



June 20, 2023

Welcome to the ***Alumni Leadership Academy!***

Please review the following orientation materials for our *Alumni Leadership Academy* in Washington, D.C. from July 10-14, 2023. This packet will prepare you for the week and answer questions you may have.

We have included the following:

- 1) Program orientation information summarizing classroom, lodging, and dining hall locations and an overview of the program and student goals
- 2) Tentative program schedule
- 3) A campus map
- 4) Map of Washington, D.C.
- 5) Ground transportation information
- 6) DC Metro Map
- 7) Important information about the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier wreath laying ceremony.

You are required to attend all student activities and the accompanying meals outlined in the schedule. Prior to the start of the program, contact FTE directly at 530.757.4630 with any questions. If there are any last-minute travel changes or emergencies on **Monday, July 10th** **contact our staff person on site, Tom Woodbury, 617.460.2790**

We look forward to your participation in our program. Please contact me if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

Becky Wilson
Manager | Student + Alumni Programs
Foundation for Teaching Economics

STUDENT ORIENTATION INFORMATION

ALUMNI LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

July 10-14, 2023

American University– Washington, D.C.

- Registration:** Monday, July 10th between 2:00pm and 4:00pm at Letts Hall, 4400 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20016. FTE staff will be onsite from 2:00pm on Monday, July 10th through Friday, July 14th until 11:00am.
<https://www.american.edu/about/visiting-campus.cfm>
- Housing:** Students will stay in Letts Hall. Students will be housed two per room and separated by gender. Bathrooms are gender specific and communal. FTE Staff reside in adjacent rooms to the students and are available 24 hours a day. Upon departure from the program, the dormitory room should look as it did when the student arrived.
- Meals:** Students will get their meals from the Terrace Dining Room. Breakfast, lunch, and dinner will be provided as outlined in the student schedule. Two lunches while out in D.C. will be on your own and any extra snacks, outside of the program meals, will be at the participant's expense.
- Meeting Room:** Anderson Hall, Classroom 2U
- Expenses:** Program expenses, including room and board, subway transportation, and entry fees will be paid for by the Foundation for Teaching Economics (FTE). Participant expenses include travel to and from the program site, and any additional incidental expenses. It will be your responsibility to have enough cash to handle incidentals and any food purchases beyond meals that will be provided. Neither FTE staff nor American University will cash any checks. Please do not bring a large amount of cash to the program.
- All keys and access/meal cards must be returned at the end of the program. FTE will not cover lost or unreturned keys. **Participants will be charged \$50 for lost or unreturned room keys.**
- Personal Supplies:** Bring items that will make your stay comfortable, including personal hygiene items and shower slippers. All linens (pillow, pillowcase, sheets, blanket, bedspread, two towels and a face cloth) are provided by Conference Services. Classroom supplies will be provided by FTE. Neither the University nor FTE can assume responsibility for your personal belongings. Laptop computers or tablets may be helpful for presentations but are not required and students should not purchase if you do not already have one.
- Clothing:** Classroom-appropriate, casual, comfortable clothing is the rule on campus. However, attention to modesty and decorum consistent with serious academic purpose and visits to government offices, museums, and other public institutions is required for many of the outings. Tank tops, revealing shorts, and clothing that show bare stomachs are inappropriate. Please bring two outfits suitable for attending a briefing at the capitol. See below for specific dress requirements for the wreath ceremony. Bring comfortable shoes. Closed-toe shoes are required for some leadership and recreation activities. Be prepared to walk a great deal between subway stops, classrooms, and public institutions, and be prepared for heat and/or rain. Please do not plan on wearing high heels with your professional attire or plan to wear a different pair for travelling to the event location.
- Emergency Phone Numbers:** Campus Police: 202-885-3636
Emergency: 911
Non-emergency: 202-885-2527
*Parents are always notified in the event of a medical emergency.

Letts Front Desk (202) 885-7704 7:00 a.m – 11:00 p.m.
Anderson Front Desk (202) 885 3370 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. M-F

Visitors: *Alumni Leadership Academy* is a program of concentrated learning. Classes begin after breakfast and continue at various times throughout the day until late evening the entire week. Since classes and excursions occupy most of the student's time, no visitors may be invited to the program, and students may not leave the program to explore Washington D.C. on their own, or to visit relatives or friends. Students who elect to arrive early or to stay after the program ends, are responsible for making their own arrangements.

Program Overview: *Alumni Leadership Academy* expands on the teachings in previous FTE programs. Participants are challenged to take their FTE experience to the next level by applying the economic reasoning propositions to historical analysis and leadership dilemmas. Topics explored include history, government policy and budgeting, leadership, and economics. During the week, instructors will explore the opportunity cost of leadership through lectures, discussions, and field trips. Students will be introduced to public choice theory as a framework to help understand elected officials decision making and field trips will provide an experiential component to reinforce classroom lessons.

