



# Washington, D.C.

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Think BIG in Washington - as soon as you arrive in DC, you'll be knocked over by the scale of the place. America's capital wants you to know where you are, and the city goes all out to impress in terms of grandeur and size. Drama and scandal bubble under the surface, while the streets are abuzz with hip and happening events, museums, restaurants and clubs around every corner. The principles of Equality, Justice, Life and Liberty are still upheld, but DC is, above all, a trendy and international town.



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## Top 5



### The White House

A trip to Washington would not be complete without visiting the world's most...



### National Air and Space Museum

Children will be in their element here. Airplanes and spaceships



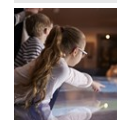
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### National Museum of America...

The National Museum of American History is Washington's patriotic tribute





## THE CITY



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Washington is a city of contrasts. While it might be best recognized in its political role, DC wants the world to know that it has much more to offer than governmental gossip and diplomatic deals. Divided into districts, each neighbourhood represents another distinct feature that adds to the diverse characteristics breathing life into the city.

While isolated Georgetown is bustling with new, trendy boutiques and restaurants, Shaw, once the site of racial tension and riot, is undergoing a revitalization program to make it a hot destination for African-American heritage tours. Downtown might offer theaters, galleries and the best Chinese food in the Chinatown restaurants while the New U district, where Duke Ellington once played, is the in vogue neighborhood for hearing live music. And amid all this, let's not forget the political and military monuments and memorials along the National Mall. It is in this area that you'll also find the wonderful Smithsonian complex of museums.

The city is a melting pot of cultures and communities, which have a fantastic influence on restaurants in particular. Whatever your culinary preferences, DC can cater to them, be it French, American or Ethiopian. Spread out across the city, all the choices are on offer.

Additionally, one of the key aspects of Washington, DC is that, despite being crammed with different tastes, smells, sights and sounds, it is not claustrophobic. DC's neighborhoods are spread out over an expanse that is broken up by generous oases of green space, giving the city that sense of liberation and harmony which it strives to promote.

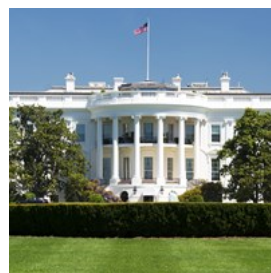
## DO & SEE



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Washington D.C is the capital of patriotic monuments and symbols of political power. Home to influential institutions including Congress and the White House, the city also boasts some of the best museums and art galleries in the world.

### The White House



A trip to Washington would not be complete without visiting the world's most recognizable residence.

Witness the comings and goings, and you may be lucky enough to catch a glimpse of the man himself, the President of the United States. Due to heightened security, internal tours are not possible, although, there is a visitor center that offers a 'virtual' tour.

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Address: 1600 Pennsylvania Ave, NW, Washington D.C.  
 Public Transport: A Metrobus stop is located on the corner of Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th Street. The closest subway stops are Federal Triangle and Metro Center.  
 Phone: +1 202 456 1111  
 Internet: www.whitehouse.gov

### National Air and Space Museum

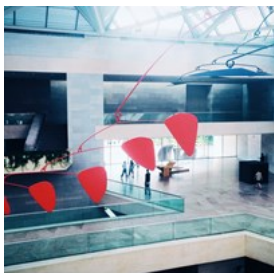


Children will be in their element here. Airplanes and spaceships from Amelia Earhart's Lockheed to World War II spitfires are on display

along with re-enactments of the first moon landing and educational workshops. Also contains an IMAX cinema, simulators and a Planetarium.

Photo: Jon Bilous/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: Independence Ave at 6th Street, SW, Washington D.C.  
 Public Transport: The closest Metrorail stop is at L'Enfant Plaza.  
 Opening hours: Regular Hours: 10.00am - 5.30pm, Extended hours (May 22 - September 7): 10.00am - 7.30pm  
 Phone: +1 202 633 2214  
 Internet: www.airandspace.si.edu  
 Email: nasm-visitorservices@si.edu

### National Gallery of Art

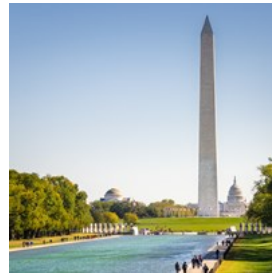


The National Gallery is home to one of the most expansive art collections in the world. Both the Neo-Classical West building and more

modernistic East building reflect the range and quality of the works within. Educational programs are offered for visitors, not only in person but virtually as well. The Sculpture Garden, a huge outdoor space with monumental sculptures, is attached to the National Gallery.

Photo: Jon Bilous/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 6th & Constitution Ave, NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Opening hours: Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday 11am - 6pm.  
 Phone: +1 202 737 4215  
 Internet: www.nga.gov

### The Mall/Monuments

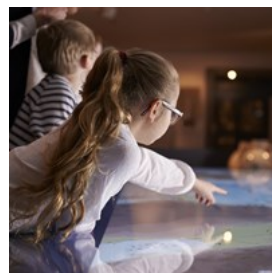


The Mall comprises the main stretch of significant sights in Washington. Among these are the National Gallery and Sculpture Garden in

addition to an abundance of Smithsonian institutions, including the National Museum of American History. Monuments include memorials to Presidents Lincoln and Roosevelt, as well as those remembering veterans of the Vietnam and Korean wars.

Photo: Albert Pego/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: The National Mall, Washington DC

### National Museum of American History



The National Museum of American History is Washington's patriotic tribute to American history, detailing events in U.S history from The

Civil War to the assassination of JFK. There are different programs for the public, such as demonstrations, tours, lectures, music and filming programs.

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 14th St and Constitution Ave, NW Washington DC  
 Opening hours: 10.30am - 5.30pm  
 Phone: +1 202 633 1000  
 Internet: www.americanhistory.si.edu  
 Email: info@si.edu

## United States Capitol



Rising up from the Mall, this impressive monument symbolizes steadfast American democracy. The Capitol is regarded as an important museum and bears testament to America's governmental prowess. The Capitol with its own collection of art is open for tourists and attracts millions every year. The Capitol Visitor Center makes the Capitol even more accessible for visitors and offers an educational environment with an insight into the history and development of the building.

Photo: Orhan Cam/Shutterstock.com

Address: East Capitol St NE & First St SE, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: Subway stops within walking distance:

Union Station, Capitol South, Federal Center SW

Opening hours: Monday - Saturday 8.30am - 4.30pm, Closed on Sundays

Phone: +1 202 225 6827

Internet: [www.visitthecapitol.gov](http://www.visitthecapitol.gov)

## Arlington National Cemetery



Not many cemeteries would list among a city's top 10 sights, but Arlington is an exception. Catch the ceremonial changing of the guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, where soldiers keep a 24-hour watch in honor of the unidentified dead from World War I, World War II and the Korean War.

Photo: Orhan Cam/Shutterstock.com

Address: Arlington, VA

Opening hours: 8am - 7pm

Phone: +1 877 907 8585

Internet: [www.arlingtoncemetery.net](http://www.arlingtoncemetery.net)

## Library of Congress



The Library of Congress with its collection is the largest library in the world. The three buildings - Thomas Jefferson Building, James Madison Memorial Building and the John Adams Building - are beautiful historical buildings that even offer a free tour. Exhibitions, gallery talks, guided tours, concerts, lectures and other events are offered for the visitors in the library.

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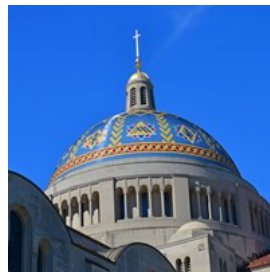
Public Transport: Closest Metro stop: Capitol South

Opening hours: Monday - Saturday 8.30am - 5.00pm

Phone: +1 202 707 5000

Internet: [www.loc.gov](http://www.loc.gov)

## Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception



The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception is the largest Roman Catholic church in the United States of America. This building is a beautiful structure that offers free guided tours for the visitors. Among all the churches in the world, this basilica is one of the largest.

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Address: 400 Michigan Ave., NE, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: The Basilica is accessible by Metro on the Red line at Brookland/CUA.

Opening hours: April 1 - October 31: 7am - 7pm, November 1 - March 31: 7am - 6pm

Phone: +1 202 526 8300

Internet: [www.nationalshrine.com](http://www.nationalshrine.com)



### United States Botanic Garden



The Botanic Garden is a small but lovely and calm place with beautiful plants in Washington DC, close to the Capitol.

Exhibitions, programs are offered for all ages in the garden. It has plenty of outdoor and indoor space where the visitors can find some peace in the busy city and enjoy walking around the gardens.

Photo: Joseph Sohm/Shutterstock.com

Address: 245 First Street SW, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: Take the metro to the Federal Center SW station. Metrobuses stop just behind the Conservatory.

Opening hours: 10am - 5pm

Phone: +1 202 225 8333

Internet: [www.usbg.gov](http://www.usbg.gov)

### John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts



The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts is located close to the Lincoln Memorial in the capital of the United States. The arts center

brings the world a bit closer for those who visit. There is a lot to see here; there are different performances, such as ballet, jazz, contemporary dance, festivals and a lot more!

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Address: 2700 F Street NW, Washington, D.C.

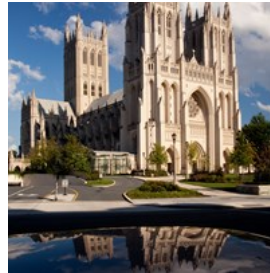
Public Transport: The closest station is the Foggy Bottom/George Washington University Station.

