

The City of Winchester and the County of Frederick are located at the top of Virginia, only 72 miles northwest of Washington, D.C., 86 miles south of Gettysburg, and 22 miles north of the Skyline Drive and Shenandoah National Park. With seven major roadways – routes 11, 522, 50, 340, 81, 7, and 66 – converging in Winchester, the area is situated within a 3-hour drive to 14% of the U.S. population.





Major Attractions

- Patsy Cline Historic House Tour the home Patsy lived in while building her music career
- Old Town Winchester
 Locally-owned boutique shopping,
 alfresco dining, historic architecture,
 and a two-block pedestrian mall
- Shenandoah Valley Discovery Museum Inspires learning and creativity in children of all ages
- Museum of the Shenandoah Valley History and culture of the Shenandoah Valley, gardens, and year-round events
- Shenandoah University Conservatory Music, theatre, and dance performances
- Belle Grove Plantation
 1797 Manor House with mountain views

 Farm Markets & Orchards
- Pick-your-own fruits, wagon rides
 Civil War Museums & Battlefields
 Winchester changed hands over 70
 times during the Civil War

Lodging

Winchester-Frederick County, VA offers a huge variety of lodging options, including nearly 3,000 hotel-motel rooms!

- The George Washington A Wyndham Grand Hotel
- Courtyard by Marriott
- Country Inn & Suites
- Hampton Inn
- Holiday Inn & Holiday Inn Express
- Hilton Garden Inn
- Fairfield Inn & Suites

Dining

With over 200 restaurants, you'll find a dining venue to satisfy every palate, as well as every pocket-book.

Tour Services

- Step-On Guides
- Assistance with Itineraries
- Receptive Operators Available

Annual Events

- Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival (April-May)
- Newtown Heritage Festival (May)
- Of Ale & History Beer Festival (May)
- Hop Blossom Craft Beer Festival (June)
- Frederick County Fair (July)
- Route 11 Yard Crawl (Aug)
- Winchester Greek Festival (Aug)
- Peach, Apple, & Pumpkin Festivals (Aug - Oct)
- Shenandoah Valley Apple Harvest Festival (*Sept*)
- Battle of Cedar Creek Reenactment (Oct)
- First Night Winchester (Dec)

Nearby Attractions

- Washington, DC (1hr 30 min)
- Shenandoah National Park (30 min)
- The Pennsylvania Opry (1 hr)
- Harper's Ferry National Historical Park (45 min)
- Antietam Natl Battlefield (45 min)
- Potomac Eagle Scenic Railway (1hr)
- Shenandoah Caverns Family of Attractions (45 min)
- Hollywood Casino at Charles Town Races (30 min)
- Luray Caverns (1 hr)





Sample Itineraries



Follow the Apple Trail

Get a taste of our apple heritage! Visit farm markets and orchards, museums, and historic sites on this tour that celebrates everything apples.

Learn about the apple industry and the family farms that have grown apples here for generations. Take a scenic haywagon ride, pick your own apples from the trees, and more!

Crazy for Patsy Cline

Fans will delight in this tour that honors the memory of country music star, Patsy Cline.

Hear stories about Patsy's youth as you visit the home where she lived while pursuing her music career.

Pay tribute to Patsy at her final resting place, and bring a penny to leave for good luck!

The Battle for Winchester

Experience the Civil War in a town that changed hands over 70 times during the conflict.

Step back in time at General Stonewall Jackson's Headquarters and the Shenandoah Valley Civil War Museum. Visit our well-preserved battlefields and enjoy an educational program by a National Park Service Ranger.

Need more tour ideas? See the **Tours and Itineraries** and **Self-Guided Tours** pages on our website, **VisitWinchesterVA.com**.