Alumni Leadership Academy is designed to create a diverse learning environment for the students. In addition to the advanced economic and leadership activities, students have the opportunity to visit some of Washington, DC's great attractions as well as hear from EFL alumni living and working in DC.

Student Goals:

1. Become articulate on the basic forces moving and coordinating the economy.
2. Learn about the economic aspects of select current national and international issues.
3. Gain leadership skills.
4. Foster a commitment to continued learning about economics and leadership.

Schedule: A final schedule will be distributed at program registration on Monday. The start and finish times of the program will not change whatsoever. Some events may be rearranged if a White House tour is approved.

Questions: Prior to the start of the program, contact the FTE directly at 530.757.4630 with any questions. **For a travel change or emergency ON MONDAY, JULY 10^h, call our staff person on site, Tom Woodbury, at 617.460.2790**

Washington D.C. Alumni Leadership Academy

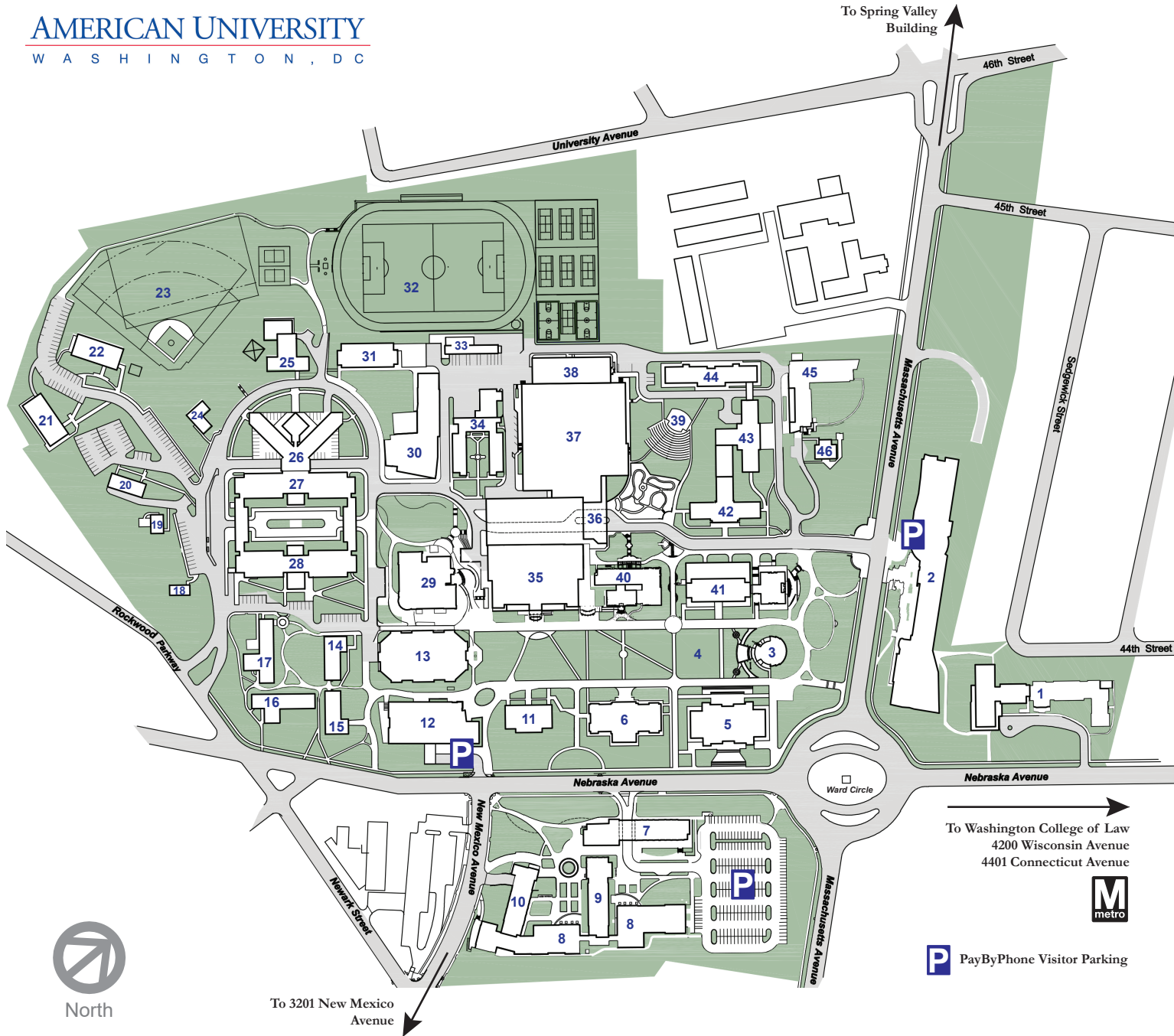
July 10 - 14, 2023

*schedule subject to change

DAY 1 Monday, July 10	DAY 2 Tuesday, July 11	DAY 3 Wednesday, July 12	DAY 4 Thursday, July 13	DAY 5 Friday, July 14
	Breakfast 7:30 - 8:00 am	Breakfast 7:30 - 8:00 am	Breakfast 7:30 - 8:00 am	Breakfast 7:30 - 8:00 am
	Anderson Hall, Classroom 2U			
	Leadership Session 8:30 - 10:00 am	Leadership /Economics <i>The Cost of Leadership</i> 8:30 - 9:30 am	Project Assignment / Groups	Check Out and Departure 8:00 - 11:00 am
