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Asia Society Texas Center

Address: 1370 Southmore Boulevard, Houston, TX 77004
Area Served: Greater Houston
Days/Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 11am-6pm, Saturday-Sunday, 10am-6pm
Contact: Kelly Kleinkort, Director of Education, Business, and Policy
Phone: General questions: 713-496-9901. • School tours: 713-496-9939.
Fax: 713-496-9989
Email: General questions: TXCenter@AsiaSociety.org. • School tours: SchoolToursTX@AsiaSociety.org. • Programs: KKleinkort@AsiaSociety.org.
Website: http://asiasociety.org/texas
Local Bus Routes: 700 (METRO rail), 56, 298
Ages/Grades Served: All ages
Eligibility: Requires at least two weeks of advanced notice for school tours. • Docent-led school tour groups must have 85 or fewer persons. • Must have at least one adult chaperone per 10 children.
Costs: Costs vary. • School tours are free. • Admission to building is free. • Admission to exhibitions is free for children ages 0-12 and members, and $5 for persons ages 13+ and non-members. • Parking lot is $5 per day. • Call to ask about specific costs.
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English
Direct Services: Designs, develops, and provides materials and tours that fit Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) and HISD curriculum standards. • Offers docent-led field trips for HISD schools.

Bayou Bend Collection and Gardens

Address: 6003 Memorial Drive, Houston, TX 77007
Area Served: Greater Houston
Days/Hours: Office: Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-5pm, Sunday, 1pm-5pm. • School field trips: Tuesday-Friday, 9:30am-11:30am.
Contact: Lavinia Ignat
Phone: School tour inquiries: 713-639-7750. • School tour programs: 713-639-7762.
Fax: Not available
Email: bayoubend@mfah.org
Website: http://www.mfah.org/visit/bayou-bend-collection-and-gardens/bayou-bend-school-group-tours
Local Bus Routes: 20
Ages/Grades Served: Garden and grounds: All ages. • Museum tours: Ages 9-17 and adults ages 18+.
Eligibility: Bayou Bend is open to the general public. • Prohibits children ages 0-8 on its collection tours (indoors). • Must reserve group tours at least three weeks in advance. • School visits that include the historic house are available for students ages 9+, in groups of up to 96 students.
Costs: Costs vary. • School visits are free. • Gardens are free for children ages 0-9, $5 for ages 10-18, $7.50 for adults ages 19-64, $6 for students (with ID), and $6 for adults ages 65+. • Study tours are $12.50 for museum members, free for children ages 0-9, $7.50 for ages 10-18, $15 for adults ages 19-64, $13.50 for students (with ID), and $13.50 for adults ages 65+. • Parking for school busses in a nearby lot is free. • Call to ask about specific costs.
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English
Direct Services: Provides two-hour, customized school tours that reflect the special interests of a classroom, from advanced American History to Architecture to Painting. • Offers free school visits to gardens (all ages) and a historic house (ages 9+). • Offers 14 acres of formal, landscaped gardens whose flowers and trees often have strong associations with the South; classical sculptures of mythical Greek figures; and gently-sloped walking paths in natural woodlands.

HISD FACE 2021 - 2022 Community Resource Guide
Blaffer Art Museum at the University of Houston

Address: 4188 Elgin Street, Houston, TX 77004
Area Served: Greater Houston
Days/Hours: Museum: Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-5pm. • Guided Tours: Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-4pm.
Contact: Katherine Veneman, Curator of Education
Phone: General questions: 713-743-9521. • School programs: 713-743-9526.
Fax: Not available
Email: kveneman@uh.edu
Website: http://www.blafferartmuseum.org
Local Bus Routes: 4, 29
Ages/Grades Served: Grades K-12
Eligibility: Museum is open to the general public. • Free guided tours require two weeks of advance notice. • Encourages teachers to preview exhibitions before arranging a tour to ensure appropriateness for K-12 students.
Costs: Museum admission is free. • Free and metered parking is in lot 16B. • Parking passes are available.
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English, tours may be offered in additional languages, please inquire.
Direct Services: Offers docent-led guided tours of exhibitions for groups of 10-75 adults or children. • Interdisciplinary faculty can help to link tours to the curriculum at a school. • Also offers summer art-making workshops for children ages 6-12.

