

AMERICAN CIVIL WAR AND WAR OF INDEPENDENCE

Washington DC is your gateway to the historic battlefields of the American Civil War and your group will have time to incorporate the highlights of this fascinating and very picturesque Capital City within the tour programme. Our suggested tour programmes cover three main sites, the first being Manassas the stage for the 1st and 2nd Battle of the Bull Run. Much of the 5000-acre national park still retains its wartime character allowing students to immerse themselves in their subject.

Harpers Ferry and Antietam are important sites. The roots of African American experience run deep here; slavery, the struggle for freedom, education, and early civil rights are all-important aspects of the history of Harpers Ferry. These towns remain a reminder of these historic events.

The events of 'The Battle of Gettysburg' were the 'highwater mark' for the Confederacy that saw the end of Robert E Lee's final invasion of the North. Gettysburg is used as a base for part of our programme allowing groups to explore at their leisure. Our hotel is located adjacent to the main attractions and there are over 3500 acres to explore, with visits to Cemetery Hill, Bloody Run and the Gettysburg National Cemetery.

Our tour outline is not exhaustive, we tailor make all our programmes to suit the needs of your school and relevant curriculum subject areas.

WAR OF INDEPENDENCE

A tour centred around Boston the educational capital of the United States.

A city famous for the Boston Tea Party, we will concentrate on the uprising that occurred from the introduction of the 'Tea Act' in 1773.

Take the opportunity to relive "the single most important event leading up to the Revolutionary War" aboard the Brig Beaver II. Their storytellers will enchant your group. Revolt and throw tea into the sea!

Experience sites and activities on Boston's 'Freedom Trail' or expand your tour with day trips outside of the city to follow the battle road of the 'patriots' to Lexington and colonial Concord or to Salem, all of which have proved very popular.

Whatever your educational needs the opportunities for tours to the USA are endless and our team are happy to create programmes specifically designed for your school and curriculum requirements.



Top to Bottom:
Harpers Ferry, Old
State House - Boston,
Harpers Ferry.