	Economics Session Choice 10:15 - 11:30 am	National Museum of African American History and Culture 10:15 - 11:30 am	Smithsonian Museums "Illustrating Social Change" 10:00 am - 12:30 pm	
	Lunch AU Terrace Dining Room 12:00 - 1:00 pm	<i>Arrive by 11:45 am for seating</i> Capitol Hill Lecture Series 12:30 - 1:30 pm Sen.Rand Paul of Kentucky Lunch voucher provided	TFAS Presentation/Lunch 12:45 - 2:00 pm TFAS Offices	
Check - In Letts Hall Front Desk 2:00 - 4:00 pm	Economics & Leadership Opportunity Cost & Leadership 1:30 - 2:15 pm	Econ. Reasoning & History <i>Individual Choice & Social Phenomena</i> 2:00 - 3:45 pm Debrief Discussion Assessment Opportunity Cost & Leadership 4:00 - 4:45 pm	Presentation Preparation 3:00 - 5:30 pm	
Welcome / Ice Breakers 4:00 - 5:30 pm	Arlington National Cemetery <i>Metro from AU 2:30</i> Tomb of Unknowns Wreath Ceremony 4:15 pm Custis Mansion & Kennedy graves	Dinner AU Terrace Dining Room 5:00 - 5:45 pm	Dinner AU Terrace Dining Room 5:45 - 6:30 pm	
<i>Dinner</i> AU Terrace Dining Room 5:30 - 6:30 pm	Dinner AU Terrace Dining Room 6:00 - 6:30	Dinner AU Terrace Dining Room 5:00 - 5:45 pm	Economics Assessment project presentations 6:30 - 8:30 pm Program Evaluation 8:30 - 9:00 pm	
Panel <i>"Working in Washington D.C."</i> 6:45 - 7:30 pm	Economics Simulation 6:45 - 8:15 Textile Factory Fire Check in groups 8:15 - 9:15	Evening Tour of Monuments 5:45 - 9:45 pm	Closing Ceremonies 9:15 - 10:15 pm	
Program Overview 7:30 - 8:15 pm	Social time 9:30 - 11:00	Check-in Groups after tour		
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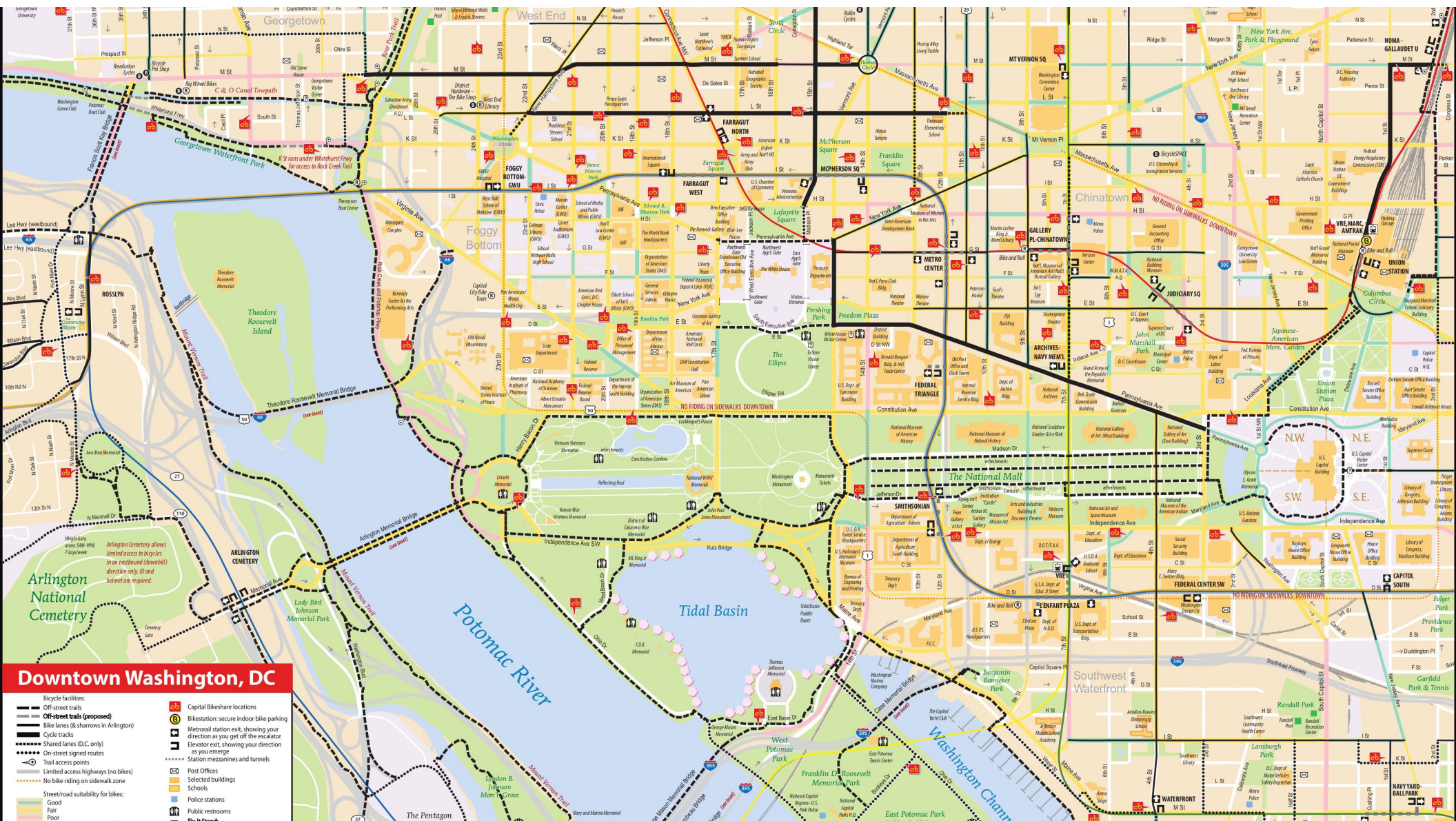


