Free Museum Days in Denver For 2025. Now You Can Print Out Our List



The PDF print button is working now. Visiting museums can get expensive, especially for families. However, many Denver area museums and attractions offer FREE admission every month — some even offer special activities on those days. The free days are funded, in

part, by taxes collected through the Science and Cultural Facilities District and/or donations from generous sponsors. Because free days are so popular, you are wise to reserve tickets in advance if the attraction has a timed-entry policy.

While admission is FREE, special exhibitions or other add-on activities may incur a fee. Dates and times may change, so always double-check before you visit.

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Denver Botanic Gardens at Chatfield

Clyfford Still Museum

April 27, June 29, July 27, November 8 (free from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.). Pay-What-You-Wish Days: January 3, February 7, March 7, April 4, May 2, June 6, July 3, August 1, September 5, October 3, November 7, December 5. 1250 Bannock St., Denver, 720-354-4880.

Colorado Railroad Museum

TBD. 17155 W. 44th Ave., Golden, 303-279-4591.

Denver Art Museum

January 14, February 22, March 11, April 8 & 27, May 13, June 10, July 8 & 27, August 12, September 6 & 9, October 14, November 8, December 9. General admission is **FREE** for kids 18 and younger every day. 100 W. 14th Ave. Pkwy., Denver, 720-913-0130.

Denver Botanic Gardens at York Street

January 20, February 13, March 10, March 17, April 22, June 10, July 3, August 27, November 28. Advanced online registration is required. Tickets will be available three months at a time (on a rolling basis) and the tickets will be released on the 1st of the month. Go here to find the link for tickets. 1007 York St., Denver, 720-865-3500.

Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield Farms

January 20, February 13, March 10, March 17, April 22, June 10, July 3, August 27, November 28. Advanced online registration is required. Tickets will be available three months at a time (on a rolling basis) and the tickets will be released on the 1st of the month. Go here to find the link for tickets. 8500 W. Deer Creek Canyon Rd., Littleton, 720-865-3500.

Denver Museum of Nature & Science

January 12, February 2, March 7 (free only from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m.), April 7 & 28, May 12, June 19, August 25, September 15, October 12, November 8 (free only from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m.) and December 8. Check here for more information on programming. (Note: FREE admission does not include IMAX or Planetarium.) 2001 Colorado Blvd., Denver, 303-370-6000.

Denver Zoo

January 10 & 26, February 9, April 6, November 7, 15 & 23. The Zoo provides a limited number of tickets for each Free Day, using a first-come, first-served online lottery system. If you want to visit on a free day, you must grab your tickets online when they are released. Tickets are posted 11 days before each Free Day. Go here for more Free Days info. 2900 E. 23rd Ave., Denver, 720-337-1400.

Four Mile Historic Park

January 24, February 28, March 28, April 25, May 23, June 27, July 25, August 22, September 26, October 24, November 28, December 19. Free days are the fourth

Friday of each month (but this sometimes changes so check first on the Park's website). 715 S. Forest St., Denver, 720-865-0800.

Museum of Contemporary Art (MCA) Denver

January 4, February 1, March 1, April 5, May 3, June 7, July 5, August 2, September 6, October 4, November 1, December 6. Admission is **1¢** for Colorado residents on the first Saturday of each month. 1485 Delgany St., Denver, 303-298-7554.

Plains Conservation Center

January 16, February 20, March 15, June 12, July 12, August 14, November 15, December 11. Advance registration is not required. Go here to check for free day hours. 21901 E. Hampden Ave., Aurora, 303-326-8380.



In addition, smaller museums, including strictly local ones, tend to have more free days (some are always free):

<u>Aurora History Museum</u> is FREE every day (closed on Monday). 15051 E. Alameda Parkway, Aurora, 303-739-6660.

<u>Broomfield Veterans Museum</u> is FREE Tuesday & Thursday (10 a.m. to 2 p.m.) and Saturday (9 a.m. to 3 p.m.). 12 Garden Center, Broomfield, 303-460-6801.

Golden History Museum is open and FREE Wednesday to Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., 923 10th St., 303-278-3557.

<u>Hudson Gardens</u> is FREE every day. Hours vary by season. 6115 S. Santa Fe Dr., Littleton, 303-797-8565.

<u>Longmont Museum and Cultural Center</u> is FREE on the second Saturday of each month. 400 Quail Rd., Longmont, 303-651-8374.

<u>Mines Museum of Earth Science</u> features minerals, fossils, gemstones, meteorites and historic mining artifacts. Always FREE. General Research Lab (GRL) Building, 1310 Maple St., Golden, 303-273-3815.

<u>Nederland Mining Museum</u>. Celebrates hard-rock mining in Boulder County in the late 19th and early 20th centuries. FREE. Open from early June through late October. 200 N. Bridge St. (at the traffic circle), Nederland.

<u>University of Colorado Museum of Natural History</u> is open to the public and FREE seven days a week. Donations are appreciated. 15th and Broadway, Boulder, 303-492-6892.