a specific place or person. Another option is to create an art or writing piece that they were inspired to carry out after their trip.

## **Project Ideas**

Girl Scouts can choose one of the following ideas, adapt a suggestion or invent their own project!

- Create a skit based on something you learned and act it out
- Write a poem, song or short story inspired by your trip
- Write a letter to a woman in history that you learned about
- Record a PSA or short video about a cause you would like to further explore
- Create a painting, drawing or sculpture inspired by a museum exhibit
- Make a piece of jewelry dedicated to a past or present member of the military
- Assemble a collage that includes ticket stubs, pictures and notes from your trip
- Post photos from your trip on your blog or social media page – be sure to include captions

## Know Before You Go

A trip to any of these locations requires planning in advance. Keep in mind:

- Hours – they are different for all locations, and sites may be closed nights, weekends or holidays.
- Tours – many places require an appointment for a group tour; look on each location’s website to find out more information.
- Prices – while many places are free of charge, be sure to check the website for each place you plan to visit to see if there are any fees.
- Bags-Many locations have restrictions on the size of bags and what you can bring into their location. This information is available on each of the location websites.
- Food/Water-While many locations don’t allow food within them, there are a wide range of food courts, food trucks, and restaurants for your group to explore. Water bottles are encouraged but may not be useable within museums or galleries.
- Cellphones-It is recommended that a cellphone with internet access be used. Photography in some locations may be limited.
- Sharing of photos is recommended for completion of the patches. Please be creative if your Girl Scouts do not have the photo permission box checked on your Parent Permission Form so names and faces are not identified.

To start, examine a current map of Washington, DC to see that the city is divided into four areas: NW (northwest), NE (northeast), SW (southwest), SE (southeast). Here is a great one <https://www.dcd.uscourts.gov/sites/dcd/files/washington-dc-map.pdf> Addresses and street names reflect in which quadrant a site is located. Generally, streets running north and south are numbered, those running east and west are named in alphabetical order, and diagonal avenues are named after states. See if you can find the street named after your state. Locate your selected sites on the map and plot your best route. Consider using the Metrorail system ([www.wmata.com](http://www.wmata.com)), local tour buses/trolleys, and/or foot power.

To help you plan visits to Maryland, here is a map:

<https://planning.maryland.gov/Documents/OurProducts/Maryland-Region-County-City-Town-map.pdf>

To help you plan visits to Virginia, here is a map:

<https://geology.com/cities-map/virginia.shtml>

To help you plan visits to West Virginia, here is a map:

<https://geology.com/cities-map/west-virginia.shtml>

## Categories

### Memorials

Albert Einstein Memorial  
African American Civil War Memorial  
Belmont-Paul Women's Equality National Monument  
District of Columbia War Memorial Extra Mile – Points of Light  
Jefferson Memorial  
John Paul Jones Memorial  
Korean War Veterans Memorial  
Lincoln Memorial  
Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial  
National WWII Memorial  
Vietnam Women's Memorial  
Vietnam Veterans Memorial  
Fort McHenry National Monument  
Edgar Allan Poe's Grave Site and Memorial  
National 9/11 Pentagon Memorial  
U.S. Marine Corps War Memorial  
Fort Randolph  
West Virginia's Female Veterans Memorial

### Museums

Anacostia Community Museum  
Daughters of the American Revolution Museum  
Mary McLeod Bethune Council House  
National Building Museum  
National Museum of African American History  
National Air and Space Museum  
National Museum of American History  
National Museum of the American Indian  
National Museum of Natural History  
National Museum of Women in the Arts  
National Portrait Gallery  
National Postal Museum  
U.S. Holocaust Museum  
B&O Railroad Museum  
Baltimore Museum of Art  
Harriet Tubman Museum  
Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad  
USS Constellation  
Carlyle House Historic Mansion  
George Mason's Gunston Hall  
George Washington's Mount Vernon  
James Madison's Montpelier  
Thomas Jefferson's Monticello  
Beckley Exhibition Coal Mine and Youth Museum  
Greenbrier Historical Society and North House Museum  
G.W. Henderson Plantation – Henderson Hall