AMERICAN UNIVERSITY
WASHINGTON, DC



Directory

- 27 Anderson Hall
- 34 Asbury Building
- 40 Battelle-Tompkins
- 31 Beeghly Building
- 13 Bender Library
- 36 Butler Pavilion
- 45 Cassell Hall
- 26 Centennial Hall
- 24 Child Development Center
- 14 Clark Hall
- 7 Constitution Hall
- 8 Don Myers Technology and Innovation Building
- 10 Duber Hall
- 11 East Quad Building
- 9 Federal Hall
- 4 Friedheim Quadrangle
- 16 Gray Hall
- 30 Hall of Science
- 20 Hamilton Building
- 42 Hughes Hall
- 6 Hurst Hall
- 19 Jack Child Hall
- 23 Jacobs Recreation Complex
- 2 Katzen Arts Center
Welcome Center
- 3 Kay Spiritual Life Center
- 5 Kerwin Hall
- 41 Kogod School of Business
- 21 Kreeger Building
- 44 Leonard Hall
- 28 Letts Hall
- 35 Mary Graydon Center
- 17 McCabe Hall
- 43 McDowell Hall
- 29 McKinley Building
- 25 Media Production Center
- 1 Nebraska Hall
- 33 Osborn Building
- 46 President's Office Building
- 32 Reeves Field
- 18 Rockwood Building
- 15 Roper Hall
- 12 School of International Service
- 37 Sports Center
Bender Arena
- 38 Sports Center Annex
- 22 Watkins Building
- 39 Woods-Brown Amphitheater



Downtown Washington, DC

- Bicycle facilities:
 - Off-street trails
 - Off-street trails (proposed)
 - Bike lanes (8' sharrows in Arlington)
 - Cycle tracks
 - Shared lanes (D.C. only)
 - On-street signed routes
 - Trail access points
- Limited access highways (no bikes)
- No bike riding on sidewalk zone
- Street/road suitability for bikes:
 - Good
 - Fair
 - Poor
 - Local Street from main road
- Capital Bikeshare locations
- Bikestation: secure indoor bike parking
- Metrorail station exit, showing your direction as you get off the escalator
- Elevator exit, showing your direction as you emerge
- Station mezzanines and tunnels
- Post Offices
- Selected buildings
- Schools
- Police stations
- Public restrooms
- Fleet Stand



Ground Transportation

Alumni Leadership Academy

American University

4400 Massachusetts Ave, NW
Washington, DC 20016

There are three Washington, D.C. area airports – Washington-Reagan National Airport (DCA), Washington Dulles International (IAD), and Washington/Baltimore International Thurgood Marshall (BWI).