Contemporary Art Museum of Houston

Address: 5216 Montrose Boulevard, Houston, TX 77006
Area Served: Greater Houston
Days/Hours: Museum: Tuesday-Wednesday, 10am-7pm, Thursday, 10am-9pm, Friday-Saturday, 10am-6pm, Sunday, 12pm-6pm. • Public tours: Saturday, 11am and 3pm.
Contact: Adrianna Benavides, Tour Programs Coordinator
Phone: General questions: 713-284-8250. • Tour scheduling: 713-284-8276.
Fax: 713-284-8275
Email: General questions: info@camh.org. • Programs: janderson@camh.org.
Website: http://camh.org/programs-education/families
Local Bus Routes: 56, 298
Ages/Grades Served: All ages
Eligibility: Museum is open to the general public. • Requires payment for group tours at the time of the visit. • Requires advance notice of at least two weeks for group tours. • Limits groups to 10-80 participants.
Costs: Free
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English
Direct Services: Provides an Art Guide for integrating its collection into classroom curricula. • Provides free weekly public tours of its exhibits. • Offers extensive youth-centered contemporary arts programs for teenagers.

Houston Arboretum and Nature Center

Address: 4501 Woodway Drive, Houston, TX 77024
Area Served: Greater Houston
Days/Hours: Trails open daily from 7 am – dusk. Nature Center open daily from 9 am – 4 pm. • Nature Shop: 10am-4pm. • Field trip programs: Monday-Friday, 9:30am-1pm.
Contact: Tiffany Ritter, Education Director
Phone: General questions: 713-681-8433.
Fax: 713-681-1191
Email: General questions: arbor@houstonarboretum.org.
Website: http://houstonarboretum.org/school-programs
Local Bus Routes: 020, 084
Ages/Grades Served: All ages, field trips available for ages K-12
Eligibility: Trails, Nature Playscape, and Nature Center are open to the general public. Need at least one adult chaperone per 10 children. Requires at least two weeks of advance notice for field trip bookings; reservation request form can be filled out on the website.

Costs: Costs vary. Grounds and Nature Center are free to visit. School program fees are $6-$15 per student or adult. Admission is free for one chaperone per 10 children. Parking is a $5 flat rate per day. It is free on Thursdays and for Arboretum Members. Pay for parking at the parking kiosks or via the Park Houston app. Call to ask about specific costs.
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English
Direct Services: Staff naturalists and docents use the 155-acre nature and wildlife sanctuary as a hands-on laboratory to offer science-based learning experiences aligned with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS). Middle school and high school students can participate in a survey of natural aquatic habitats as they do basic water testing procedures and aquatic animal and plant surveys. Offers docent-led field trips for schools during the academic school year, as well as summer camp and summer programs for summer school groups.

Houston Center for Contemporary Craft

Address: 4848 Main Street, Houston, TX 77002
Area Served: Available for in person visiting or online workshops (nationally)
Days/Hours: Thursday to Saturday 10am to 5pm

Contact: Blaize Middleton
Phone: 713-529-4848
Fax:
Email: education@crafthouston.org
Website: www.crafthouston.org
Local Bus Routes: 700 (METRO rail), 25, 56
Ages/Grades Served: All ages
Eligibility: Limits groups to 10-30 persons. • Requires one adult chaperone per 10 students. • Must submit an online group tour and workshop request form.
Costs: Free
Onsite at Schools: n/a
Languages: English, Spanish
Direct Services: In person visitation of the galleries, public events, artist residency program and Craft Garden. Please check the events calendar for information.

Houston Center for Photography

Address: 1441 West Alabama Street, Houston, TX 77006
Area Served: Greater Houston
Days/Hours: Wednesday-Thursday, 11am-9pm, Friday, 11am-5pm, Saturday-Sunday, 11am-7pm
Contact: Natalie Rodgers, Community Education Manager
Phone: 713-529-4755 ext. 14
Fax: 713-529-9248
Email: General questions: info@hcponline.org. • School tour appointments: natalie@hcponline.org. • Education: education@hcponline.org.
Website: http://www.hcponline.org
Local Bus Routes: 56, 82, 298
Ages/Grades Served: All ages
Eligibility: Center galleries are open to the general public.
**Costs:** Free  
**Onsite at Schools:** Yes. Community Education programs may be brought to your schools. Contact Natalie Rodgers at natalie@hcponline.org, for more information.  
**Languages:** English  
**Direct Services:** Exhibits photography and educates the public about photography as an artistic medium and as a tool for cultural investigation. • Offers photography classes for persons at all skill levels. • Offers guided exhibition tours for schools on Wednesdays - Fridays, 11am - 5pm. Offers in-school and after-school photography programs for youth of all ages.  