Opening hours: Monday - Saturday 10am - 9pm, Sunday 12am - 9pm

Phone: +1 800 444 1324

Internet: [www.kennedy-center.org](http://www.kennedy-center.org)

### Washington National Cathedral



Learn the history of this massive and gorgeous cathedral by taking a guided tour, led by friendly and knowledgeable staff. A

national treasure with a peaceful atmosphere, beautiful stained glass and the architecture is just amazing - well worth the time to visit! There is even a café and gift shop inside the cathedral.

Photo: Steve Heap/Shutterstock.com

Address: 3101 Wisconsin Ave. NW, Washington DC

Phone: +1 202 537 6200

Internet: [www.cathedral.org](http://www.cathedral.org)

Email: [info@cathedral.org](mailto:info@cathedral.org)

### Georgetown



Unique Georgetown has a reputation for great shops, the trendiest restaurants and quaint cobblestone streets. It's the place to be in DC and

is a haven for the city's students. If you visit Georgetown, you end up in a beautiful historic place that offers more than 450 shops, including dining and entertainment possibilities. A trip to this charming part of Washington is a must.

Photo: holbox/Shutterstock.com

Address: Georgetown, Washington D.C.

Public Transport: The Circulator's Georgetown-Union Station route or Dupont Circle-Georgetown-Rosslyn route takes you into the middle of Georgetown.

Internet: [www.georgetowndc.com](http://www.georgetowndc.com)

## Supreme Court



The building of the Supreme Court was built in just 4 years, in between 1931 - 1935. As a visitor, you can tour the building on your own,

watch the educational movies and participate in different programs. While the exhibitions about the history of the Supreme Court are located on the Ground Floor, you can find the Courtroom on the First Floor.

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Address: First Street NE, Washington D.C.

Public Transport: The closest metro stops are Capitol South and Union Station.

Opening hours: Monday - Friday 9am - 4.30pm

Phone: +1 202 479 3211

Internet: [www.supremecourt.gov](http://www.supremecourt.gov)

## Jefferson Memorial



The Jefferson Memorial is located in the heart of the city, just a few minutes walk from the White House. The monument has white Georgia marble

steps and if you step inside, a Thomas Jefferson statue - by sculptor Rudolph Evans - unfolds in the middle.

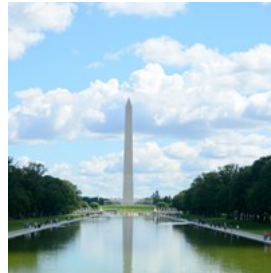
Photo: Orhan Cam/Shutterstock.com

Address: 701 East Basin SW, Washington D.C.

Opening hours: 24 hours a day

Internet: [www.nps.gov/thje](http://www.nps.gov/thje)

## Washington Monument



One of the most well-known structures of Washington is the Washington Monument with its almost 555 feet height. The tallest

building in Washington DC is visible from all the parts of the city. If you take the elevator to the top, you will have a picturesque sight of the capital of the United States!

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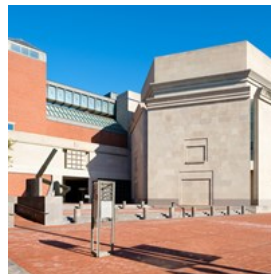
Public Transport: The nearest Metro stop is Smithsonian, on the Orange and Blue lines.

Opening hours: Regular Hours 9am - 5pm, Summer Hours 9am - 10pm

Phone: +1 202 426 6841

Internet: [www.nps.gov/wamo](http://www.nps.gov/wamo)

## United States Holocaust Memorial Museum



The United States Holocaust Memorial Museum has a permanent exhibition but also is a host of several other special exhibitions. They

also offer different educational programs and films for their visitors. After wandering around the museum, you can stop by the Museum Cafe to grab something to eat!

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Address: 100 Raoul Wallenberg Pl SW, Washington, DC

Public Transport: The nearest Metro stop is Smithsonian.

Opening hours: 10am - 5.20pm

Phone: +1 202 488 0400

Internet: [www.ushmm.org](http://www.ushmm.org)

## The U.S. National Archives



The U.S. National Archives is located close to the National Mall. The original copies of Declaration of Independence, the

Constitution, and the Bill of Rights are exhibited for the public in the main chamber of the building. When entering the Rotunda for the Charters of Freedom - the main chamber - you can take a look at the most important documents of the United States of America. Flash photography is forbidden!

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Address: 700 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington D.C.

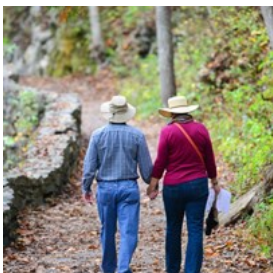
Public Transport: Take Metrorail's Yellow or Green lines to the Archives/Navy Memorial station.

Opening hours: 10am - 5.30pm

Phone: +1 202 357 5000

Internet: [www.archives.gov](http://www.archives.gov)

## Rock Creek Park



In 2015 Rock Creek Park is celebrating its 125th Anniversary. It is a right place for you to be if you want to enjoy the real beauty of nature, breath

in some fresh air, wander around surrounded by friendly wild animals even though you are in a big city.

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Address: 3545 Williamsburg Ln NW, Washington D.C.

Public Transport: The closest metro stations are the Friendship Heights or Fort Totten.

Phone: +1 202 282 1063

Internet: [www.nps.gov/rocr](http://www.nps.gov/rocr)

## National Zoological Park



Visiting the National Zoological Park is fun for everyone and provides an unforgettable experience for each and every member of the family! If

you stop by and spend some hours at the park, you can meet wild animals, go on a carousel and have your own personal guide. The admission to the park is free!

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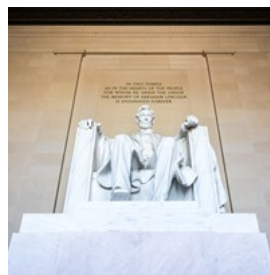
Address: 3000 Block of Connecticut Ave., Washington D.C.

Public Transport: The closest metro stations are Woodley Park and Cleveland Park.

Phone: +1 202 633 4888

Internet: [www.nationalzoo.si.edu](http://www.nationalzoo.si.edu)

## Lincoln Memorial & Reflecting Pool



The Lincoln Memorial is located at the west end of the Mall, in the heart of Washington. Walk up the stairs - the same steps where actually Martin

Luther King Jr delivered his famous speech called `I have a Dream` - and you can get a close look of the 19-foot statue of Abraham Lincoln!

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Address: 2 Lincoln Memorial Circle, NW, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: The nearest Metro station is Foggy Bottom/George Washington University.

Opening hours: 24 hours a day

Internet: [www.nps.gov/linc](http://www.nps.gov/linc)

## DINING



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Regarded as one of the culinary capitals of the world, Washington offers a fantastic variety of cuisines and dining experiences. Washington's eclectic mix of nationalities demands an array of tastes to suit all backgrounds.

Neighborhoods and districts boast their own signature fare. Head to Georgetown for trendy hot spots, Adams-Morgan to sample East African 'wat' (simmered veg or meat in sauce), or Downtown for great seafood (soft-shell crab is a specialty).

Dinner service stretches from 6pm-11pm and tips of at least 15 percent are expected. It's advisable to book ahead for popular places, especially on weekends.

### Pizzeria Paradiso



Undoubtedly the most authentic Italian pizza in Washington. Made for healthy appetites, pizzas are large and topped with the freshest ingredients.

Pizzeria Paradiso is open every day of the week, in Georgetown, Dupont Circle and in Old Town as well, from around lunchtime till late in the evening.

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Address: 2003 P Street NW, Washington DC

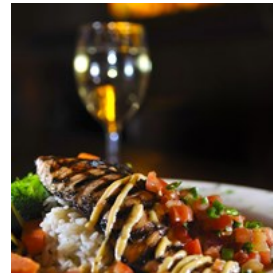
Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 11:30am - 11pm, Friday -

Saturday: 11:30am to midnight, Sunday: noon to 10pm

Phone: +1 202 223 1245

Internet: [www.eatyourpizza.com](http://www.eatyourpizza.com)

### Bistrot Lepic



Known for its restaurant and wine bar, Bistrot Lepic is a firm favorite in Georgetown. Choose between the cozy, intimate first floor and downstairs restaurant for either appetite-whetting 'Appetizers' or a fish and seafood-dominated main menu.

Photo: Kris Wiktor/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1736 Wisconsin Ave, NW, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Open for Brunch, Lunch and Dinner. Wine

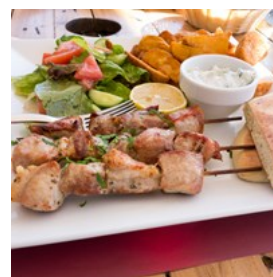
Bar Open daily 5:30pm - Midnight

Phone: +1 202 333 0111

Internet: [www.bistrotlepic.com](http://www.bistrotlepic.com)

Email: [mail@bistrotlepic.com](mailto:mail@bistrotlepic.com)

### Komi



An extensive wine list is just one of the appealing features that have won Komi so many local fans. Presenting a Greek-inspired menu, concoctions from mascarpone-stuffed dates to tzatziki with white truffle paste will stimulate the taste buds.