### Government

Bureau of Engraving and Printing  
Library of Congress  
National Archives  
Supreme Court  
White House  
U.S. Capitol  
United States Naval Academy  
Arlington National Cemetery and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier  
Pentagon  
West Virginia Independence Hall

### Statuary

Bartholdi Fountain – U.S. Botanic Garden Full Count – Federal Reserve Bank Courtyard  
Gargoyles – Washington National Cathedral  
Joan of Arc Statue – Meridian Hill Park  
Memorial Bridge Equestrian Statues  
Sculpture Garden – Hirshhorn Museum  
Sculpture Garden – National Gallery of Art  
Uncle Beazley – National Zoo  
The Awakening Sculpture

**West Virginia Capitol Building**

**Outdoors(Gardens)**

- Dumbarton Oaks
- Enid Annenberg Haupt Garden
- Kenilworth Park and Aquatic Gardens
- Native Landscape – American Indian Museum
- Tidal Basin
- United States Botanical Garden
- U.S. National Arboretum
- Victory Garden – American History Museum
- Monocacy National Battlefield
- Thomas Point Shoal Lighthouse
- Historic St. Mary’s City
- Historic Jamestown
- Colonial Williamsburg
- Sully Historic Site
- American Horticultural Society’s River Farm
- Green Bank Observatory
- Glade Creek Gristmill
- Grave Creek Mound Archaeological Complex
- Harpers Ferry National Historical Park
- Jefferson Rock
- John Brown’s Fort

**Locations in Maryland**

**Locations in Virginia**

**Locations in West Virginia**

## MEMORIALS



As you visit any of the memorials, think about the following:

- Look at any inscriptions or quotes, what do you think about them?
- What qualities do you think are represented here?
- If you could add or take away something from the memorial, what would it be? Why?

### **Albert Einstein Memorial**

2101 Constitution Avenue, NW Washington DC

Metro: Farragut North (Red Line) or Foggy Bottom (Blue/Orange/Silver Line)

<http://www.nasonline.org/about-nas/visiting-nas/nas-building/the-einstein-memorial.html>

### **African American Civil War Memorial and Museum**

1200 U Street, NW Washington DC

Metro: U Street/African American Civil War Memorial/Cardozo (Green/Yellow Lines)

<http://www.afroamcivilwar.org>

### **Belmont-Paul Women’s Equality National Monument**

144 Constitution Avenue, NE Washington DC

Metro: Union Station (Red Line) or Capitol South (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<https://www.nps.gov/bepa/>

### **Daughters of the American Revolution Museum**

1776 D Street, NW Washington DC

Metro: Farragut West (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines) or Farragut North (Red Line)

<http://www.dar.org/museum/>

### **District of Columbia War Memorial**

Between Independence Avenue, SW and the Reflecting Pool Washington DC

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<https://www.nps.gov/nama/planyourvisit/dc-war-memorial.htm>

### **The Extra Mile – Points of Light Volunteer Pathway**

Begins at Pennsylvania Avenue & 15<sup>th</sup> Street, NW Washington DC

Metro: Metro Center (Blue/Orange/Silver/Red Lines) or McPherson Square (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<https://www.pointsoflight.org/the-extra-mile-points-of-light-volunteer-pathway/>

**Fort McHenry National Monument** (40 miles from DC)

2400 E Fort Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21230  
<https://www.nps.gov/fomc/index.htm>

**Fort Randolph** (364 miles from DC)

Lighthouse Lane  
Point Pleasant, WV 25550  
<https://fortrandolph.weebly.com/>

**Jefferson Memorial**

701 East Basin Drive, SW Washington DC (south side of National Mall on the Tidal Basin)  
Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
<http://www.nps.gov/thje>

**John Paul Jones Memorial**

17<sup>th</sup> St., NW and Independence Avenue, SW Washington DC  
Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
<http://mallhistory.org/items/show/8>

**Korean War Veterans Memorial**

National Mall at Daniel French Drive, SW Washington DC  
Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
<https://www.nps.gov/kowa>