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### Houston Museum of Natural Science  

**Address:** 5555 Hermann Park Drive, Houston, TX 77030  
**Area Served:** Greater Houston  
**Days/Hours:** Museum: Monday-Sunday, 9am-5pm, except 9am-6pm during summers, Thursday 9am-9pm. • Field trips: Monday-Saturday, 9am-5pm.  
**Contact:** Cathy Walton, HMNS Lead Marketing Coordinator, Field Trips Department  
**Phone:** Main Museum: 713-639-4629. • Field trips: 713-639-4659.  
**Fax:** Office: 713-523-4125. • Field trips: 713-639-4775.  
**Email:** General questions: fieldtrips@hmns.org. • Programs: educationquestions@hmns.org.  
**Website:** http://www.hmns.org/education/educators/field-trips  
**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 56, 298  
**Ages/Grades Served:** Grades K-12  
**Eligibility:** Museum is open to the general public. • Schools must book their field trips in advance and must have at least one chaperone per 10 students. • Groups must include at least 10 students to receive the field trip rate. • Requires at least two weeks of advance notice for tour bookings.  
**Costs:** Costs vary. • Everyone attending the Field Trip must pay for admission — students, chaperones, teachers, administration, bus drivers, etc. • Permanent Exhibit Halls: $4.00; Planetarium: $3.50; Butterfly Center: $4.50; Giant Screen Theatre: $5.00 • Admission is free only for the Permanent Exhibits Halls on Thursday, 2pm-5pm (school year) or 6pm-9pm (summer). • Admission to Permanent Exhibits Halls is free for members of all ages, $16.00 per non-member child, and $25.00 per non-member adult. • Docents are available at $10.00 per docent, with one docent required per 10 visitors. • Discovery Guided Tours are available at $30.00 per 15 visitors.  
**Onsite at Schools:** Yes. • Provides curricular materials and onsite outreach programs to supplement school field trips.  
**Languages:** English, French, Spanish  
**Direct Services:** Designs curricular materials for school field trips to reinforce Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) objectives and to elevate the excitement of students about learning science all school year. • Offers curricular units for all permanent and special exhibits. • Units include TEKS objectives, vocabulary, a knowledge hunt, and extension activities for Grades K-8. • High school units are available, with two weeks of advanced notice, upon request.  

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<td>Parent Resource Library- Children’s Museum of Houston</td>
<td>1500 Binz Street, Houston, TX 77004</td>
<td>713-535-7292</td>
<td>Tuesday-Wednesday, 10am-6pm, Thursday, 10am-8pm, Friday-Saturday, 10am-6pm, Sunday, 12pm-6pm, Sunday, 10am-6pm</td>
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**Contact:** Rhea Lawson, Senior Communication Specialist  
**Phone:** General questions: 832-393-1313. • HPL Mobile Express: 832-393-1533. • Programs: 832-393-1300 or 832-393-1382.  
**Fax:** Not available  
**Email:** hpl.mobile@houstontx.gov  
**Website:** [http://houstonlibrary.org/find-it/find-library-location](http://houstonlibrary.org/find-it/find-library-location)  
**Ages/Grades Served:** Grades PK-12 and adults ages 18+  
**Eligibility:** Library system is open to all residents of Texas. • Many services require a library card.  
**Costs:** Free  
**Onsite at Schools:** Yes. • Schools may arrange visits of the HPL Mobile Express computer-training lab. • HPL Mobile Express Lab supports literacy, enrichment, homework help, and after-school programs. • HPL Mobile Express Lab also supports workforce development, access to technology, computer training, English as a Second Language (ESL) classes, and library card registration.  
**Languages:** English, Spanish  
**Direct Services:** Library system includes the Central Library, three special collection libraries (a research center, a center for genealogical research, and an African-American Library), four regional libraries, 31 neighborhood libraries, four express libraries, a mobile express library, and a satellite library (at the Children’s Museum). • Services for families with children include digital and face-to-face story times, video gaming, game design, and robotics.  