Photo: Ekaterina\_Minaeva/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1509 17th St, NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 332 9200

Internet: [www.komirestaurant.com](http://www.komirestaurant.com)

Email: [komi@komirestaurant.com](mailto:komi@komirestaurant.com)



### Blue Duck Tavern



Blue Duck Tavern is a simple and elegant restaurant in the capital of the United States. The meals are elegantly displayed and served in a cozy atmosphere by an excellent staff. The restaurant using locally sourced ingredients and modern technology.

Photo: Paulo Brandao/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1201 24th St NW Washington, DC

Public Transport: Nearest metro stations are Foggy Bottom and Dupont Circle.

Phone: +1 202 419 6755

Internet: [www.hyatt.com/corporate/restaurants/blue-duck-tavern/en/blue-duck-tavern-home/contact.html](http://www.hyatt.com/corporate/restaurants/blue-duck-tavern/en/blue-duck-tavern-home/contact.html)

Email: [blueduck.tavern@hyatt.com](mailto:blueduck.tavern@hyatt.com)

### Pearl Dive Oyster Palace



If you are up for some seafood, Pearl Dive Oyster Palace is the right place for you in Washington! This restaurant has a friendly staff and a lovely atmosphere. If you decide to have dinner here, you could choose out of several kinds of oysters; such as Old Black Salt Oysters, Kumamoto Oysters, Kusshi Oysters and so on!

Photo: Artur Begel/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1612 14th Street NW, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Brunch: Friday - Sunday 11am - 3pm, Dinner: Tuesday - Saturday 5pm - 11pm, Sunday & Monday 5pm - 10pm

Phone: +1 202 319 1612

Internet: [www.pearldivedc.com](http://www.pearldivedc.com)

Email: [info@pearldivedc.com](mailto:info@pearldivedc.com)

### Minibar by José Andrés



Prepare yourself for an once-in-a-lifetime dining experience here at Minibar by José Andrés. The most imaginative menu is offered where the creations combine art and science as well as tradition and technique. Enjoy the avant-garde cooking in an intimate setting and be ready to take an amazing culinary journey.

Photo: wavebreakmedia/Shutterstock.com

Address: 855 E Street NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 393 0812

Internet: [www.minibarbyjoseandres.com](http://www.minibarbyjoseandres.com)

Email: [info@minibarbyjoseandres.com](mailto:info@minibarbyjoseandres.com)

### Cafe Lombardy



Cafe Lombardy is the Cafe of the Hotel Lombardy - it is located right inside of the building. This historic place offers excellent service and it is a great scene of a quite and lovely time while having some delicious food, an evening cocktail or drinking a cup of coffee!

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Address: 2019 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington D.C

Phone: +1 202 828 2600

Internet: [www.hotellombardy.com/dining/cafe-lombardy.cfm](http://www.hotellombardy.com/dining/cafe-lombardy.cfm)

Email: [info@hotellombardy.com](mailto:info@hotellombardy.com)

### Lafayette Restaurant



The Lafayette Restaurant is elegantly decorated and has a unique atmosphere with its style, overlooking the White House across Lafayette Park. They serve breakfast, lunch, dinner and

their Sunday brunch is well known.

Photo: Kzenon/Shutterstock.com

Address: 800 16Th St. NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 638 6600

Internet: [www.hayadams.com/washington-dc-restaurant](http://www.hayadams.com/washington-dc-restaurant)

More Info: Located at hotel Hay-Adamas

### Founding Farmers



Founding Farmers is a place owned by real farmers! They are aiming for the best quality by using natural ingredients.

If you are a vegetarian, it is the perfect place for you to stop by. The services is fast and friendly and the food is great! It is recommended to reserve a table before popping in.

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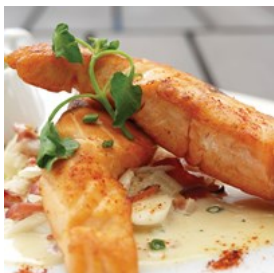
Address: 1924 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: The nearest metro stations are Farragut West or Foggy Bottom/GWU.

Phone: +1 202 822 8783

Internet: [www.wearefoundingfarmers.com](http://www.wearefoundingfarmers.com)

### Joe's Seafood, Prime Steak and Stone Crab



Joe's seafood restaurant in Washington is just a few steps from the White House. Fresh seafood, delicious steaks and desserts are offered by

this restaurant in a charming atmosphere with an outstanding service. Gluten free and vegetarian meals are also on the menu!

Photo: creativesunday/Shutterstock.com

Address: 750 15th Street NW, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Monday - Thursday 11.30am - 11pm, Friday - Saturday 11.30am - 12pm, Sunday 11.30am - 10pm

Phone: +1 202 489 0140

Internet: [www.joes.net](http://www.joes.net)

### Old Europe Restaurant



Old Europe Restaurant opened back in 1948! They offer delicious meals inspired by the European cuisine - especially Germany, wines and

crafted beer from different European countries. If you are up for trying out some real traditional German cuisine, this restaurant is the right place for you!

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Address: 2434 Wisconsin Ave NW, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Closed on Mondays all day

Phone: +1 202 333 7600

Internet: [www.old-europe.com](http://www.old-europe.com)

Email: [info@old-europe.com](mailto:info@old-europe.com)

### Zaytinya



Zaytinya opened in 2002 and offers a menu full of Turkish, Greek and Lebanese meals. The restaurant serves excellent food in a lovely

atmosphere. It is one of the most popular dining places so it is recommended to reserve a table.

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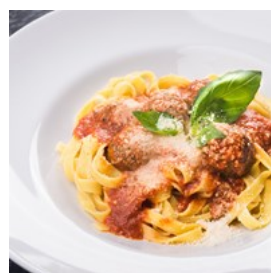
Address: 701 9th Street NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 638 0800

Internet: [www.zaytinya.com](http://www.zaytinya.com)

Email: [info@zaytinya.com](mailto:info@zaytinya.com)

### Fiola



Fiola is located in Penn Quarter, just right in the middle of the city! The restaurant has a continuously changing lunch and dinner menu

made out of the freshest ingredients.

Photo: Dima Sobko/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 601 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Opening hours: Closed on Sundays!  
 Phone: +1 202 628 2888  
 Internet: www.fioladc.com  
 Email: info@fioladc.com

### 1789 Restaurant



1789 Restaurant is a place to go not for only their food but for the experience! Beautiful dining room with an American antique style

provides the perfect atmosphere for the guests. Host your private parties here and you won't be disappointed!

Photo: wrangler/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 1226 36th Street, NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Opening hours: Monday - Thursday 6pm - 10pm, Friday 6pm - 11pm, Saturday 5.30pm - 11pm, Sunday 5.30pm - 10pm  
 Phone: +1 202 965 1789  
 Internet: www.1789restaurant.com  
 Email: info@1789restaurant.com

### Jaleo



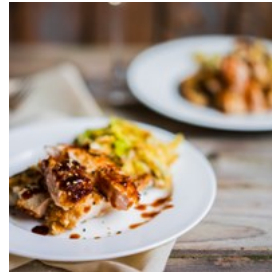
The more than 20 year old Spanish restaurant, Jaleo, offers traditional Spanish dishes in the American capital, Washington. The

restaurant receives critical acclaim for its Spanish tapas. Opt for simple paella or more exotic eggplant flan, just two examples of choices on a menu of more than 40 tapas dishes.

Photo: martiapunts/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 480 7th St NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Opening hours: Lunch menu daily: 11:30am - 2:30pm, Sunday: 11:00am - 10:00pm, Monday: 11:30am - 10:00pm, Tuesday - Thursday: 11:30am - 11:00pm, Friday: 11:30am - 12:30am, Saturday: 11:00am - 12:30am  
 Phone: +1 202 628 7949

Internet: www.jaleo.com  
 Email: downtown@jaleo.com

### Ted's Bulletin 14th Street



Stop by Ted's Bulletin 14th Street and have a delicious milkshake! This restaurant has an attentive staff and offers a bunch of yummy food,

even homemade ones. They are famous of their pop tarts - in different tastes - and you can even order online!

Photo: Alena Haurylik/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 1818 14th St NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Opening hours: Sunday - Thursday 7am - last seating, 10.30pm, Friday - Saturday 7am - last seating 11.30pm  
 Phone: +1202 265 8337  
 Internet: www.tedsbulletin.com

### The Red Hen DC



The Red Hen DC is a restaurant located in an eclectic part of Washington, Bloomingdale. The vibe of the place is great with a

lovely atmosphere that you can experience as soon as you step inside. Their menu is mostly inspired by the Italian cuisine. If you can, book in advance.

Photo: darqdesign/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 1822 1st Street NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 5.30pm - 10pm, Friday 5.30pm - 11pm, Saturday: 5pm - 11pm, Sunday: 5pm - 9.30pm  
 Phone: +1 202 525 3021  
 Internet: www.theredhendc.com  
 Email: info@theredhendc.com



## Rasika



The award-winner restaurant offers Indian cuisine in the capital of the United States. In Washington there are two Rasika restaurants; one in Penn Quarter and the other one in West End. They are known for their modern meals, nice atmosphere, wine cellar and lovely lounge.

Photo: Joe Gough/Shutterstock.com

Address: 633 D Street, NW, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Lunch Hours: Monday - Friday 11:30am - 2:30pm, Dinner Hours: Monday - Thursday 5:30pm - 10:30pm, Friday - Saturday 5pm - 11pm, Lounge & Bar Hours: Monday - Thursday 11:30am - 11pm, Friday 11:30am - Midnight, Saturday 5pm - Midnight

Phone: +1 202 637 1222

Internet: [www.rasikarestaurant.com](http://www.rasikarestaurant.com)

## We the Pizza



We the pizza is a place where you can taste excellent pizzas! It is located in the center of the city, on Pennsylvania Ave - just a few steps from Library of Congress! Stop by and grab a slice from one of the best pizza`s in the capital!

