

CLOSE UP HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER PROGRAM



Sunday

Arrive in Washington, D.C.

Hotel Check-In

Meet with your Close Up concierge and explore D.C. with your school if time allows

Teacher Dinner and Orientation

Student Evening Activities (Optional for Teachers)

Student Orientation

Meet your peers from around the country

Student Introductory Workshop

Get to know your program instructor and engage with issues that matter most to you

Student Lounge



Monday

Breakfast

All-Day Elective:

70 Years 'til Suffrage (\$)

Trace the suffragist crusade at the National Archives, Belmont-Paul Women's Equality National Monument, Lorton Prison Museum & the new Turning Point Suffragist Memorial

Morning Elective Options:

Capitol Hill Walking Workshop for First-Time Teachers

Defending the District

Examine the long history of defending D.C. at Fort Foote, Fort Stevens, and Battleground National Cemetery

Neighborhood Lunch (\$)

Afternoon Elective Options:

The Death of Reconstruction

Consider how Reconstruction changed our nation at the African American Civil War Memorial, Charles Sumner School, the site of Andrew Johnson's inauguration, the Willard Hotel, the Treasury & the site of the Wormley Hotel

Engaging with Memorials: Jefferson, FDR, MLK & WWII

Teacher Reception

Departure for Hotel

or

An Evening at the Memorials: Vietnam, Korea & Lincoln



Tuesday

Breakfast

All-Day Elective:

Fractured Legacy: George Washington & the March Toward Civil War (\$)

Examine Washington through the lens of his descendants at Woodlawn Plantation, Tudor Place, and Arlington House at Arlington National Cemetery

Morning Elective:

Ford's Theatre: Living Through Lincoln's Assassination

Explore Ford's Theatre and Petersen House, and take part in a workshop at the Ford's Theatre Center for Education and Leadership to experience how real people responded to this national tragedy

Neighborhood Lunch

Afternoon Elective Options:

Alice, Eleanor, and Cissy: Three Portraits of Power

Get to know Alice and Eleanor Roosevelt and Cissy Patterson at Rock Creek Cemetery & FDR Memorial, and in Dupont Circle

Black Artistry During D.C.'s Harlem Renaissance

Take a walking tour of the U Street Corridor to Duke Ellington's childhood home, the Whitelaw Hotel, and the legendary Lincoln Theatre

Return to Hotel, Dinner on Own (\$)

Optional Student/Teacher Meetings



Wednesday

Breakfast

Capitol Hill Day with Students

Take advantage of as many activities as you can!

- Get an exclusive, insider's look at how our government operates by meeting with members of Congress or their staff
- Tour the Capitol and discover the exhibits in the Capitol Visitor Center
- Have lunch at Longworth Cafeteria
- Explore the Library of Congress, the largest library in the world, and view the symbolic art and architecture
- Pop into one of the Smithsonian museums, see the Washington Monument, or visit the National Archives

Bus Transfer to Neighborhood Dinner (\$)

Return to Hotel

or

Transfer to Student Program Night on the Town



Thursday

Breakfast

Morning Elective:

Nixon & the Nukes

Examine Nixon's downfall and its national security implications at the Watergate Museum, the former homes of James Schlesinger and Henry Kissinger, and—if time permits—the Pentagon 9/11 Memorial

Neighborhood Lunch (\$)

Afternoon Elective:

Museum Visits

Check out your guidebook for a list of what's available and let us know which museum you'd like to visit

Teacher Closing Workshop & Reflection



Friday

Breakfast

Sightsee in Washington

Prior to your departure, spend some more time in the city with your school

Depart for Home

Note: This schedule does not reflect any extra days that schools may opt to include.

(\$) Cost not included in adult tuition.

Tentative schedule subject to change.