**Houston Zoo**

**HISD FACE 2021 - 2022 Community Resource Guide**
**John P. McGovern Museum of Health and Medical Science**

**Address:** 1515 Hermann Drive, Houston TX 77004  
**Area Served:** Greater Houston  
**Days/Hours:** Monday-Saturday, 9am-5pm, Thursday, 9am-7pm, Sunday, 12pm-5pm  
**Contact:** Amy Kapadia, Senior Program Manager  
**Phone:** General questions: 713-521-1515. School programs: 713-337-8451.  
**Fax:** 713-526-1434  
**Email:** General questions: info@thehealthmuseum.org. School programs: akapadia@thehealthmuseum.org. Field trips: reservations@thehealthmuseum.org.  
**Website:** [http://www.thehealthmuseum.org/educational-program/field-trips](http://www.thehealthmuseum.org/educational-program/field-trips)  
**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 56  
**Ages/Grades Served:** Grades PK-12  
**Eligibility:** Museum is open to the general public. School field trips must have one chaperone per 10 students. Requires at least 15 students per museum field trip class.  
**Costs:** Costs vary. General admission to Museum programs and exhibits is free each Thursday, 2pm-5pm. All other times, Museum is free for members and children ages 0-2, $5 for non-member children ages 3-12, $7 for non-members ages 13-64, $5 for non-member adults ages 65+, Museum parking lot is $5 per day. Field trips are $5-$9 per student; some field trip classes cost more. Call to ask about specific costs.  
**Onsite at Schools:** No  
**Languages:** English, Spanish  
**Direct Services:** Offers innovative and interactive health and science educational experiences. Among attractions are as follows: a hands-on walk through the human body, real organ dissections, and science mini-classes and mini-med schools. Also offers discovery camps during spring break and summer break.

**Museum of Fine Arts Houston**

**Address:** 1001 Bissonnet Street, Houston, TX 77005  
**Area Served:** Greater Houston  
**Days/Hours:** Tours: Tuesday-Wednesday tours start at 10am-3:30pm, Thursday- Saturday, 10am-5pm, Sunday, 12:15pm-5pm • Museum: Tuesday-Wednesday, 10am-5pm, Thursday, 10am-9pm, Friday-Saturday,
10am-7pm, Sunday, 12:15pm-7pm. • Lillie and Hugh Roy Cullen Sculpture Garden: Monday-Sunday, 9am-
10pm.
Contact: Vera Fonteneaux, Docent Assistant
Phone: General questions: 713-639-7300. • School tours: 713-800-5363.
Fax: Not available
Email: tours@mfah.org
Website: http://www.mfah.org/programs-for/educators-school-groups
Local Bus Routes: 700 (METRO rail), 56
Ages/Grades Served: Grades K-12
Eligibility: Museum is open to the general public. • Schedule self-guided tours at least two weeks ahead. • Schedule
docent-guided tours at least four weeks ahead. • Requires one adult chaperone per 10 students.
Costs: Costs vary. • Free for school groups with four weeks of advance registration. • General admission is free each
Thursday. • Admission to the Sculpture Garden is free. • General admission is free for members and for children ages 0-
12, $7.50 for ages 13-18, $15 for adults ages 19-64, and $10 for adults ages 65+. • MFAH parking is $6. • Call to ask
about specific costs.
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English, Spanish
Direct Services: Offers docent-guided and self-guided tours for schools. • Docent-guided 60-minute tours include four
to six works of art, encourage critical and creative thinking, address varied learning styles, and align with Texas Essential
Knowledge and Skills (TEKS). • Tours link varied academic subjects and develop the skills of students for viewing and
describing Art, thinking deeply, and linking Art to human experience. • Students use inquiry, critical thinking skills, and
close looking to explore the meaning of Art in different cultures.

