

# CLOSE UP WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR NEW AMERICANS

## SUNDAY



Arrive in Washington, D.C.  
Hotel check-in



Welcome dinner

**Meet peers from schools nationwide**

Welcome workshop & orientation

Meet & greet social activity



## MONDAY

Hot breakfast buffet

**Group Activity: Founding documents**

**National Archives study visit**



**Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial**

Lunch at D.C.'s historic Union Station

**Memorials: Thomas Jefferson & George Mason**



**National Politics Seminar: Get an insider's view**

**Neighborhood Study Visit: Adams Morgan**

Dinner and social activity at Dave & Buster's

## TUESDAY

Hot breakfast buffet

Mock Congress workshop



**Capitol Hill Walking Workshop: Our inside look at how things work in Congress**

**Walk the National Mall**

Smithsonian Air & Space Museum: Study visit & lunch

**Immigration Policy Seminar**

**Memorials Study Visit: Korean, Vietnam & Lincoln**



Pizza Dinner

Current issues in-depth seminar

Social activity

## WEDNESDAY

Hot breakfast buffet



**Capitol Hill Day: Meet with your members of Congress or their staffs**

**Attend and observe key testimony in Congressional Committee Hearings**

Explore the U.S. Capitol Hill Visitor Center & Museum

Lunch at the House Cafeteria

**Visit the Supreme Court & Library of Congress**



Take your seat in the Galleries to see the U.S. Senate & House of Representatives in action

**Lafayette Park & Executive Branch study visit**

Dinner at hotel

**Mock Presidential Election**

Social activity

## THURSDAY

Hot breakfast buffet



Group Activity: Learn how to create a Community Action Plan

**World War II Memorial**

Lunch: National Place

**Community Onsite: Latin American Youth Center**

**Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial**



**Washington Exploration: Albert Einstein Memorial**

Dinner at Bucca Di Beppo

**Theatre: An American Musical Landscape**

Social activity

## FRIDAY

Hot breakfast buffet

Spend the day with your school



**Popular sites include:**

Arlington National Cemetery: Section 60, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, JFK & Challenger Memorial

Lunch at Smithsonian: Nine city blocks of museums

Return to program

**Student Photojournalism Exhibit : Show what you learned**

Final Reflection workshop

**Banquet & dance**

## SATURDAY

Hot breakfast buffet

Depart for home



*Study visits led by our highly-trained instructors give students unique opportunities to learn using historic sites and institutions as living classrooms.*

*Workshops and seminars reinforce this learning and help students make personal connections to the roles that they, as ordinary citizens, play in the U.S. democracy.*

*Sample schedule*