Photo: Anatoly Vartanov/Shutterstock.com

Address: 305 Pennsylvania Ave SE, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 544 4008

Internet: [www.wethepizza.com](http://www.wethepizza.com)

Email: [info@wethepizza.com](mailto:info@wethepizza.com)

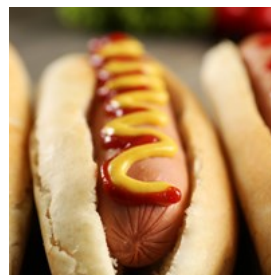
## CAFES



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For a quick hot dog or something more substantial, Washington's deluge of cafes will more than cater to the requirements of its visitors. The city's student population promotes a cafe culture ensuring there is something for everyone.

## Ben's Chili Bowl



It's hot dogs galore at this local neighborhood haunt. With the likes of Duke Ellington eating here over the years, this colorful diner is a favorite for simple tastes and great atmosphere.

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1213 U St N.W., Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Monday-Thursday Breakfast 6am - 10:45am, Main Menu 10:45am - 2am, Friday Breakfast 6am - 10:45am, Main Menu 10:45am - 4am, Saturday Breakfast 7am - 10:45am, Main Menu 10:45am - 4am, Sunday No Breakfast, Main Menu 11am - 12am

Phone: +1 202 667 0909

Internet: [www.benschilibowl.com](http://www.benschilibowl.com)

### Cascade Café



After trawling museums for a morning, stop at the National Gallery's café for a welcome break. The view here is of a man-made waterfall

flowing over a cascade in the gallery's concourse.

Photo: nd3000/Shutterstock.com

Address: 4th St & Constitution Ave, NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 712 7451

Internet: [www.nga.gov](http://www.nga.gov)

### Café Milano



See and be seen at Georgetown's hottest lunch spot. Simple, authentic Italian dishes are served alfresco by bossy waiters.

Photo: Rawpixel.com/Shutterstock.com

Address: 3251 Prospect St NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 333 6183

Internet: [www.cafemilano.net](http://www.cafemilano.net)

### Market Lunch



For seafood lovers, this café hidden in the Eastern Market is a must. The legendary soft-shell crab along with oysters and other fishy fare are

served here in addition to a weekend-only brunch.

Photo: Brent Hofacker/Shutterstock.com

Address: 225 7th St, SE, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 547 8444

Internet: [www.easternmarket.net](http://www.easternmarket.net)

### Full Kee



Head to Chinatown for cheap but mouth-watering bowls of steaming soup and noodles. One of the favorites is the shrimp

dumpling noodle soup with roast pork and Chinese greens.

Photo: VVDVVD/Shutterstock.com

Address: 509 H St, NW, Washington DC

Opening hours: Daily 11am-2am

Phone: +1 202 371 2233

Internet: [www.fullkeedc.com](http://www.fullkeedc.com)

### BARS & NIGHTLIFE



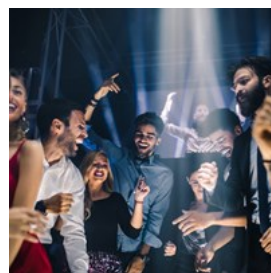
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Student life and an established city Happy Hour make DC's bar scene a happening affair.

Cocktails flow freely, particularly in the two main drinking areas, Georgetown and Adams-Morgan.

Washington lights up after dark. Rave until the early hours or sip exciting cocktails in cozy surroundings.

### Eden



Eden is a four floor club/lounge complete with a beautiful rooftop. Walking up to the first floor, you will instantly feel as though you have

been transported to a hedonist's paradise. The mock waterfalls behind the bamboo-fronted bar, jungle-esque decor and leveled VIP provide an instant escape from office and government buildings throughout Washington. Eden's second floor provides a more traditional, club-like atmosphere, with extended VIP, top 40/mash up and club kids dressed to impress. The third floor, known as the Forbidden Room, is open based on capacity. Its intimate setting allows for an up close and personal experience with the DJ as well as a calming alternative to the fruitful garden below.

Photo: bbernard/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1716 St. Northwest, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 905 9300

Internet: edendc.com

Email: info@edendc.com

## HEIST



Heist is very easy to find, it is located in Downtown of Washington! If you are up for a party that takes place underground, then you have just found what you have been looking for! With its elegance and awesome sound system, Heist will give you a gorgeous experience if you visit.

Photo: Maxim Blinkov/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1802 Jefferson Pl NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 450 2126

Internet: www.heistdc.com

Email: vip@heistdc.com

## Blues Alley



From the outside this Jazz bar doesn't look so appealing but worth the visit if you like to listen to jazz music in "old-time" feeling ambience. At this small and cozy venue you can enjoy live music while sipping on a mouth-watering drink.

Photo: TZIDO SUN/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1073 Wisconsin Ave. NW, Washington, D.C.

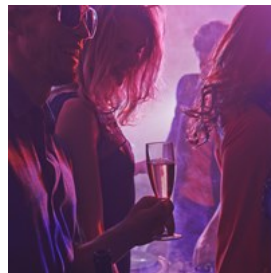
Opening hours: Daily 6:00pm-12:30am

Phone: +1 202 337 4141

Tickets: You can buy your ticket online or at the door

Internet: www.bluesalley.com

## Bar-Code



Bar-Code provides comfort built on a high-end backdrop of marble, open-air and illumination. The venue boasts a 45 ft bar, HDTV's, massive booths, a lounge area with projector, dining area/dance floor and sliding glass-door-panels in the spring/summer to create an indoor/outdoor ambience. A no cover/no dress code policy promotes a relaxing vibe in a modern setting. The music format is generally top 40/pop-house/popular hip-hop.

Photo: Pressmaster/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1101 17th Street, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Monday - Thursday 11.30am - 2am, Friday 11.30am - 3am, Saturday 5pm - 3am

Internet: www.barcodedc.com

Email: info@barcodedc.com

More Info: Northwest



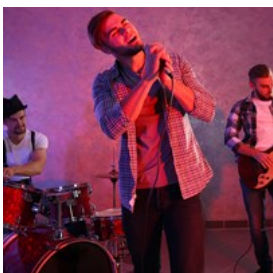
### The Loft at 600 F



The Loft at 600 F with its historic building has a lot to offer if you want to host an event! It is one of the best places to go even if you are planning a business meeting with your colleagues, happy hours or a baby shower for your friend.

Photo: wavebreakmedia/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 600 F Street NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Public Transport: Gallery Place-Chinatown station on the Red/Green/Yellow lines: Use the Arena/7th Street NW exit.  
 Phone: +1 202 796 1646  
 Internet: [www.theloftat600f.com](http://www.theloftat600f.com)  
 Email: [info@TheLoftat600F.com](mailto:info@TheLoftat600F.com)

### U Street Music Hall



U Street Music Hall has one of the best sound systems for those who want to go out partying while they are in the capital. A dance club with live music - in a basement with 500-person capacity - is a perfect place to go and have a great night out with your friends.

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 1115 U St NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Phone: +1 202 588 1889  
 Internet: [www.ustreetmusicall.com](http://www.ustreetmusicall.com)  
 Email: [info@ustreetmusicall.com](mailto:info@ustreetmusicall.com)

### Barrel



Barrel is a great place if you want to have a Sunday brunch but even if you want to go out and have a few cocktails! Stop by even after a long day to have a late night burger and beer.

Photo: Thitinun Lerdkijsakul/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 613 Pennsylvania Ave, SE, Washington, D.C.  
 Phone: +1 202 543 3622  
 Internet: [www.barreldc.com](http://www.barreldc.com)  
 Email: [info@barreldc.com](mailto:info@barreldc.com)

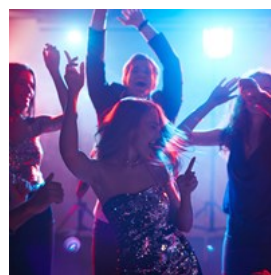
### The Jam Cellar



The Jam Cellar should be your choice if you want to dance in a beautiful place. The club is located in The Josephine Butler Parks Center. If you are up for some swing dancing, you should definitely visit this place on a Tuesday night! They offer an inviting atmosphere and the best swing DJs of Washington.

Photo: e2dan/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 2437 15th St NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Public Transport: Columbia Heights Metro Stop is the nearest stop.  
 Phone: +1 202 569 8329  
 Internet: [www.thejamcellar.com](http://www.thejamcellar.com)  
 Email: [huh@thejamcellar.com](mailto:huh@thejamcellar.com)  
 More Info: The Josephine Butler Parks Center

### Capitale



Capitale is one of the best nightclubs you can find in the capital! With its great staff, amazing atmosphere and really nice venue this place is a great one to go on a night out with your friends - and you can even plan a private event here!

Photo: Pressmaster/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 1301 K St NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Public Transport: The nearest metro station is McPherson Square.  
 Opening hours: Friday - Saturday 10pm - 3am, Sunday 10pm - 2am  
 Phone: +1 202 962 3933  
 Internet: [www.capitaleofdc.com](http://www.capitaleofdc.com)

Email: [info@CapitaleofDC.com](mailto:info@CapitaleofDC.com)

## 701



Featuring the extravagant Caviar Bar, 701 is DC's vodka specialist. To accompany the wide range on offer, connoisseurs can sample an assortment of Russia's best roe.