### Rienzi

**Address:** 1406 Kirby Drive, Houston, TX 77019
**Area Served:** Greater Houston
**Days/Hours:** Museum: Wednesday-Saturday, 10am-5pm, Sunday, 1pm-5pm. • Gardens: Monday-Saturday,
10am-4:30pm, Sunday, 1-4:30pm. • School tours: Wednesday-Friday starting at 10am, 11am, and 1:00pm.
**Contact:** Stephanie Niemeyer, Manager of Learning and Interpretation
**Phone:** General questions: 713-639-7800. • School tours: 713-353-1565.
**Fax:** 713-639-7810
**Email:** General questions: rienzi@mfah.org. • Programs: sniemeyer@mfah.org.
**Website:** http://www.mfah.org/visit/riendi/educators-students
**Local Bus Routes:** 41
**Ages/Grades Served:** Grades 6-12
**Eligibility:** Rienzi is open to the general public. • Limits tour groups to 10-40 persons. • Requires one adult
chaperone per 10 students. • Requires at least four weeks of advance notice to schedule a school tour.
**Costs:** Costs vary. • Admission to gardens is free. • Admission for school tours is free. • General admission is
free for children ages 0-12, $4 for MFAH members, $5 for ages 13-18, $8 for adults ages 19-64, and $5 for
adults ages 65+. • Regular admission is discounted for group tours.
**Onsite at Schools:** No
**Languages:** English, Czech, French, German, Italian, Polish, Russian, Spanish
**Direct Services:** School tours engage students in exploring topics in European history, world cultures,
geography, and language arts. • Connects thematic school tours with secondary school curricula • Rienzi
sponsors two Family Days a year; with complimentary admission for all.

### Space Center Houston

**Address:** 1601 NASA Parkway, Houston, TX 77058
**Area Served:** Greater Houston, Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia
**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 10am-5pm, Saturday-Sunday, 10am-7pm, Summer hours 9am-6pm
**Contact:** Richard Sanger, Director of Development
**Phone:** General reservations: 281-283-4755. • Field trips: 281-283-4764.
Fax: Field trips: 281-283-4766.
Email: General questions: schinfo@spacecenter.org. • Field trips: title1@spacecenter.org.
Website: http://spacecenter.org/school-visits/title-1-school-discounts
Local Bus Routes: 246, 249
Ages/Grades Served: Grades K-12
Eligibility: Center is open to the general public. • Only pre-approved Title I school sponsorship program applications qualify for discounts. • Requires at least four weeks of advance notice before a field trip.
Costs: Costs vary. • Offers field trip discounts at $5.95 per student for Title I schools to visit all exhibits and attractions. • Provides one free ticket for each 15 group-tickets reserved... *Provide one complimentary ticket to every 20 participants • Requires chaperones and teachers to have tickets *Ratio for Chaperones to students 1:10; group bus drivers get in free. • Parking is $6; it is free for group busses and vans.
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English
Direct Services: Exhibits demonstrate the history (past, present and future) of American space exploration and the astronauts.

The Heritage Society Museum at Sam Houston Park

Address: 1100 Bagby Street, Houston, TX 77002
Area Served: Houston
Days/Hours: Park: Daily from dawn-dusk. • Museum: Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-4pm. • School tours: Tuesday-Friday, 10am, 11:30am, 1pm, and 2:30pm.
Contact: Elizabeth Martin, Education/Programs Coordinator
Phone: 713-655-1912 Ext. 101
Fax: 713-655-9249
Email: General questions: info@heritagesociety.org. • Programs: emartin@heritagesociety.org.
Website: http://www.heritagesociety.org/hours-admission
Local Bus Routes: 40, 85, 161, 162
Ages/Grades Served: All ages
Eligibility: Museum is open to the general public. • Requires one chaperone per 10 students; groups of six or more persons must reserve tours at least two weeks in advance.
Costs: Costs vary. • Free for Museum gallery. • Regular group tours are free for members and for children ages 0-5, $6 for children ages 6-18, $15 for adults ages 19-64, and $12 for adults ages 65+. • Limited free parking is available in a visitor parking lot. • Admission is free for student group tours. • Chaperones are free up to one chaperone for every 10 children.
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English
Direct Services: Focuses on preserving the history of Houston. • Offers group tours of historic houses. • Aligns Museum tours with state Social Studies standards for Grades 3, 4, and 7.

The Menil Collection

Address: 1533 Sul Ross Street, Houston, TX 77006
Area Served: Greater Houston
Days/Hours: Wednesday-Sunday, 11am-7pm
Contact: Tony Martinez, Programs Coordinator
Phone: 713-525-9400
Fax: Not available
Email: info@menil.org
Website: https://www.menil.org/visit
Local Bus Routes: 25, 56, 82
Ages/Grades Served: All ages
Eligibility: Requires school groups to have one chaperone for every 10 students. • Requires at least one week of advance notice for group visits of 20+ persons.
Costs: Free
Onsite at Schools: No
Languages: English