<https://washington.org/DC-guide-to/washington-dc-airports>

Program participants are responsible for arranging and paying for their own transportation to and from the program. Most major airlines have flights into these airports. A variety of ground transportation options are available from the airport to the American University campus. Some of these options are listed below.

Shuttle Service

DC Super Shuttle

(303) 227-0000;

https://www.supershuttle.com/?_ga=2.223622994.871338337.1498225095-1464894526.1498225095

Taxi Service

Fares vary depending on airport and location.

Click for more information: [DCA](#) [IAD](#) [BWI](#)

Ride Apps:

Lyft and Uber are available from the airport. Look for designated Ride App pickup locations.

Metro:

If a student chooses the metro rail as their transportation option, they will be required to purchase a fare card before boarding. Fare cards will cost \$2 plus any additional money necessary to get to the site location. Metro travel during the program will be covered by FTE.

The closest Metrorail station is the **Tenleytown-AU** stop on the Red line. From the station, you can take the AU shuttle that is located on the corner of 40th St. NW and Ablemarle St. NW, in front of the Whole Foods. Here is a copy of DC's metro rail [map](#)

Bus:

DC Metro Bus routes M4, N2, N4, and N6 stop at the AU main campus near the Katzen Arts Center and/or Ward Circle.

Legend

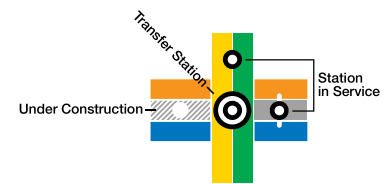
- **RD** Red Line • Glenmont / Shady Grove
- **OR** Orange Line • New Carrollton / Vienna
- **BL** Blue Line • Franconia-Springfield / Largo Town Center
- **GR** Green Line • Branch Ave / Greenbelt
- **YL** Yellow Line • Huntington / Greenbelt
- **SV** Silver Line • Wiehle-Reston East / Largo Town Center

Station Features

- Bus to Airport
- Parking
- Hospital
- Airport

Connecting Rail Systems

- AMTRAK
- VRE
- MARC



Metro is accessible.
www.wmata.com/transportation/physical-accessibility



No Smoking



No Eating or Drinking



No Animals (except service animals)



No Audio (without earphones)



No Littering or Spitting



No Dangerous or Flammable Items



Arlington National Cemetery Visitor Screening

Arlington National Cemetery (ANC) has updated its security measures to ensure the safety and security of all visitors and employees. In addition to random identification checks and other security measures already in place, ANC requires all visitors to go through physical screening.

Prior to the screening process, visitors should inform the screener if they have an internal or external medical device (i.e. pacemaker, artificial knee, stimulator, port, ostomy, insulin pump, glucose monitor), medically necessary liquids and/or medications, and/or accessories associated with liquid medications (such as freezer packs, IV bags, pumps and syringes). To help facilitate the screening process, medications should be labeled and separated from other belongings.

Visitors may request screening by pat-down in lieu of screening by technology. This will be conducted in private.

Anyone granted vehicular access to the cemetery—families with permanent family passes, funeral attendees or employees—may be required to present a valid government identification when entering the cemetery and will be subject to random inspections.

Prohibited Items:

- Explosives
- Firearms
- Knives (blades more than four inches in length)
- Narcotics
- Fireworks
- Alcohol

Pedestrians: All pedestrian traffic will be required to enter Arlington National Cemetery at one of the four access points:

- The cemetery's main entrance on Memorial Avenue
- Ord & Weitzel gate
- Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall Old Post Chapel gate
- Service Complex gate off Columbia Pike



ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

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The pedestrian access point from Memorial Avenue will be through the Welcome Center. There will be up to four (4) lines for visitors who do not have bags. Those with disabilities will have a separate access point in compliance with all disability laws.

Please allow additional time to go through security screening when visiting the cemetery, especially large tour groups. Visitors are advised to bring minimal to no bags to expedite the screening process. ANC strives to keep wait times to under 20 minutes.

Visitors with Disabilities: In preparation for your visit, please find the answers to your questions on our website: <https://www.arlingtoncemetery.mil/Visit/Visitors-with-Disabilities>. Our accessibility map (https://www.arlingtoncemetery.mil/Portals/0/Accessibility_Map_Basic.pdf) locates accessible entrances, curb cuts, designated parking and other features at and around Arlington National Cemetery. If you have an accessibility or accommodation concern about Arlington National Cemetery, please call: 877-907-8585

To report suspicious activity, please call Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall Department of Emergency Services at 703-588-2800. Call 911 for emergency situations.

For more information, visit www.arlingtoncemetery.mil.