Photo: [Emelina Chaparro/Shutterstock.com](#)

Address: 701 Pennsylvania Ave, NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 393 0701

Internet: [www.701restaurant.com](http://www.701restaurant.com)

Email: [contact@701restaurant.com](mailto:contact@701restaurant.com)

## McClellan's Retreat



McClellan's Retreat is an intimate place with a lovely atmosphere. The bar has outstanding craft cocktails but if you are up for something strong,

they have over 50 types of whiskeys to offer.

McClellan's Retreat has a great vibe, it is worth a visit!

Photo: [Statia Grossman/Shutterstock.com](#)

Address: 2031 Florida Ave NW, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Monday - Friday 4pm- 2am, Saturday - Sunday 5pm-2am

Phone: +1 202 265 6270

Internet: [www.mcclellansretreat.com](http://www.mcclellansretreat.com)

Email: [info@mcclellansretreat.com](mailto:info@mcclellansretreat.com)

More Info: Happy Hours 4pm - 7pm

## Kabin Lounge



Kabin is the Best DC Nightclub in 2014 and 2015 as well so this place is definitely worth a visit while you are in Washington. The famous club is located right in the heart of the city. Try their craft cocktails and have an amazing night out at Kabin!

Photo: [clownbusiness/Shutterstock.com](#)

Address: 1337 Connecticut Ave NW 2nd Fl, Washington, D.C.

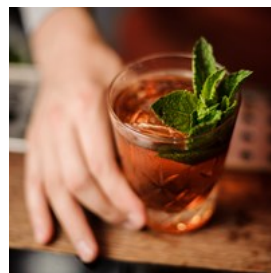
Opening hours: Wednesday & Thursday 10pm - 2am, Friday - Saturday 10pm - 3am

Phone: +1 202 810 2770

Internet: [www.kabindc.com](http://www.kabindc.com)

Email: [info@kabindc.com](mailto:info@kabindc.com)

## Clyde's



Georgetown regulars have been frequenting this Washington institution for almost 40 years. Once a student watering hole, it now boasts more sophisticated décor to match its upscale clientele.

Photo: [Maksim Fesenko/Shutterstock.com](#)

Address: 3236 M St, NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 333 9180

Internet: [www.clydes.com](http://www.clydes.com)

Email: [comments@clydes.com](mailto:comments@clydes.com)

## Simple Bar & Grill



Simple Bar & Grill has a welcoming atmosphere and is - as its name says - simple. If you want to enjoy some lovingly made meals - either meat or vegetarian ones - for a reasonable price, this is

the right place to be.

Photo: David Tadevosian/Shutterstock.com

Address: 5828 Georgia Ave NW, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Monday - Thursday 4pm - 10pm, Friday 4pm - 2am, Saturday 12pm - 2am, Sunday 11am - 10pm

Phone: +1 202 316 9171

Internet: [www.simple-dc.com](http://www.simple-dc.com)

Email: [simplebarandgrill@gmail.com](mailto:simplebarandgrill@gmail.com)

### Union Pub



The Union Pub is worth a visit if you are in the United States' capital! This pub has different happy hour specials every night. They even have an event every Tuesday, called Quizzo (from 8pm to 10pm) where everyone is welcome! This place really is a great gathering place for all.

Photo: Nejrion Photo/Shutterstock.com

Address: 201 Massachusetts Ave NE, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 546 7200

Internet: <http://unionpubdc.com>

Email: [brad@201bar.com](mailto:brad@201bar.com)

### All Souls Bar



If you are up for some chill out with great music, some snacks and drinks for a reasonable price, than All Souls Bar is the place you are looking for!

Stop by this place either alone or with your friends and have a cocktail! It is a small, intimate space where you can have a great talk - even with the friendly bartenders - or just chill out.

Photo: Aleksandrs Muiznieks/Shutterstock.com

Address: 725 T St NW, Washington, D.C.

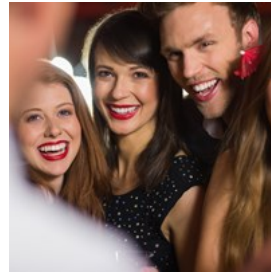
Opening hours: Monday - Thursday 5pm - 2am, Friday 5pm - 3am, Saturday 4pm to 3am, Sunday 4pm - 2am

Phone: +1 202 733 5929

Internet: [www.allsoulsbar.com](http://www.allsoulsbar.com)

Email: [meet@allsoulsbar.com](mailto:meet@allsoulsbar.com)

### Tombs



This is Georgetown's most popular student/lecturer hang-out. Tutorials are forgotten in a relaxed but noisy atmosphere where the latest college gossip is washed down with pitchers of beer.

Photo: wavebreakmedia/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1226 36th St, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 11.30am-1.30am, Friday 11.30am-2.30am, Saturday 11.00am-2.30am, Sunday 9.30am-1.30am

Phone: +1 202 337 6668

Internet: [www.tombs.com](http://www.tombs.com)

Email: [info@tombs.com](mailto:info@tombs.com)

### 9:30 Club



Take in some indie-rock with regular acts at 9:30's warehouse-based venue. The club attracts up to 1,200 revelers on weekends who appreciate up and coming and established musical talent.

Photo: Kohlhuber Media Art/Shutterstock.com

Address: 815 V St, NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 265 0930

Internet: [www.930.com](http://www.930.com)

Email: [human@930.com](mailto:human@930.com)



## SHOPPING



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For a serious shopping spree, Georgetown is probably the most famous area for a bit of retail therapy but many DC neighborhoods have enough boutiques, markets and designer stores to make the city a shopper's paradise. Malls are generally located in more suburban areas, but their popularity ensures they are easily accessible.

### Downtown and Chinatown

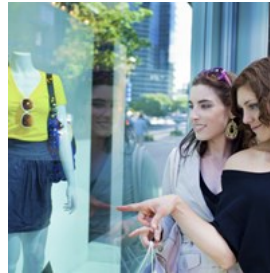


Downtown is DC's department store center. Downtown Washington borders Pennsylvania Avenue, the direct route between the White House and the Capitol. A few central malls including the Old Post Office Pavilion and The Shops at National Place are quieter alternatives to the suburban giants further out of town. Wafts of sweet and sour pork are also likely to drift by in the Downtown area since you are just around the corner from Chinatown.

Photo: Rawpixel.com/Shutterstock.com

Address: Downtown, Washington, D.C.

### Friendship Heights



Next stop Maryland. In the far northwest of the city, the swanky Friendship Heights area is home to some of the most exclusive retail

outlets in DC. Along with designer stores including Banana Republic and the furniture manufacturer Pottery Barn, the Mazza Gallerie mall is another upscale establishment featuring a variety of costly boutiques. Neiman Marcus fashion is based here while a short walk further along Wisconsin Avenue will get you to Tiffany, St-Laurent Rive Gauche and Cartier.

Photo: 275847/Shutterstock.com

Address: Friendship Heights, Washington, D.C.

### The New U District



The New U District is the new home to some of the trendiest shops in the city. You'll find the quirky, the kitsch and the truly bizarre spilling out

of second-hand and alternative boutiques along U Street and 14th St, NW. If you're tired of seeing the same brands again and again elsewhere, look for gems like Home Rule (1807 14th St, NW), selling original variations on regular home wares.

Photo: oneinchpunch/Shutterstock.com

Address: The New U District, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 797 5544

Internet: [www.homerule.com](http://www.homerule.com)

### Eastern Market



Besides delicious fresh products, the Eastern Market also sells soaps, candles, pottery, jewelry and almost anything else you can think of. There's also an irresistible flea market just across the street!

Photo: Dragana Gordic/Shutterstock.com

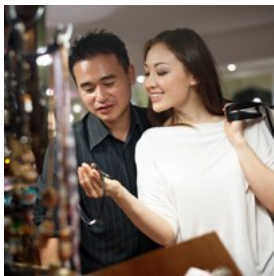
Address: 225 7th St, SE, Washington DC

Public Transport: Eastern Market

Opening hours: Tuesday - Friday 7am - 7pm, Saturday 7am - 6pm, Sunday 9am - 5pm, Monday - Closed

Internet: [www.easternmarket-dc.org](http://www.easternmarket-dc.org)

### The Fashion Center at Pentagon City



160 shops including Gap and Abercrombie & Fitch. There's also a cinema and food court in this expansive downtown mall. Here you can easily spend a few hours and stroll around among all the stores.

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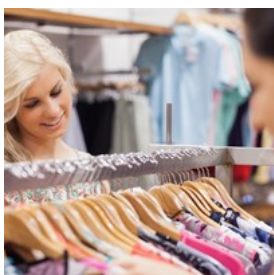
Address: 1100, S Hayes St, Arlington, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: Pentagon City

Phone: +1 703 415 2400

Internet: [www.simon.com/mall](http://www.simon.com/mall)

### Potomac Mills Mall



Perfect for the thrifty buyer, Potomac is the East Coast's largest discount outlet mall. Comprised of a staggering 250 shops, it is a half-hour drive south of DC.

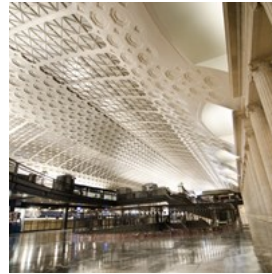
Photo: wavebreakmedia/Shutterstock.com

Address: 2700 Potomac Mills Circle, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 703 469 9330

Internet: [www.potomacmills.com](http://www.potomacmills.com)

### Union Station



Souvenirs galore, Union Station is a DC landmark as well as a mall complete with a multiplex cinema, hundreds of shops, a food court, and an influx of souvenir boutiques.