**Lincoln Memorial**

National Mall at 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, SW Washington DC  
Metro: Foggy Bottom-GWU (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
<http://www.nps.gov/linc>

**U.S. Marine Corps War Memorial** (Iwo Jima) (6.1 miles from DC)

1775 Semper Fidelis Way  
Triangle, VA 22172  
<https://www.usmcmuseum.com/>

**Martin Luther King Jr, Memorial**

1964 Independence Avenue, SW Washington DC  
(south side of National Mall on the Tidal Basin)  
Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
<http://www.nps.gov/nwwm>

**National 9/11 Pentagon Memorial** (7.5 miles from DC)

1 Rotary Rd. (west side of the Pentagon grounds)

Arlington, VA 22202

<https://www.defense.gov/Multimedia/Experience/Pentagon-Memorial/>

**National World War II Memorial**

National Mall at 17<sup>th</sup> Street, SW Washington DC

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<http://www.nps.gov/nwwm>

**Vietnam Women's Memorial**

Henry Bacon Drive & Constitution Avenue NW Washington DC

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<https://www.nps.gov/thingstodo/vietnam-womens-memorial.htm>

**Vietnam Veterans Memorial**

National Mall at 21<sup>st</sup> Street, NW Washington DC

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<http://www.nps.gov/vive>

**West Virginia's Female Veterans Memorial** (356 miles from DC)

1900 Kanawha Boulevard East

Charleston, WV 25305

<https://theclio.com/entry/10782>

## Concluding Reflection Questions for Memorials

- What was your favorite part of the memorial(s) that you visited?
- If you were going to dedicate a memorial to someone, who would it be and why?
- What do you think is the purpose of memorials? How do they convey their messages with words and symbols?

## GOVERNMENT



As you visit these locations, think about the following:

- What would you do if you worked here?
- What would it be like to design policies for our country?
- Did you see or learn something that was new to you?

### [Arlington National Cemetery and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier](#) (16 miles from DC)

1 Wilson Avenue  
Fort Myer, VA 22211  
<https://arlingtoncemetery.org/>

### **Bureau of Engraving and Printing**

14<sup>th</sup> Street & C Street, SW Washington DC  
Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
<http://www.moneyfactory.gov>

### **Library of Congress**

101 Independence Avenue, SE Washington DC  
Metro: Capitol South (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
[www.loc.gov](http://www.loc.gov)

### **National Archives**

700 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington DC  
Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial-Penn Quarter (Green/Yellow Lines)  
<http://www.archives.gov/dc-metro/washington/>

### **Pentagon**

Army Navy Drive & Fern Street, Arlington, VA  
Metro: Pentagon (Blue/Yellow Lines)  
<https://www.defense.gov/Pentagon-Tours/>

### **Supreme Court**

1 First Street, NE Washington DC  
Metro: Capitol South (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
<http://www.supremecourt.gov>

### **U.S. Capitol**

Independence Avenue & First Street, SE Washington DC  
Metro: Capitol South (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)  
<http://www.visitthecapitol.gov/>

### **United States Naval Academy** (41 miles from DC)

118 Maryland Avenue  
Naval Academy, MD 21402  
<https://www.usna.edu/Museum/Visitors.php>

**West Virginia Independence Hall** (283 miles from DC)

1528 Market Street

Wheeling, WV 26003

<https://wvculture.org/explore/wv-independence-hall/>

**West Virginia Capitol Building** (356 miles from DC)

1900 Kanawha Boulevard East

Charleston, WV 25305

<https://charlestonwv.com/listing/west-virginia-state-capitol/>

**White House**

1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington DC

Metro: McPherson Square (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/>

### **Concluding Reflection Questions for Government**

- What did you learn about what the government does that you did not know before? Is there anything you would like to find out more about?
- How do you think you could go about affecting legislation passed in the government?
- If you could come up with any law at all, what would it be?

## MUSEUMS



As you visit any of these museums, keep in mind the following:

- What was the most interesting exhibit you saw?
- What was the most interesting thing you learned?
- What was your favorite part of visiting the museum?