PUBLIC WREATH CEREMONY
AT THE TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER
IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

1. This ceremony is memorial in purpose and patriotic in nature and will be conducted for nonpartisan patriotic groups only when permission is granted by the Superintendent, Arlington National Cemetery.
2. The ceremonial party will consist of the following:
 - a. Host, usually the Relief Commander at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier
 - b. A wreath bearer to assist with the placing of the wreath and a bugler to sound "Taps".
 - c. The representative (dignitary) of the group placing the wreath, and such persons, no more than a total of 4 due to space limitation, as may have been designated by their organization as the official wreath party.
3. We request wreaths be delivered by a florist to the Office of the Sergeant of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier 1 hour prior to ceremony time. Those who desire to bring their wreaths may do so. The wreath may be made of either live or artificial material and there is no prescribed cost or size. The group placing the wreath is responsible for obtaining it. Groups travelling from outside the Washington, DC area may desire to have their local florist make arrangements with a Washington area florist. Army regulations preclude this office from recommending specific florists.
4. Public wreath ceremonies are conducted in the following manner:
 - a. On the day of your event, report to the Tomb Guard Quarters located at the Memorial Amphitheater, with a copy of this email at least 30 minutes prior to the time of the scheduled wreath ceremony. The Tomb Guard sentinels will address any questions you have concerning placing the wreath at this time.
 - b. Immediately following the guard change or five minutes prior to the scheduled ceremony time, the dignitary who will place the wreath and other members of the official party should meet the host at the top of the steps in front of the Memorial Display Room for an orientation on the procedure to be followed in the ceremony.
 - c. The remainder of the group will assemble on the steps between the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and the Memorial Display Room.
 - d. The dignitary and wreath party will be formed and escorted by the host. They will then descend the steps, without pause, and halt in a pre-designated position in front of the Tomb.

e. The party halts, and on signal from the host, the bugler will take his position and the wreath bearer will advance from the left and present the wreath to the dignitary. The dignitary will move forward with the wreath and the host will give the command of "Present Arms". All military personnel in uniform will render the hand salute and civilians should place their right hand over the heart. After the wreath is in position at the Tomb the dignitary will return to his position beside the host. The host and wreath bearer will come to "Present Arms"

f. When the dignitary has returned to his position beside the host the bugler will sound "Taps". On the hosts command of "Order Arms" the host will turn and guide the wreath party back up the steps to the entrance to the Memorial Display Room. This concludes the ceremony.

5. Organizations participating in public wreath ceremonies shall remain silent during the ceremony. Organizations are not authorized to make remarks, speeches, nor offer audible prayers.

6. Flags or colors require written approval in advance if they are to be displayed. You must have this written permission with you at the time of the ceremony or the flags and colors cannot be displayed.

7. Flags, colors, color guards, cordons, and other similar formations are not permitted on the plaza. The host will place these formations in an appropriate location when approved by the Superintendent, Arlington National Cemetery, or his authorized representative.

8. This ceremony is subject to postponement or cancellation due to official events at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

DRESS CODE FOR PUBLIC WREATH CEREMONIES

Personal appearance and dress of persons participating in ceremonies at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier will adhere to the dress standards expected of such dignified occasions. The minimum standard is business casual, defined as:

- For men: A combination of collared shirt (such as a dress shirt or polo shirt), trousers (such as khakis or blue, green, brown, or black trousers) with a belt and appropriate shoes. A blazer or business jacket and tie can optionally be added.
- For women: A reasonable length skirt (knee length) or trousers of a non-jeans material combined with a top that covers the shoulders (such as a blouse, dress shirt, or sweater set) and appropriate shoes are considered acceptable. An informal dress with appropriate skirt length is also acceptable.
- School uniforms will be allowed as long as an adult official from the school confirms that the student's attire is in accordance with the school uniform policy.

The following attire is considered not appropriate for participation in the ceremonies:

Blue Jeans

Ripped clothing

Athletic wear

Patched pants

Shorts of any kind (except when part of an established uniform, e.g. School Uniforms, Scout Uniforms, Foreign Military Uniforms, and period Military Uniforms)

Tee Shirts

Tank Tops

Halter Tops

Tube Tops

Underwear as outerwear

Shirts that expose the midriff

Miniskirts

Sneakers

Flip flops or shower-type shoes

The Executive Director, Arlington National Cemetery, or designated representatives, the Sergeant of the Guard, and Relief Commanders have the authority to prohibit a person in non appropriate attire from participating in a wreath ceremony at The Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

VISITOR RULES FOR ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

A. Purpose. The rules of this section define the standards of conduct required of all visitors to the Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia.

B. Scope. Pursuant to Title 32, Part 553, Code of Federal Regulations, and based upon delegations of authority from the Administrator, General Services Administration, the Secretary of Defense, and the Secretary of the Army, this section applies to all Federal property within the charge and control of the Executive Director, Arlington National Cemetery, to all persons entering in or on such property.