Photo: Orhan Cam/Shutterstock.com

Address: 50 Massachusetts Ave, NE, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: Union Station

Phone: +1 202 289 1908

Internet: [www.unionstationdc.com](http://www.unionstationdc.com)

### White House Gifts



If you are visiting the capital of the United States, you definitely should stop by the White House Gifts shop! There are different stores around the city but the main one is located on the 15th Street. If you want to have the opportunity to take a picture right behind the Resolute desk, this store is the place to be for you! This picture is probably the best gift to give to yourself during your stay in Washington DC.

Photo: Syda Productions/Shutterstock.com

Address: 701 15th Street NW, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 737 9500

Internet: [www.whitehousegifts.com/shop](http://www.whitehousegifts.com/shop)

Email: [customerservice@whitehousegifts.com](mailto:customerservice@whitehousegifts.com)

## Georgetown



The 'daddy' of places to shop in DC, Georgetown has something to keep everyone happy. This is where most of the big chains are located - Zara, Urban Outfitters, H&M and Victoria's Secret are based here and, despite Georgetown's cobbled street charm, retail development is ongoing. Seek out Barnes & Noble's wonderfully old-fashioned flagship store where book lovers will be in their element.

For designer fiends, Ralph Lauren is among several high-class stores scattered about the neighborhood. There are plenty of smaller, more alternative boutiques in addition to an abundance of music, art and antique shops to keep bargain hunters busy. Look out for Georgetown's largest gallery, Creighton-Davis (3222 M St, NW), and Village Art & Craft (1353 Wisconsin Ave, NW) for funky, ethnic jewelry and knick-knacks.

Photo: VICTOR TORRES/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 1000 Potomac St., NW, Suite 122, Washington D.C.  
 Phone: +1 202 298 9222  
 Internet: www.georgetowndc.com  
 Email: info@georgetowndc.com

## Maine Avenue Fish Market



If you are looking for a place where you can buy some seafood, fresh fish, shrimps or crabs, this is the right market for you! Maine Avenue Fish

Market is a great place to eat - raw or cooked meals -, visit or shop. This waterfront place is definitely a hit for seafood lovers!

Photo: Sann von Mai/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 1100 Maine Ave SW, Washington, D.C.

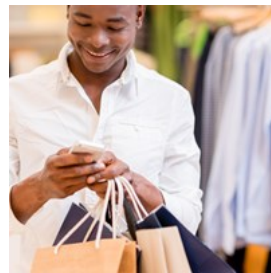
## Mazza Gallerie



Mazza Gallerie is full of shops - Tabandeh, T.J. MAXX, Chas Schwartz & Son Jewelers, Pampillonia Jewelers - that offer the latest trends and sell clothes and accessories.

Photo: nd3000/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 5300 Wisconsin Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C.  
 Opening hours: Monday - Friday 10am - 8pm, Saturday 10am - 7pm, Sunday 12pm - 6pm  
 Phone: +1 202 966 6114  
 Internet: www.mazzagallerie.com

## Chevy Chase Pavilion



Chevy Chase Pavilion, a newly renovated shopping mall, has a lot to offer for those who step in. There are different stores such as H&M, World Market, J.Crew but you can just pop in and have a cup of coffee and a sandwich at Starbucks.

Photo: ESB Professional/Shutterstock.com  
 Address: 5335 Wisconsin Ave NW - Washington, D.C.  
 Opening hours: Monday - Saturday 7am - 11pm, Sunday 7am - 9pm  
 Phone: +1 202 686 5335  
 Internet: www.chevychasepavilion.com



### Union Market



Union Market is a street and flea market in Washington, open all year long. This indoor market is known as the culinary center of the capital. You

can stop by here for lunch or even for just walking around and do some shopping in your free time.

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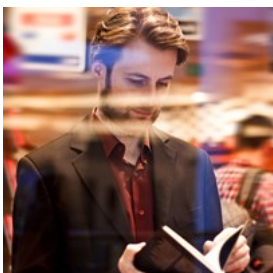
Address: 1309 5th Street NE, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: The nearest stop is NoMA-Gallaudet U stop.

Opening hours: Wednesday - Friday 11am - 8pm, Saturday & Sunday 8am - 8pm

Internet: [www.unionmarketdc.com](http://www.unionmarketdc.com)

### Kramerbooks & Afterwords Cafe



Kramerbooks & Afterwords Cafe is the perfect place for those who are fans of good books and coffee. The famous Bookstore/Cafe is

one of Washington`s most lovable after-work places. You can stop by for breakfast, lunch, dinner or late supper; and during the weekends you are even welcome to pop in for brunch! Visit Kramerbooks & Afterwords Cafe and enjoy different wines, draft beers and some live music.

Photo: Pinkyone/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1517 Connecticut Ave. NW, Washington, D.C.

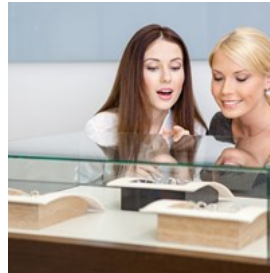
Opening hours: 7.30am - 1am, Friday & Saturday 7.30am - 4pm

Phone: +1 202 387 1400

Internet: [www.kramers.com](http://www.kramers.com)

More Info: Live music: Wednesday - Saturday

### Tiny Jewel Box



Tiny Jewel Box, an antique jewelry store, is for jewelry lovers - and everyone else! This store has everything you could think of when it comes to

jewelries; engagement and wedding rings, gifts, necklaces, bracelets, different accessories such as desk or everyday ones. Four floors are filled with several collections from the best designers and fresh ones as well!

Photo: Karamba Production/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1147 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Monday - Saturday 10am - 5.30pm

Phone: +1 202 393 2747

Internet: [www.tinyjewelbox.com](http://www.tinyjewelbox.com)

Email: [info@tinyjewelbox.com](mailto:info@tinyjewelbox.com)

### Eastern Market Pottery



Eastern Market Pottery is located in the basement of the Market and has a lot of potteries for sale from different artists. You can even participate in a

pottery making class! They offer evening classes from Monday to Thursday, from 7pm to 10pm. On Thursday mornings you can participate in a morning class between 9.30am to 12pm. It is definitely worth a visit if you have enough time!

Photo: Alim Yakubov/Shutterstock.com

Address: 225 Seventh Street SE, Washington, D.C.

Phone: +1 202 544 6669

Internet: [www.easternmarketpottery.com](http://www.easternmarketpottery.com)

### Miss Pixie's



Miss Pixie`s store is open every day and awaits for the customers from 11am to 7pm! Pop in to see something interesting, fun pieces of movable

articles that you can even buy. If you step inside, you will find a huge variety of vintage furniture. They have new items arriving every Wednesday so it is suggested to stop by the next day.

Photo: MarkoV87/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1626 14th St NW, Washington D.C.

Opening hours: 11am - 7pm

Phone: +1 202 232 8171

Internet: [www.misspixies.com](http://www.misspixies.com)

### Georgetown Flea Market



Georgetown Flea Market is an outdoor market offering a variety of items. If you visit, you can find antiques, art pieces from different parts of the

world, Chinese pottery, jewelry, old books and even furniture! Usually the market is open from 8am to 4pm but it really is up to the weather! You can even have some snacks here, as they offer different kinds of food in the territory of the market.

Photo: sirtravelalot/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1819 35th St NW, Washington, D.C.

Opening hours: Sunday: 8am - 4pm

Phone: +1 202 775 3532

Internet: [www.georgetownfleamarket.com](http://www.georgetownfleamarket.com)

More Info: Some of the vendors accept credit cards but it is better to have cash with you during your visit.

### Capitol Hill Books



If you are a fan of old books, Capitol Hill Books bookstore is the place for you to be! They are open every day, just a few steps from the United

States Capitol or The Supreme Court. You can even look up some of the books they have on their website before you decide on visiting.

Photo: Don Pablo/Shutterstock.com

Address: 657 C Street SE, Washington D.C.

Phone: +1 202 544 1621

Internet: [www.capitolhillbooks-dc.com](http://www.capitolhillbooks-dc.com)

Email: [chbooksdc1@juno.com](mailto:chbooksdc1@juno.com)

### ESSENTIAL INFORMATION



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### Ronald Reagan National Airport



National Airport is accessible by Metro (Yellow/Blue Line). The Washington, DC Metrorail system has an important Metrorail

station connected to Terminals B and C at Reagan National Airport. The Metrorail system offers easy and affordable access to different locations throughout Washington, Virginia and Maryland. You can buy your ticket from the

machines located at all entrances to the Airport Metrorail station.

SuperShuttle offers door-to-door service and based on demand. For information or to schedule service, call 1-800-BLUEVAN or go to [supershuttle.com](http://supershuttle.com).

To get in touch with shared ride services, go to the outside curb or contact a SuperShuttle representative. After hours, call 1-800-258-3826 and press 1 for dispatch or 2 for reservations.

Another way is to rent a car. Rental car counters are located on the first floor in Terminal Garage A.

You will find the taxi stands outside the terminals. A taxi to National Airport from the National Mall takes approximately 15 minutes.

Photo: Juan Garces

Address: Ronald Reagan National Airport

Internet: [www.metwashairports.com](http://www.metwashairports.com)

### Washington Dulles International Airport



Washington Dulles International Airport is an international airport in Loudoun and Fairfax counties in Virginia, 26 miles (42 km) west of

downtown Washington, D.C.