### **Anacostia Community Museum**

1901 Fort Place, SE Washington DC

Metro: Anacostia (Green Line)

<http://www.anacostia.si.edu>

### **Baltimore Museum of Art** (43 miles from DC)

10 Art Museum Drive

Baltimore, MD 21218

<https://artbma.org/>

### **B&O Railroad Museum** (39 miles from DC)

901 West Pratt Street

Baltimore, MD 21223

<https://www.borail.org/>

### **Beckley Exhibition Coal Mine and Youth Museum** (311 miles from DC)

513 Ewart Avenue

Beckley, WV 25801

<https://wvtourism.com/company/beckley-exhibition-coal-mine/>

### **Calvert Marine Museum and Drum Point Lighthouse** (68 miles from DC)

14200 Solomons Island Road South

Solomons, MD 20688

<https://www.calvertmarinemuseum.com/>

### **Carlyle House Historic Mansion** (12 miles from DC)

121 North Fairfax Street

Alexandria, VA 22314

<https://www.novaparks.com/parks/carlyle-house-historic-park>

### **George Washington's Mount Vernon** (21.4 miles from DC)

3200 Mount Vernon Memorial Highway

Mt. Vernon, VA 22121

<https://www.mountvernon.org/>

**[George Mason's Gunston Hall](#)** (30 miles from DC)

10709 Gunston Road

Lorton, VA 22079

<https://www.fxva.com/listing/george-masons-gunston-hall/2628/>

**[Greenbriar Historical Society and North House Museum](#)** (261 miles)

814 Washington Street

Lewisburg, WV 24901

<https://www.greenbrierhistorical.org/>

**[G.W. Henderson Plantation – Henderson Hall](#)** (309 miles from DC)

5701 Old River Road

Williamstown WV

<http://www.hendersonhallwv.org/>

**[Harriet Tubman Museum](#)** (94 miles from DC)

424 Race Street

Cambridge, MD 21613

<https://www.harriettubmanmuseumcenter.org/>

**[James Madison's Montpelier](#)** (96 miles from DC)

11350 Constitution Highway

Montpelier Station, VA 22957

<https://www.montpelier.org/>

**[Mary McLeod Bethune Council House](#)**

1318 Vermont Avenue, NW Washington DC

Metro: McPherson Square (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines) or U Street/African American

Civil War Memorial/Cardozo (Green/Yellow Lines)

<http://www.nps.gov/mamc/>

**[National Museum of American History](#)**

14<sup>th</sup> Street & Constitution Avenue, NW Washington DC

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<http://americanhistory.si.edu>

**[National Museum of Women in the Arts](#)**

1250 New York Avenue, NW Washington DC

Metro: Metro Center (Blue/Orange/Silver/Red Lines) or Gallery Place-Chinatown

(Green/Yellow/Red Lines)

<http://www.nmwa.org/>

**National Portrait Gallery** (shares location with American Art Museum)

8<sup>th</sup> Street & F Street, NW Washington DC

Metro: Gallery Place-Chinatown (Green/Yellow/Red Lines)

<http://www.npg.si.edu>

**National Air and Space Museum**

7<sup>th</sup> Street & Independence Avenue, SW Washington DC

Metro: L'Enfant Plaza (Blue/Orange/Silver/ Green/Yellow Lines)

<http://www.nasm.si.edu>

**National Museum of the American Indian**

4<sup>th</sup> Street & Independence Avenue, SW Washington DC

Metro: L'Enfant Plaza (Blue/Orange/Silver/Green/Yellow Lines)

<http://www.nmai.si.edu>

**National Museum of Natural History**

10<sup>th</sup> Street & Constitution Avenue, NW Washington DC

Metro: Federal Triangle (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<http://www.mnh.si.edu>

**National Building Museum**

401 F Street, NW Washington DC

Metro: Judiciary Square (Red Line)

<http://www.nbm.org>

**National Postal Museum**

2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE Washington DC

Metro: Union Station (Red Line)

<http://www.postalmuseum.si.edu>

**United States Holocaust Memorial Museum**

100 Raoul Wallenberg Place, SW Washington DC

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Lines)

<http://www.ushmm.org>

**Thomas Jefferson's Monticello** (119 miles from DC)

1050 Monticello Loop

Charlottesville, VA 22902

<https://www.monticello.org/>

**USS Constellation** (40 miles from DC)

301 Light Street

Baltimore, MD 21202

<https://historicships.org/explore/uss-constellation>

## Concluding Reflection Questions for Museums

- What was your favorite exhibit and why?
- What did you find that you did not expect to be in a museum? Why did it surprise you?
- If you could create your own exhibit or whole museum, what would it be?