C. Visitors Hours. Visitors' hours shall be established by the Executive Director and posted in conspicuous places. Unless otherwise posted or announced by the Executive Director, visitors will be admitted during the following hours: October through March—8 a.m. through 5 p.m. April through September—8 a.m. through 7 p.m. No visitor shall enter or remain in the Cemetery beyond the time established by the applicable visitors' hours.

D. Destruction or Removal of Property. No person shall willfully destroy, damage, mutilate or remove any monument, gravestone, structure, tree, shrub, plant or other property located within the Cemetery ground.

E. Conduct within the Cemetery. Because Arlington National Cemetery is a shrine to the honored dead of the Armed Forces of the United States and because certain acts appropriate elsewhere, are not appropriate in the Cemetery, all visitors, including persons attending or taking part in memorial services and ceremonies, shall observe proper standards of decorum and decency while within the Cemetery grounds. Specifically, no person shall:

(1.) Conduct any memorial service or ceremony within the Cemetery, except private memorial services, without prior approval of the Executive Director. All memorial services and ceremonies shall be conducted in accordance with the rules established in paragraph G. Official ceremonies shall be conducted in accordance with guidance and procedures established by the Executive Director;

(2.) Engage in any picketing, demonstration or similar conduct within the Cemetery grounds;

(3.) Engage in any orations, speeches, or similar conduct to assembled groups of people, unless the oration is part of a memorial service or ceremony authorized by the Executive Director;

(4.) Display any placards, banners, flags, or similar devices within an Army National Military Cemetery, unless first approved by the Executive Director for use in an authorized memorial service or ceremony. This rule does not apply to clothing worn by visitors. Visitors may hand carry or display on a vehicle, flags that are 7"x12" or smaller;

(5.) Distribute any handbill, pamphlet, leaflet, or other written or printed matter within the Cemetery grounds except that a program may be distributed if approved by the Executive Director and such distribution is a part of a memorial service or ceremony authorized by this section;

(6.) Bring a dog, cat, or other animal (other than a service animal or military working dog) within an Army National Military Cemetery. This prohibition does not apply to persons living in quarters located on the grounds of the Army National Military Cemeteries;

(7.) Use the Cemetery grounds for recreational activities such as sports, athletics, or picnics;

(8.) Ride a bicycle or similar conveyance in an Army National Military Cemetery, except with a proper pass issued by the Executive Director to visit a gravesite or niche. An individual visiting a relative's gravesite or niche may be issued a temporary pass by the Executive Director to proceed directly to and from the gravesite or niche on a bicycle or similar vehicle or conveyance.

(9.) Deposit or throw litter on Cemetery grounds;

(10.) Play any radio, tape recorder, or musical instrument, or use any loudspeaker within the Cemetery grounds unless use of the same is approved by the Executive Director and is part of a memorial service or ceremony authorized by this section;

(11.) Park any motor vehicle in any area on the Cemetery grounds designated by the Executive Director as a no parking area; or leave any vehicle in the Visitors' Center Parking Lot at the Cemetery more than 30 minutes outside of established visiting hours, or anywhere else within an Army National Military Cemetery outside of established visiting hours;

(12.) Engage in any disorderly conduct within the Cemetery grounds. For purposes of this section, a person shall be guilty of disorderly conduct if, with purpose to cause, or knowledge that he is likely to cause, pause inconvenience, annoyance or alarm be:

- a. Engages in, promotes, instigates, encourages, or aids and abets fighting, threatening, violent or tumultuous behavior;
- b. Yells, utters loud and boisterous language or makes other unreasonable loud noise;
- c. Interrupts or disturbs a memorial service or ceremony;
- d. Utters to any person present abusive, insulting, profane, indecent or otherwise provocative language or gesture that by its very utterance tends to incite an immediate breach of the peace;
- e. Obstructs movement on the streets, sidewalks, or pathways of the Cemetery grounds without prior authorization by competent authority;
- f. Disobeys a proper request or order by the Executive Director, Cemetery special police, park police, or other competent authority to disperse or to leave the Cemetery grounds; or
- g. Otherwise creates a hazardous or physically offense condition by any not authorized by competent authority.

F. Soliciting or Vending. No person shall display or distribute commercial advertising or solicit business from the public while within an Army National Military Cemetery, except as authorized by the Executive Director.

G. Conduct of Memorial Services and Ceremonies. All memorial services and ceremonies within Arlington National Cemetery, other than official Ceremonies, shall be conducted in accordance with the following rules:

(1.) Memorial services and ceremonies shall be purely memorial purpose and dedicated only to the memory of all those interred in the cemetery, to all those dying in the military service of the United States, to all those dying in the military service of the United States while serving during a particular conflict or while serving in a particular

military unit or units, or to the memory of the individual or individuals interred or to be interred at the particular gravesite at which the service ceremony is held.

