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The Capital of the United States of America

Explore the rich history, iconic landmarks, and vibrant culture of the capital of the United States of America.

History of the Capital

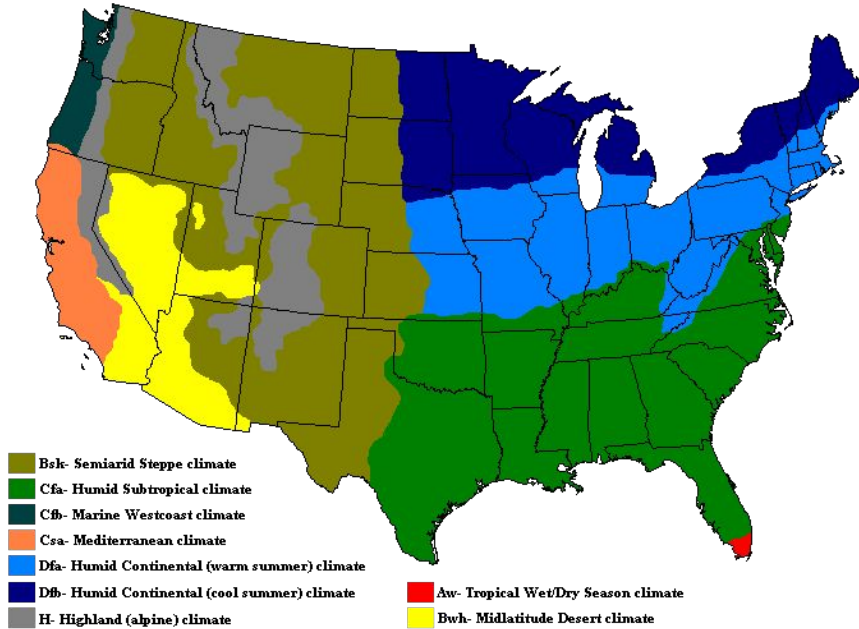
The capital of the United States of America, Washington D.C., was founded on July 16, 1790. The city was established as a result of the Residence Act, which authorized President George Washington to select a site for the capital city along the Potomac River.

The city was designed by French architect Pierre Charles L'Enfant, who created a plan for the city that included a grand avenue, now known as the National Mall, and numerous public spaces and monuments.

Throughout its history, Washington D.C. has played a significant role in American politics and culture. It has been the site of many historic events, including presidential inaugurations, civil rights marches, and protests.

Geography

Climate Zones of the Continental United States



Location

Washington D.C. is located in the mid-Atlantic region of the United States, bordered by Maryland to the north and Virginia to the south.

Topography

The city is situated on the east bank of the Potomac River and is relatively flat with low hills and shallow valleys.

Climate

Washington D.C. has a humid subtropical climate, with hot and humid summers and cool winters.

Landmarks and Monuments



Washington Monument

The Washington Monument is an obelisk on the National Mall built to commemorate George Washington, the first President of the United States. It stands 555 feet tall and is the tallest stone structure and obelisk in the world.



Lincoln Memorial

The Lincoln Memorial is a national monument built to honor Abraham Lincoln, the 16th President of the United States. It features a 19-foot-tall statue of Lincoln sitting in contemplation and is surrounded by 36 columns, one for each state in the Union at the time of Lincoln's death.



United States Capitol Building

The United States Capitol Building is the home of the United States Congress and the seat of the legislative branch of the U.S. federal government. It was completed in 1800 and has been the site of many important events in U.S. history, including presidential inaugurations and the impeachment trial of President Bill Clinton.

Government Buildings



The White House

The White House, located at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW in Washington, D.C., is the official residence and workplace of the President of the United States.



The Capitol Building

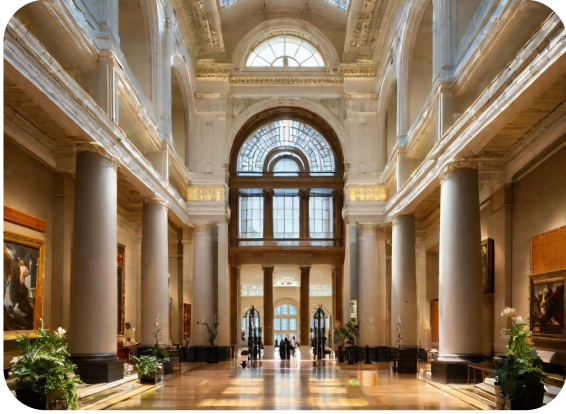
The Capitol Building, located on Capitol Hill at the eastern end of the National Mall, is the home of the United States Congress and the seat of the legislative branch of the U.S. federal government.



The Supreme Court Building

The Supreme Court Building, located on Capitol Hill at the intersection of 1st St. NE and East Capitol St., is the home of the Supreme Court of the United States, which is the highest federal court in the country.

Culture and Arts



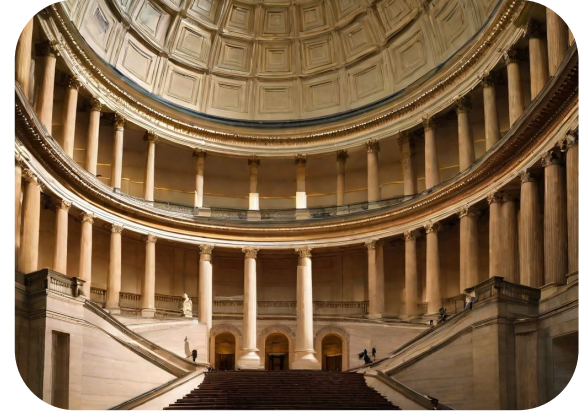
Smithsonian American Art Museum

The Smithsonian American Art Museum is home to one of the largest and most inclusive collections of American art in the world. The museum has an extensive collection of American paintings, sculptures, folk art, crafts, and photography.



Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts

The Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts is a world-renowned performing arts venue located on the banks of the Potomac River. It hosts a wide variety of performances, including theater, dance, music, and opera. The center also offers educational programs and performances for children and families.



National Gallery of Art

The National Gallery of Art is a world-class art museum that features a collection of over 150,000 paintings, sculptures, prints, drawings, and photographs. The museum's collection spans from the Middle Ages to contemporary art and includes works by some of the most famous artists in history, such as Leonardo da Vinci, Rembrandt, and Van Gogh.

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