Travelling to Dulles is easy with Silver Line Express bus service, connecting Dulles International to downtown Washington, D.C. and beyond. You can buy your tickets for the Dulles International Airport Silver Line Express at the ticket counter located inside the vestibule of Door 4 on the Arrivals Level of the Main Terminal.

[www.washfly.com](http://www.washfly.com)

Metrobus Route 5A to and from Washington, D.C. and Rosslyn, VA

Bus operates to and from L'Enfant Plaza, Rosslyn, Herndon-Monroe Park & Ride and Dulles Airport Ground Transportation Curb location 2E.

[www.wmata.com](http://www.wmata.com)

### Washington Flyer Shared-Ride Service

You can also choose shared van service to and from points all around the metropolitan region.

No reservations required. Go to the Dulles Airport Ground Transportation Centers down the ramps from Arrivals Door no 2 or no 7 or call 1-800-258-3826 (SuperShuttle) / 1-800-590-0000 (Supreme Airport Shuttle).

### Washington Flyer Taxi

There is also Taxi service from the airport. No reservations required. Visit the Washington Flyer Taxi counter at the Dulles Airport Ground Transportation Centers down the ramps from Arrivals Door no. 2 or no 7 or call 703-572-TAXI.

Photo: Juan Garces

Address: Washington Dulles International Airport

Internet: [www.metwashairports.com](http://www.metwashairports.com)

### Baltimore-Washington International Airport



Baltimore/Washington International is a major airport serving the Baltimore-Washington Metropolitan Area in the United States. Situated

next to the CDP Linthicum in northern unincorporated Anne Arundel County, Maryland, the airport is about 32 miles (51 km) northeast of Washington, D.C.

Here are some options how to travel to and from



the airport:

Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority Metro now offers BWI Express Metro bus service between BWI and the Greenbelt metro station. The service offers a direct connection between BWI and the Greenbelt Metro Station. The BWI Express/B30 service runs every 40 minutes, 7 days a week to the Greenbelt Metro Station, which is situated on the Green Line of the Washington Metro System.

For more information call 202-637-7000 or go to [www.wmata.com](http://www.wmata.com).

#### Amtrak

From Washington, DC:

You can also take Amtrak Train to BWI from Washington's Union Station. You can contact Amtrak Passenger Services at Union Station by calling 202-906-3260 or go to their website [www.amtrak.com](http://www.amtrak.com).

#### MARC Train

From Washington, DC:

Take MARC Trains at Washington's Union Station situated at 50 Massachusetts Avenue NE. Here you will find hours and information. The BWI Marshall Rail Station is on MARC's Penn Line.

To contact the Union Station ticket office, please call 202-906-3104. MARC Train service operates seven days a week.

#### Taxis

The taxi stand is placed just outside of the baggage claim area of the Lower Level of the BWI Marshall terminal. BWI Marshall taxicabs are forbidden from charging flat rates. For more information, call 410-859-1100 or visit [www.bwiairporttaxi.com](http://www.bwiairporttaxi.com).

Photo: Juan Garces

Address: Baltimore-Washington International Airport

Internet: [www.bwiairport.com](http://www.bwiairport.com)

### Public Transport



Public transport in Washington consists of the super-efficient Metrorail and bus services. Computerized fare cards are available

from self-service machines at the stations.

One-day passes and weekly ones are available.

The bus service in DC provides services throughout the city and to outlying suburbs.

Stops are marked by red, white and blue signposts. Kids travel free. Be sure to have exact change ready for the automatic fare machines.

Photo: Pierre-Luc Auclair

Internet: [www.wmata.com](http://www.wmata.com)

### Taxi



Taxis are everywhere in the city, just hail one down. DC is based around eight geographical zones, and a cab fare is determined by how many

of these you cross during your ride, as well as the time of day you travel and the number of passengers. Three major taxi companies are:

Diamond

+1 202 387 6200

Yellow

+1 202 544 1212

Capitol

+1 202 636 1600

Phone: +1 202 387 6200

## Post



Blue postal drop boxes are located across DC. Stamps can be bought at many hotels, museums, grocery stores and post offices. You can find your

nearest branch on the Postal Service website.

Photo: Andy Fuchs

Phone: +1 800 275 8777

Internet: [www.usps.com](http://www.usps.com)

## Pharmacy



DC's major pharmacy chain is CVS. The CVS Dupont Circle is open 24 hours.

Photo: Gemma Garner

Address: 6-7 Dupont Circle, Washington, D.C.

Public Transport: Dupont Circle

Phone: +1 202 785 1466

## Telephone



Country code: +1 Area code: 202

Photo: Jardson Almeida

## Electricity



US current is 110-115V, 60Hz AC. Outlets accept flat 2-prong or 3-prong grounded plugs.

Photo: Stirling Tschan

## Population

601,800

## Currency

US Dollar \$1 = 100 cents

## Opening hours

General opening hours for shops are 10am - 7pm/9pm Monday-Saturday. Noon - 5pm/6pm Sunday. Some shops are closed on Sundays.

## Newspapers

Publications:

The Washington Post

The Washington City Paper

On Tap (free)