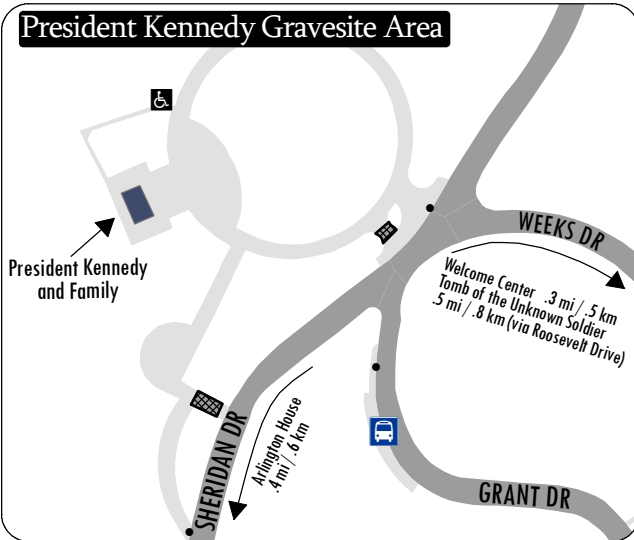
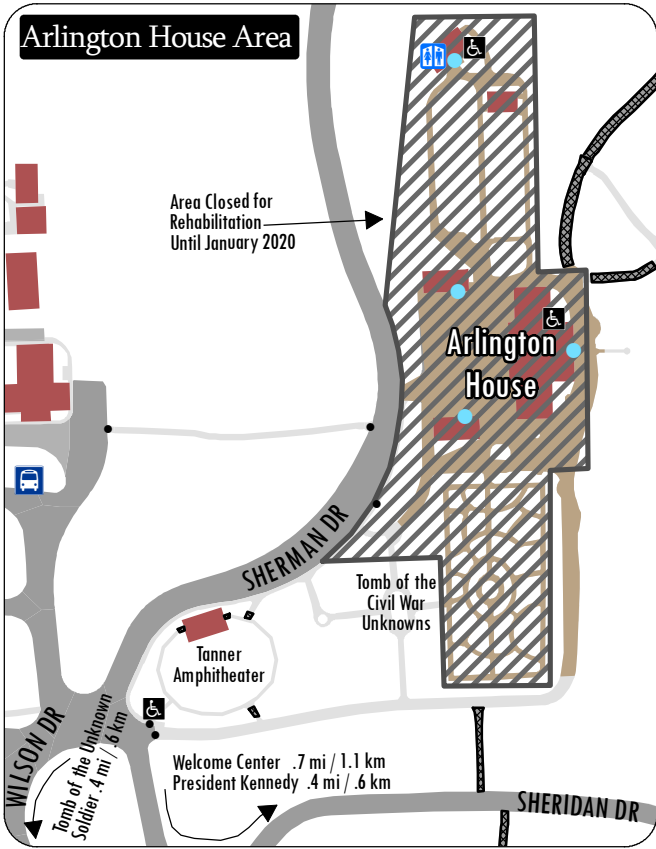
(2.) Partisan activities are inappropriate in Arlington National Cemetery, due to its role as a shrine to all the honored dead of the Armed Forces of the United States and out of respect for the men and women buried there and for their families. Services or any activities inside the Cemetery connected therewith shall not be partisan in nature. A service is partisan and therefore inappropriate if it includes commentary support of, or in opposition to, or attempts to influence any current policy of the Armed Forces, the Government of the United States or any state of the United States; if it endorses the cause of a political party or if it has a primary purpose to gain publicity or engender support for any cause. If a service is closely related, both time and location, to partisan activities or demonstrations being conducted outside the Cemetery, it will be determined partisan and therefore inappropriate. If a service is determined to be partisan by the Executive Director, permission to conduct memorial services or ceremonies at the Cemetery will be denied.

(3.) Participants in public wreath laying ceremonies shall remain silent during the ceremony.

(4.) Participants in public memorial services at the John F. Kennedy Grave shall remain silent during the service.

(5.) Public memorial services and public wreath laying ceremonies shall be open to all members of the public to observe.

(6.) Participants in public wreath laying ceremonies shall follow all instructions of the Tomb Guards, and Executive Director relating to their conduct of the ceremony.



Accessibility Map

Key to Symbols

- Curb Cut
- Entrance
- ▨ Stairs (Within Sidewalks)
- ▬ Sidewalks
- ▬ Gravel Sidewalks
- Building
- ♿ Restrooms
- ♿ Nursing Room
- ♿ Tour Bus Stop
- ♿ Elevator
- ♿ Wheelchair Access
- ♿ Parking for Persons with Disabilities
- ♿ Metro
- Auto Entrance Route
- Pedestrian Entrance Route