### STATUARY



As you enjoy looking at these statues, keep in mind the following:

- Do you know who is for or what the statue is about?
- Draw or sketch on of the statues – or your own!
- Enjoy walking in the outdoors, take a deep breath!

**The Awakening Sculpture** (15 miles from DC)

153 National Plaza

Oxon Hill, MD 20745

No website, but there is information here to plan with <https://www.nationalharbor.com/>

**Bartholdi Fountain** at the U.S. Botanic Garden

At the corner of Independence Avenue, Washington Avenue, and First Street, SW

Metro: Federal Center SW (Blue/Orange/Silver Line)

<https://www.usbg.gov/bartholdi-fountain-fountain-light-and-water>

**Full Count** at the Federal Reserve Bank Courtyard

2051 Constitution Avenue, NW Washington DC

Metro: Foggy Bottom/GWU (Blue/Orange/Silver Line)

**Gargoyles** at the Washington National Cathedral

3101 Wisconsin Avenue, NW

<https://cathedral.org/>

**Joan of Arc Statue** at Meridian Hill Park

16<sup>th</sup> Street and W Street, NW Washington DC

Metro: U Street/African American Civil War Memorial/Cardozo (Green/Yellow Lines)

<https://www.nps.gov/places/meridian-hill-park.htm>

**Memorial Bridge Equestrian Statues**

Lincoln Memorial Circle, NW Washington DC

Metro: Foggy Bottom/GWU (Blue/Orange/Silver Line)

<https://www.nps.gov/places/000/arts-of-war-sacrifice.htm>

**Sculpture Garden** at the National Gallery of Art

Constitution Avenue, NW between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Streets Washington DC

Metro: Archives/Navy Memorial/Penn Quarter (Green/Yellow Line)

<https://www.nga.gov/>

**Sculpture Garden** at the Hirshhorn Museum

Independence Avenue, SW and 7<sup>th</sup> Street, SW Washington DC

Metro: L'Enfant Plaza (Blue/Orange/Silver/Yellow/Green Line)

<https://hirshhorn.si.edu/>

**Uncle Beazley** at the National Zoo

3001 Connecticut Avenue, NW

Metro: Cleveland Park or Woodley Park/Adams Morgan/Zoo (Red Line)

<https://nationalzoo.si.edu/>

**Concluding Reflection Questions for Statuary**

- What was your favorite exhibit or statue? Why?
- Why do you think statues are so important to our culture? What does it help to do?
- How do you use creativity in your own life?

## Outdoors (Gardens)



As you visit these locations, keep the following in mind:

- What is your favorite thing that you saw?
- Did you see any plants/foliage/flowers that you were familiar with?
- Did you see any animals?

### **Antietam Battlefield** (62 miles from DC)

302 East Main Street  
Sharpsburg, MD 21782

<https://www.nps.gov/anti/index.htm>

### **American Horticultural Society's River Farm** (17 miles from DC)

7931 E Boulevard Drive  
Alexandria, VA 22308

<https://www.fxva.com/listing/american-horticultural-society%e2%80%99s-river-farm/245/>

### **Colonial Williamsburg** (156 miles from DC)

101 Visitor Center Drive  
Williamsburg, VA 23185

<https://www.colonialwilliamsburg.org/>

### **Dumbarton Oaks**

1703 32nd Street, NW Washington DC

Metro: Dupont Circle (Red) and Foggy Bottom-GWU (Blue/Orange/Silver Line)

<https://www.doaks.org/>

### **Enid Annenberg Haupt Garden**

Situated between the Smithsonian Castle and Independence Avenue, SW Washington DC

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Line)

