

Price Per Student

College: \$11.00

K-12: \$8.00

Pre-K: \$5.00

Add-on Activity: \$6.00

Chaperons for Pre-K through High School: 1 free per 10-12 students, each additional \$8.00

Outreach Programs for grades 3-12: \$150 for 1 -2 hours
If you can't make it to us, outreach is the perfect solution. Hill-Stead travels to you. For class-size groups only.

Skype There is still a way to connect. \$100 program fee. Skype Tours last from 30 to 45 minutes.

Home-school groups and any other youth groups are welcome!

Grants Hill-Stead receives grant funding from several sources that support education. For more details or to see if your school can receive free or discounted admission, please contact the education department.

Extra

If you have extra time, stay for lunch on the grounds, or enjoy inside - in the Makeshift Theater.

Hike the grounds, there are miles or trails, vista views, and our famous Sunken Garden.

Our three season Education Station is open to all. If open, stop by for drop in games, art, or an explorer backpack.

Bus Directions

Buses must use the Farmington Avenue (Route 4) gate. Please note that GPS will route you to the car entrance. Only right turns are allowed when entering from or exiting onto Rt. 4. See website for more details.

- Take exit 39 off of Route 84 E or W onto Rt. 4, heading west.
- To avoid delays on Rt. 4, take exit 38 off Route 84 onto rt.6. Turn right onto Birdseye and a quick left onto Mountain Rd.

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Hill-Stead Museum Field Trips



Bring your students to the Hill-Stead Museum.
Open year round.

"Made our group feel encouraged and excited about writing and sharing."

— Shane Santos, Rockville High School, Grades 9-12, 2016

"Incredibly well planned and focused."

— Ms. Tamsin, Martin Elementary School, Grade 4, 2016



Choose a Tour Focus

All tours align with Common Core State and National Core Arts Standards!

1 Highlights of Hill-Stead

Engage your students in the exploration of history, art, and architecture as they tour the 1901 Colonial Revival home of the Pope and Riddle families.

2 Bienvenue au Musee Hill-Stead

Hear the stories of the Popes' travels in France, during their 1888-89 Grand Tour, and their fervent collecting of artworks from the French Impressionists that followed.

3 At Home with the Impressionists

Take a close, critical look at some of the most significant paintings in the history of art.

4 Design your Own Tour

We customize tours for teachers in order to better meet classroom learning goals. Teachers and students are a priority at Hill-Stead—let us support you and your curriculum.

Choose an Add-on Activity

1 En Plein Air

Museum educators lead this activity outdoors, where students create plein air sketches like the Impressionist painters.

2 Poetry (New!)

Find inspiration from the museum collection to create ekphrastic poetry. Working together and in groups, students experiment with writing and art in a fresh way.

3 French Connections: Art & Poetry

Students work independently and collaboratively, to create a collage that is satisfying and rewarding to all artistic levels.

4 Visit the Archives

Primary resource documents include original diaries, letters, photographs, limited edition prints, gallery receipts and other ephemera not normally on display in the museum.



To Book a Field Trip

Advise us of your preferred date and time, with alternate dates, and the number of students and adult chaperons in your group.

School tours should be arranged at least two weeks in advance—but please plan much earlier if you are hoping to schedule during our busiest school tour months of May and June!

Call, E-mail, or Book On-line. We will get back to you with a confirmation- reservation and invoice form.



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