Georgetown Independent

## Emergency numbers

911

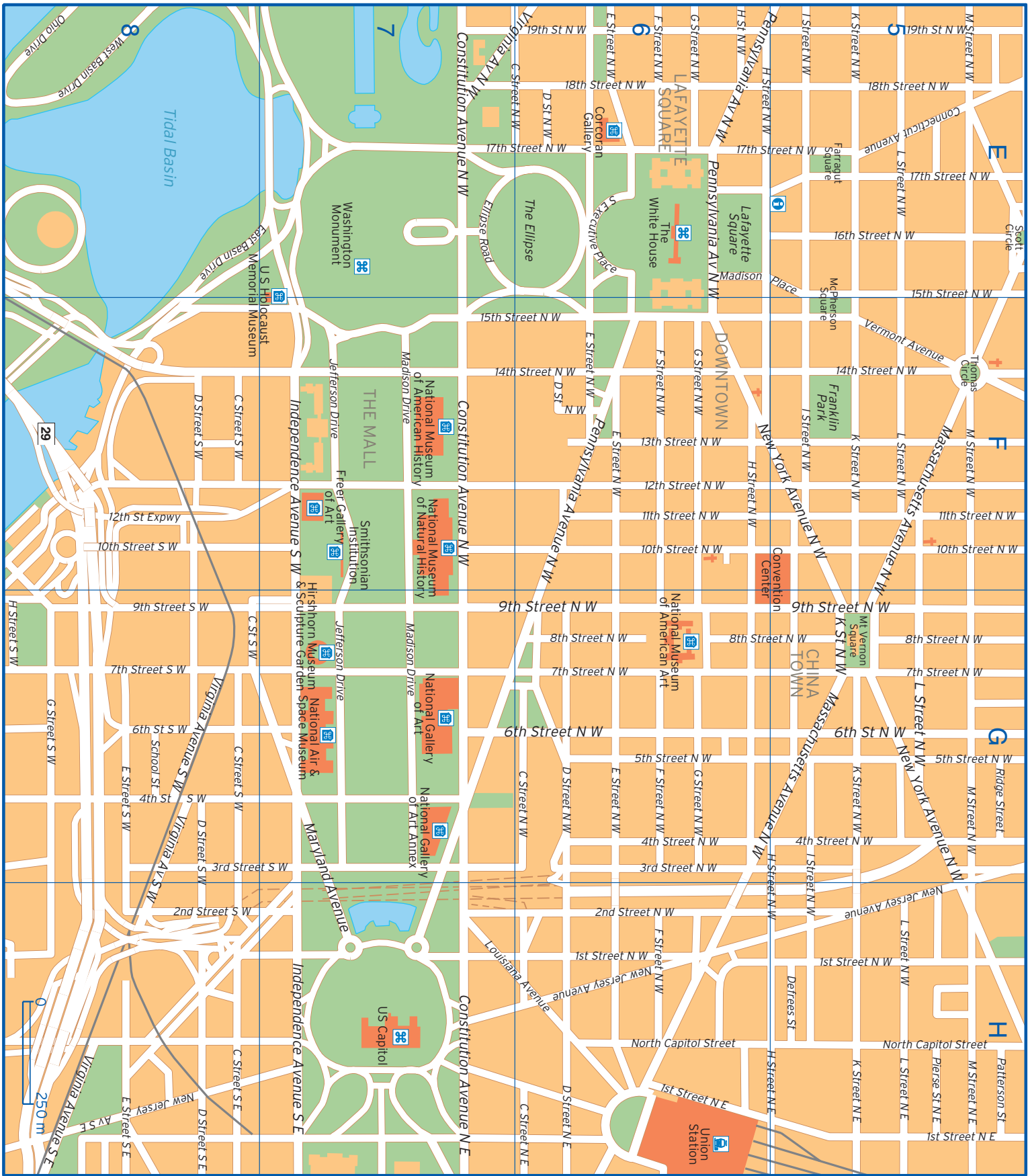
## Tourist information

DC Chamber of Commerce Information Center

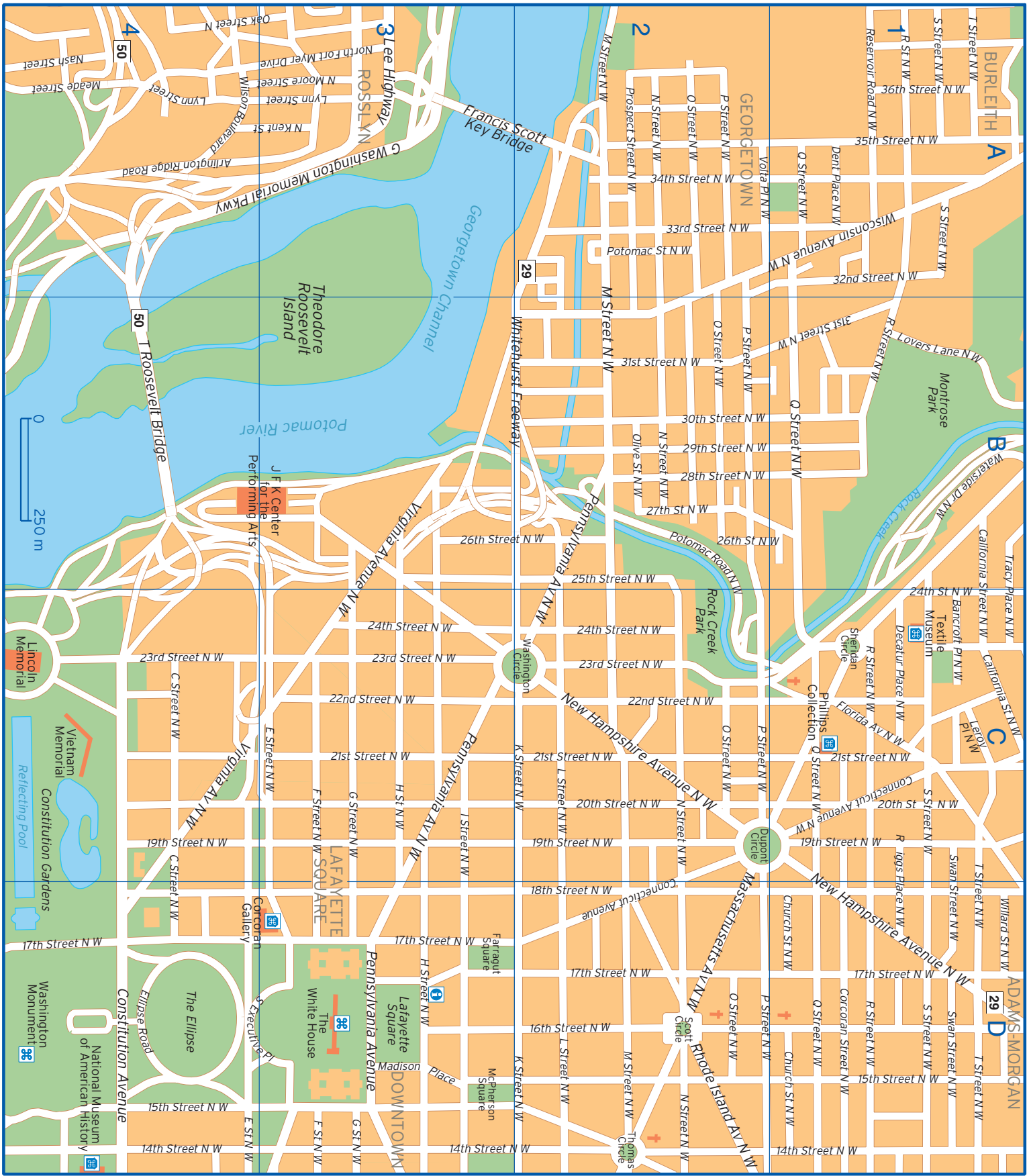
Address: 506 9th Street

NW Washington, DC 20004

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8.30am-5.30pm, closed on Saturday and Sunday.







10th Street North West	F5 F6	9th Street North West	G5 G6 G7	Independence Avenue South East	H7
10th Street South West	F8	9th Street South West	G8	Independence Avenue South West	F7
11th Street North West	F5 F6	Arlington Ridge Road	A4	Jefferson Drive	F7 G7
12th Street Expressway	F8	Bancroft Place North West	C1	K Street North East	H5
12th Street North West	F6	C Street North East	H6	K Street North West	E5 F5 G5
13th Street North West	F6	C Street North West	E7 G6	K Street North West	C2 D2
14th Street North West	F5 F6 F7	C Street North West	C4 D4	L Street North East	H5
14th Street North West	D1 D2 D3 D4	C Street South East	H8	L Street North West	E5 F5 G5 H5
15th Street North West	D1 D4	C Street South West	F8 G8	L Street North West	C2 D2
15th Street North West	E5 F6 F7	California Street North West	B1 C1	Lee Highway	A3
16th Street North West	E5	Church Street North West	D1	Leroy Place North West	C1
16th Street North West	D2	Connecticut Avenue	C2 D2	Louisiana Avenue	H6 H7
17th Street North West	D1 D2 D3 D4	Connecticut Avenue	E5	Lovers Lane North West	B1
17th Street North West	E5 E6 E7	Connecticut Avenue North West	C1	Lynn Street	A3 A4
18th Street North West	E5 E6	Constitution Avenue	D4	M Street North East	H5
18th Street North West	D2	Constitution Avenue North East	H7	M Street North West	E5 F5 G5
19th Street North West	C1 C2 C4	Constitution Avenue North West	E7 F7	M Street North West	A2 B2 D2
19th Street North West	E5 E6	Corcoran Street North West	D1	Madison Drive	F7 G7
1st Street North East	H5 H6	D Street North East	H6	Madison Place	E5 E6
1st Street North West	H5 H6	D Street North West	E6 F6 G6	Madison Place	D3
20th Street North West	C1 C2	D Street South East	H8	Maryland Avenue	G7 H7
21st Street North West	C1 C2 C3	D Street South West	F8 G8 H8	Massachusetts Avenue North W	F5 G5 G6
22nd Street North West	C2 C3	Decatur Place North West	C1	Massachusetts Avenue North West	C2 D2
23rd Street North West	C2 C3 C4	Defrees Street	H5	McPherson Square	D3
24th Street	C1 C2 C3	Dent Place North West	A1	McPherson Square	E5 F5

North West					
25th Street	B2	Dupont Circle	C2	Meade Street	A4
North West					
26th Street	B1 B2 B3	E Street North West	C3 D4	Mt Vernon Square	G5
North West					
27th Street	B2	E Street North West	E6 F6 G6	N Street North West	A2 B2 C2 D2
North West					
28th Street	B2	E Street South East	H8	Nash Street	A4
North West					
29th Street	B2	E Street South West	G8	New Hampshire Avenue North W	C1 C2 D1
North West					
2nd Street	H6	East Basin Drive	E7 E8	New Jersey Avenue South East	H5 H6 H8
North West					
2nd Street	H8	Ellipse Road	E7	New York Avenue North West	F5 F6 G5
South West					
30th Street	B2	Ellipse Road	D4	North Capitol Street	H5 H6
North West					
31st Street	B1 B2	F Street North West	C3 D3	North Fort Myer Drive	A3
North West					
32nd Street	A1	F Street North West	E6 F6 G6 H6	North Kent Street	A3 A4
North West					
33rd Street	A2	Farragut Square	E5	North Moore Street	A3 A4
North West					
34th Street	A2	Farragut Square	D3	O Street North West	A2 B2 C2 D2
North West					
35th Street	A1	Florida Avenue North West	C1	Oak Street North	A3 A4
North West					
36th Street	A1	Francis Scott Key Bridge	A2 A3	Ohio Drive	E8
North West					
3rd Street	G6	G Street North West	C3 D3	Olive Street North West	B2
North West					
3rd Street	G7 G8	G Street North West	E6 F6 G6	P Street North West	A2 B2 C2 D2
South West					
4th Street	G5 G6	G Street South West	G8	Patterson Street	H5
North West					
4th Street	G8	George Washington Memorial Pkwy	A3 A4	Pennsylvania Avenue	D3
South West					
5th Street	G5 G6	H Street North East	H6	Pennsylvania Avenue North W	B2 C2 C3
North West					
6th Street	G5 G6 G7	H Street North West	E6 F6 G6 H6	Pennsylvania Avenue North West	E6 F6
North West					
6th Street	G8	H Street North West	C3 D3	Pierse Street North East	H5
South West					
7th Street	G5 G6	H Street South West	G8	Potomac Road North West	B2 C2
North West					
7th Street	G8	I Street North West	E5 F5 G5 H5	Potomac Street North West	A2
South West					
8th Street	G5 G6	I Street North West	C3	Prospect Street North West	A2
North West					



Q Street North West	A1 B1 C1 D1	South Executive Place	D3 D4	Virginia Avenue South East	H8
R Street North West	A1 B1 C1 D1	South Executive Place	E6	Virginia Avenue South West	G8 H8
Reservoir Road North West	A1	Swan Street North West	C1 D1	Volta Place North West	A2
Rhode Island Avenue North West	D2	T Street North West	A1 C1 D1	Washington Circle	C2
Ridge Street	G5	Theodore Roosevelt Bridge	B4	Waterside Drive North West	B1
Riggs Place North West	C1 D1	Thomas Circle	D2	West Basin Drive	E8
S Street North West	A1 C1 D1	Thomas Circle	F5	Whitehurst Freeway	B3
School Street	G8	Tracy Place North West	B1 C1	Willard Street North West	D1
Scott Circle	E5	Vermont Avenue	F5	Wilson Boulevard	A4
Scott Circle	D2	Virginia Avenue North West	B3 C3 C4	Wisconsin Avenue North West	A1 A2
Sheridan Circle	C1	Virginia Avenue North West	E6 E7		