

A Field Trip to Remember...



Middle School Guided Program

Recommended
Ages 13-16

On a trip to our Nation's Capitol and looking for a unique way to engage in American History? Then it is time to come aboard Tall Ship *Providence* for a look at life in the Continental Navy during the Revolution. On our tour you will learn:

STEM

- Ship Building
- Conservation of Energy
- Mechanical Advantage
- Navigation
- Biotic and Abiotic Factors of Ecosystems

Social Studies

- American Revolutionary History
- Founding of the Continental Navy
- Life of a sailor in the 18th century
- Fundamental Principles of American Government



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Field Trip Programs

(available for 4th grade and up)

Timing and Capacity

The private guided tour runs 1.5 hours per ~50 students and can accommodate up to 120 students at a time with additional activities in Waterfront Park.

Pricing

- \$15 per student
- One complimentary chaperone per 10 students
- \$15 per additional chaperone
- Boxed Lunch is available for an additional fee

Where

The Senator John Warner Maritime Heritage Center is on the East side of [Waterfront Park](#). Center is ADA compliant with 2 restrooms. The dock is covered and can be heated.

Tripadvisor
Travelers'
Choice Awards



Tall Ship Providence Foundation

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Trip Agenda...

Tour Agenda: Tour designed for ~50 students every 1.5 hours.

- Captain John Paul Jones addresses the whole group and talks about the Revolutionary War and the Continental Navy.
- Break into smaller groups and switch between the ship and dock:

30 Minutes on the Ship

- Life at sea
- Conservation of Energy
- Mechanical Advantage
- Tools of navigation

30 Minutes on the Dock

- Ship building and VA Colonial History
- Water quality Experiment
- Potomac River Ecosystem

- Closing speech on the dock discussing the end of the American Revolution the fate of our ship.



What are groups of 50+ students doing?

Groups of 50+

Up to 120 students are greeted together on the dock and then are sent to Waterfront Park for 1 hour to do additional self-guided activities and have lunch before their guided portion begins.

Students learn:

- History of Alexandria
- Using a compass
- Parts of a ship
- Knot Tying



Questions? Please feel free to contact our Director of Education Programming

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