



## Interested in the new National Museum of African American History & Culture?

As the Ranking Member of the Transportation and Infrastructure Subcommittee on Public Buildings, I am pleased to provide information about the new National Museum of African American History and Culture (NMAAHC)

<https://nmaahc.si.edu/>.

Because of the unprecedented interest in the newest Smithsonian museum, access for the next several months will be provided by free timed passes which are available here <https://nmaahc.si.edu/visit/passes>.

If you are not able to secure advance time passes, 'same-day' tickets will be given out every morning at 9:15 am to a limited number of guests on a first-come, first-served basis. There is no guarantee for these tickets, but it's worth exploring if you're already planning to be in Washington for other events or meetings.

### Same Day In-person

Four (4) free Timed Passes per visitor can be obtained in person, at the Museum on the same day of your visit. Passes are distributed on a first-come, first-served basis by the Visitor Services staff beginning at 9:15 a.m.

### Nonprofit Groups

School, student, religious and community-based organizations with groups of 10 or more may obtain free Advance Timed Passes. It is recommended groups provide at least one adult chaperone for every five (5) students under the age of 18. **For more information on how to obtain Advance Timed Passes for nonprofit groups, please contact ETIX Customer Support Center at 1-866-297-4020.** ETIX hours of operation are: Monday – Saturday: 9 a.m. – 8 p.m. ET and Sunday 12 p.m. – 8 p.m. ET. For all other questions about planning your visit to the Museum, please call 1-844-750-3012.

Also, I've put together a collection of links for teachers that may be of interest before their visit, or, if they're not able to visit the museum.

Finally, I strongly encourage anyone interested in visiting to sign up as early as possible for the free passes as soon as they become available. Info about future passes is here: <https://nmaahc.si.edu/visit/passes>

## Teacher and Educational Links

NMAAHC Intro link

<https://nmaahc.si.edu/>

Video 'Fly Through'

<https://youtu.be/9EsMpvhnN2Y>

NMAAC Link for Educators

<https://nmaahc.si.edu/learn/educators>

NYT Tour/ "I Too, Sing America"

<http://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2016/09/15/arts/design/national-museum-of-african-american-history-and-culture.html>

NYT Learning Guide for "I Too, Sing America"

[http://learning.blogs.nytimes.com/2016/09/19/article-of-the-day-i-too-sing-america/?\\_r=0](http://learning.blogs.nytimes.com/2016/09/19/article-of-the-day-i-too-sing-america/?_r=0)