<https://gardens.si.edu/gardens/haupt-garden/>

### **Edgar Allan Poe's Grave Site and Memorial** (40 miles from DC)

203 North Amity Street  
Baltimore, MD 21223

<https://www.poeinbaltimore.org/>

### **Glade Creek Gristmill** (305 miles from DC)

Park Forest 802  
Danese, WV 25831

<https://wvstateparks.com/glade-creek-grist-mill-babcock/>

**Grave Creek Mound Archaeological Complex** (284 miles from DC)

801 Jefferson Avenue  
Moundsville, WV 26041

<https://wvculture.org/explore/grave-creek-mound/>

**Green Bank Observatory** (206 miles from DC)

155 Observatory Road  
Green Bank, WV 24915

<https://greenbankobservatory.org/>

**Harpers Ferry National Historical Park** (59 miles from DC)

171 Shoreline Drive  
Harpers Ferry, WV 25425

<https://www.nps.gov/hafe/index.htm>

**Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad National Park** (105 miles from, DC)

4068 Golden Hill Road  
Church Creek, MD 21622

<https://www.nps.gov/hatu/index.htm>

**Hampton National Historic Site** (57 miles from DC)

535 Hampton Lane  
Towson, MD 21286

<https://www.nps.gov/hamp/index.htm>

**Historic Jamestown** (162 miles from DC)

1368 Colonial National Historical Parkway  
Jamestown, VA 23081

<https://historicjamestowne.org/>

**Historic St. Mary's City** (seasonal hours) (80 miles from DC)

18751 Hogaboom Lane  
Saint Mary's City, MD 20686

<https://www.hsmcdigshistory.org/>

**Jefferson Rock – Harpers Ferry National Historical Park** (59 miles from DC)

Harpers Ferry National Historical Park  
171 Shoreline Drive

Harpers Ferry, WV 25425

<https://www.nps.gov/hafe/learn/historyculture/jefferson-rock.htm>

**John Brown's Fort** (59 miles from DC)

814 Shenandoah Street  
Harpers Ferry, WV 25425

<https://www.nps.gov/hafe/learn/historyculture/john-brown-fort.htm>

**Kenilworth Park and Aquatic Gardens**

1550 Anacostia Avenue, NE Washington DC

<https://www.nps.gov/keag/index.htm>

**Monocacy National Battlefield** (39 miles from DC)

5201 Urbana Pike

Frederick, MD 21704

<https://www.nps.gov/mono/index.htm>

**Native Landscape** at the National Museum of the American Indian

4<sup>th</sup> Street and Independence Avenue, SW Washington DC

Metro: L'Enfant Plaza (Blue/Orange/Silver/Green/Yellow Lines)

<https://americanindian.si.edu/visit/washington/architecture-landscape/>

**Sully Historic Site** (33 miles from DC)

3650 Historic Sully Way

Chantilly, VA 20151

<https://www.fxva.com/listing/sully-historic-site/248/>

**Tidal Basin**

Bordered by West Basin Drive, SW, Independence Avenue, SW and Maine Avenue, SW

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/ Silver)

<https://www.nps.gov/articles/dctidalbasin.htm>

**Thomas Point Shoal Lighthouse** (45 miles from DC)

Thomas Point Shoal

Annapolis, MD 21403

<https://thomaspointshoallighthouse.org/>

**Victory Garden** at the National Museum of American History

1300 Constitution Avenue, NW Washington DC

Metro: Smithsonian (Blue/Orange/Silver Line)

<http://www.gardens.si.edu/our-gardens/victory-garden.html>

**U.S. National Arboretum**

3501 New York Avenue, NE Washington DC

Metro: Stadium Armory Station (Blue/Orange) Transfer to Metrobus B-2

<https://www.usna.usda.gov/>

**United States Botanical Garden**

100 Maryland Avenue, SW Washington DC

Metro: Federal Center SW (Blue/Orange/Silver Line)

<https://www.usbg.gov/>

**Concluding Reflection Questions for Outdoors**

- What was your favorite outdoor space? Why?
- Why do you think it is important to have green space in a busy city?
- If you designed a garden, what would you put in it, and why?