Tours and Activities

THIS MONTH AT THE

U.S. CAPITOL

visitor center

MONDAY through SATURDAY

The Capitol Visitor Center offers **guided tours of the historic Capitol** every 10–20 minutes throughout the day.

The Capitol Visitor Center will close to the public Tuesday, February 4, at noon.



MONDAY



11 a.m. Halls of the Senate Tour

12 p.m. What's Happening in the Chambers?*

1 p.m. Votes for Women Tour *

2 p.m. Halls of the Senate Tour*

3 p.m. Freedom Fighters in the Capitol Collection Tour*

* (Not offered Monday, February 17.)

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

11 a.m. Halls of the Senate Tour

12 p.m. What's Happening in the Chambers?*

1 p.m. Votes for Women Tour*

2 p.m. Halls of the Senate Tour*

3 p.m. Freedom Fighters in the Capitol Collection Tour *

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THURSDAY

11 a.m. Halls of the Senate Tour

12 p.m. What's Happening in the Chambers?

1 p.m. Votes for Women Tour

2 p.m.
Halls of the Senate Tour 4
3 p.m.
Freedom
Fighters in the Capitol
Collection
Tour



FRIDAY



11 a.m. Halls of the Senate Tour

12 p.m. What's Happening in the Chambers?

1 p.m. Votes for Women Tour

1 p.m. Seen on Screen

2 p.m. Halls of the Senate Tour

3 p.m. Freedom Fighters in the

Capitol Collection Tour

SATURDAY

10 a.m. Family Program

1 p.m. Votes for Women Tour

2 p.m. Family Program





U.S. SENATE CHAMBER

The Senate and House Galleries are not included in any tour. Passes are required to enter the Galleries. Visitors may obtain Gallery passes from the offices of their senators or representative. International visitors may inquire about Gallery passes at the House and Senate Appointment Desks on the upper level of the Visitor Center.



U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CHAMBER

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U.S. CAPITOL visitor center

GUIDE-LED TOURS

Capitol Tours

Visit the Crypt, National Statuary Hall and the Rotunda of the Capitol. Tours begin with a short film. 60 minutes.



Halls of the Senate Tour

Discover the beautifully decorated corridors of the Senate wing of the Capitol in this intimate look at the work of Italian-born artist Constantino Brumidi. Get a pass at the North Information Desk. Tours begin at the benches by the Slave Labor Commemorative Marker. 45 minutes.

Freedom Fighters in the Capitol Collection Tour

Meet ordinary Americans whose extraordinary actions changed the course of our civil rights history. Get a pass at the North Information Desk. Tours begin at the benches by the Slave Labor Commemorative Marker. 45 minutes.

Votes for Women Tour

Discover the stories of the women who set the stage for equality, the many voices of the Women's Suffrage Movement, and the voices

of the generations of women who followed. Get a pass at the North Information Desk. Meet at the Statue of Freedom. 45 minutes.

CREATE AND LEARN

Family Program

Learn about the Congressional Gold Medals presented to honor the achievements of African American leaders, artists and athletes. Create your own gold medal based on notable events and individuals in our history. No passes needed. Meet next to the Statue of Freedom. 30 minutes.

Seen on Screen

Watch a clip from the film, "Lincoln," and learn the history behind the 13th Amendment's passage and ratification. No passes needed. Meet in the South Hallway Theater. 30 minutes.

What's Happening in the Chambers?

Meet at the Education Cart by the Statue of Freedom and find out what's happening in the House and Senate Chambers today.

Foreign Language Tours

The Capitol Visitor Center offers daily tours in Mandarin and Spanish at 8:40 a.m. Guides lead the tours with a translation device. Walk-up only. No advance reservations accepted. Limited to 50 visitors.

Spanish: El Centro de Visitantes del Capitolio ofrece visitas guiadas en Español a las 8:40 de la mañana. Los guías lideran las visitas con un dispositivo de traducción. No se necesita hacer reservaciones con anticipación. Se requiere que los visitantes recojan los pases el mismo día. El número máximo de visitantes es limitido a 50 personas.

Mandarin: 美国国会游客中心提供中文参观服务。中文参观时间为: 星期一至星期六上午8点40分。 国会游客中心导游将使用中英文语音翻译器为您提供讲解。不接受提前预约、游客需当天本人来领票。 限定参观人数为50人。



THIS DAY IN HISTORY

Monday, February 3, and Tuesday, February 4 at 11 a.m.

State of the Union

Join us for this special **Seen on Screen** program highlighting the history of the constitutionally mandated presidential message to Congress. No passes needed. Meet in the South Hallway Theater.

ACCESSIBILITY Request wheelchairs from staff wearing red vests or jackets or at a Coat Check. A non-passport photo ID is required. Coat Checks close at 4:30 p.m. All films have open captioning in English. Brochures are available in Braille, large print and HTML formats at the Information Desks. Contact the Office of Congressional Accessibility Services at 202.224.4048 (voice) or 202.224.4049 (TTY).