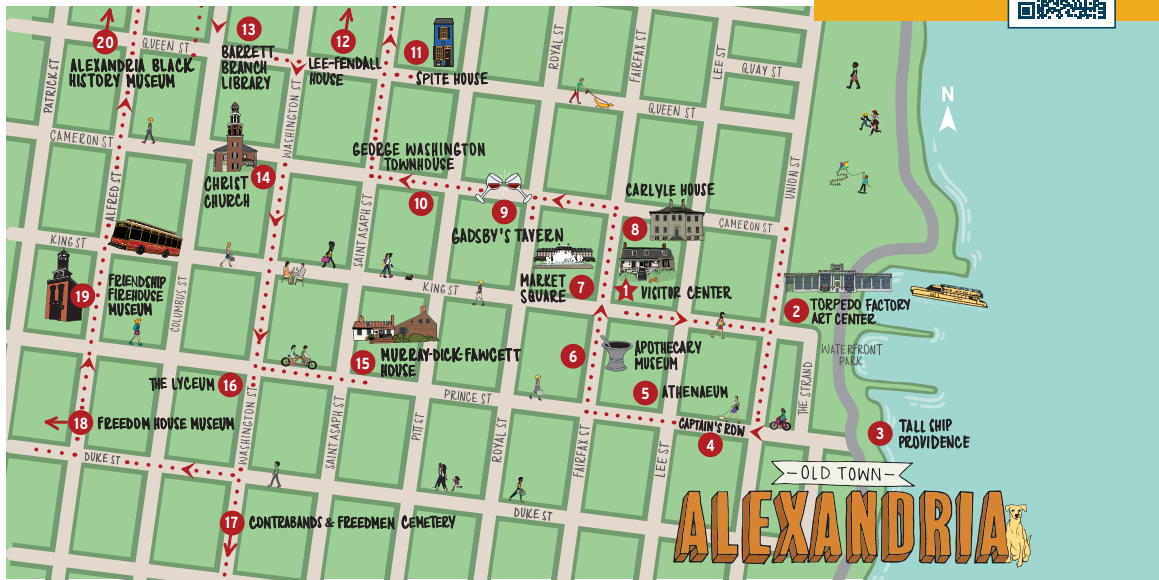


SELF-GUIDED TOUR

Discover Alexandria while you stroll historic streets.

Explore Alexandria's curated Great Walks



- 1 ALEXANDRIA VISITOR CENTER 221 KING STREET**
 Re-creation of the circa-1724 home of Scottish merchant and city cofounder William Ramsay.
- 2 TORPEDO FACTORY ART CENTER 105 N. UNION ST.**
 A torpedo factory during World War II, now home to three levels of active artist studios, seven galleries and the Alexandria Archaeology Museum.
- 3 TALL SHIP PROVIDENCE 1A PRINCE ST.**
 A reproduction of the first ship commissioned by the Continental Congress offers immersive dockside tours and seasonal sails at the floating Senator John Warner Maritime Heritage Center.
- 4 CAPTAIN'S ROW 100 BLOCK OF PRINCE ST.**
 Iconic cobblestone block of private residences named after a successful overseas trader.
- 5 THE ATHENAEUM 201 PRINCE ST.**
 Built in 1851 and currently an art gallery, this salmon-pink Greek Revival building was once a bank.
- 6 STABLER-LEADBEATER APOTHECARY MUSEUM 105-107 S. FAIRFAX ST.**
 Tour this 18th-century family-run pharmacy to see still-intact herbal botanicals and ingredients that will transport you to Hogwarts.
- 7 MARKET SQUARE 300 KING STREET**
 Site of Alexandria's City Hall, built in 1871, and the nation's oldest continually operating farmers market in one location, open Saturdays year-round.
- 8 CARLYLE HOUSE 121 N. FAIRFAX ST.**
 This Georgian Palladian manor house was built in 1753 by wealthy Scottish merchant and the city's cofounder, John Carlyle.
- 9 GADSBY'S TAVERN 134 N. ROYAL ST.**
 This two-building complex includes the 1785 City Tavern, whose notable patrons included George Washington and Thomas Jefferson, and the 1792 Federal-style City Hotel.
- 10 GEORGE WASHINGTON TOWNHOUSE 508 CAMERON ST. (PRIVATE)**
 Re-creation of a townhouse built by Washington in 1769 to provide quarters when he couldn't return to Mount Vernon.
- 11 SPITE HOUSE 523 QUEEN ST. (PRIVATE)**
 The skinniest historic house in America, built in 1830 to keep loiterers out of the adjacent alley, is just seven feet wide.
- 12 LEE-FENDALL HOUSE 614 ORONOCO ST.**
 Tour this 18th-century home to learn about life in the house from 1810 to 1950.
- 13 BARRETT BRANCH LIBRARY 717 QUEEN ST.**
 Site of one of America's earliest recorded sit-ins in 1939 to desegregate Alexandria's library.
- 14 CHRIST CHURCH 118 N. WASHINGTON ST.**
 Constructed in 1775, Washington played a part in building this rectangular Georgian church in 1773 and was an original pew-holder (#60).
- 15 MURRAY-DICK-FAWCETT HOUSE 517 PRINCE ST.**
 Built in 1775, this timber-frame and brick dwelling was around during the American Revolution.
- 16 THE LYCEUM 201 N. WASHINGTON ST.**
 Built in 1839 and once a Civil War hospital, the building now hosts lectures and concerts and is home to the Alexandria History Museum.
- 17 CONTRABANDS & FREEDMEN CEMETERY 1001 N. WASHINGTON ST.**
 Between 1864 and 1869, 1,800 African Americans who fled to Union-occupied Alexandria to escape bondage were buried here.
- 18 FREEDOM HOUSE MUSEUM 1315 DUKE ST.**
 National Historic Landmark with three exhibitions showcasing the Black experience in America and honoring the enslaved and free Black people who lived in—and were trafficked through—Alexandria.
- 19 FRIENDSHIP FIREHOUSE MUSEUM 107 S ALFRED ST.**
 Established in 1774, the Friendship Fire Company was the city's first volunteer fire company. The firehouse was built in 1855.
- 20 ALEXANDRIA BLACK HISTORY MUSEUM 902 WYTHE ST.**
 Originally the segregated library for Alexandria's African American residents, the museum documents the contributions and experiences of Black Americans.