

MUSEUM MAP



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



DO YOU HAVE A RESTAURANT AND A MUSEUM STORE?

Yes, the North & Clark Café and the Museum Store are on the 1st floor near the entrance of the Museum. The Museum Store is open during Museum hours.



CAN I VISIT THE RESEARCH CENTER?

Please inquire at the Ticket Desk. Admission to the Abakanowicz Research Center (ARC) is free. Visit chicagohistory.org/research for ARC hours. Masks are required in the ARC.



CAN I BECOME A MEMBER OF THE MUSEUM?

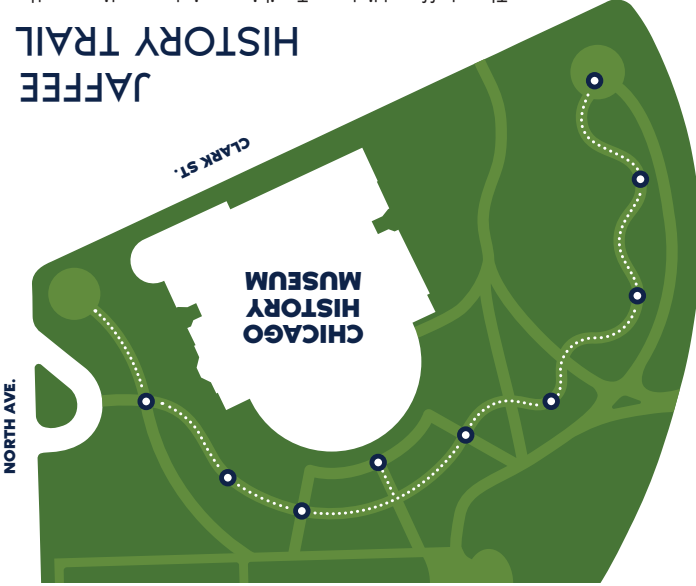
Absolutely, and the price of your ticket can be applied to membership! Join today for exclusive access to events, exhibition previews, discounts, and more.



WIFI PASSWORD

Network: **CHM** | Password: **CHMuseum**

JAFFEE HISTORY TRAIL



The Jaffee History Trail is an interpretive path incorporating features such as a native species garden, the Couch Tomb, and a 13,000-pound metal relic from the 1871 Great Chicago Fire.

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CHICAGO HISTORY MUSEUM

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CHICAGO PARK DISTRICT The Chicago History Museum gratefully acknowledges the support of the Chicago Park District on behalf of the people of Chicago.

FEATURED HIGHLIGHTS



Water
Fountain



Elevator



Stairwell



Emergency
Exit



Men's
Restroom



Women's
Restroom



Family
Restroom



Coat
Check



Ticket
Desk

★ DESIGNING FOR CHANGE: CHICAGO PROTEST ART OF THE 1960s-70s

See how Chicago activists in the 1960s and '70s used design to amplify their visions of a more just world and to fight for social change.

★ INJUSTICE: THE TRIAL FOR THE MURDER OF EMMETT TILL

In 1955, the murder of Emmett Till, a Black teenager from Chicago, and the subsequent criminal trial in Tallahatchie County, Mississippi, attracted international attention and sparked the Civil Rights Movement.

★ AQUÍ EN CHICAGO

Through art, interviews, and personal items, *Aquí en Chicago* traces the lives of Latino/a/e communities that have resisted oppression, maintaining a persistent cultural presence and flourishing in Chicago.

★ FACING FREEDOM IN AMERICA

From women's suffrage to Japanese internment, *Facing Freedom* uses images, artifacts, and interactive elements to explore some of the ways Americans have struggled over the meaning of freedom.

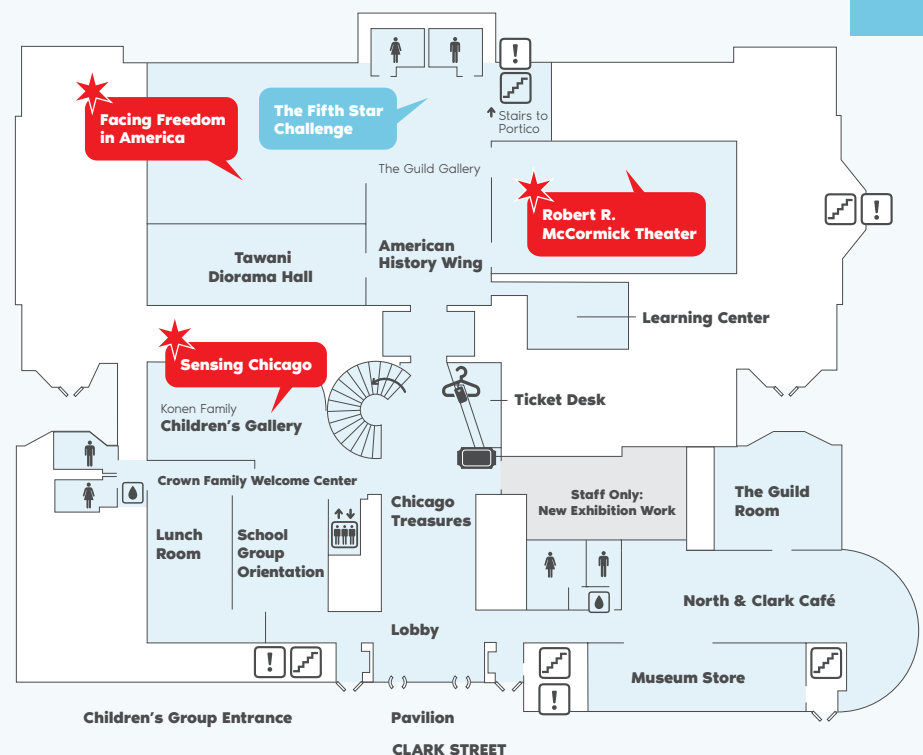
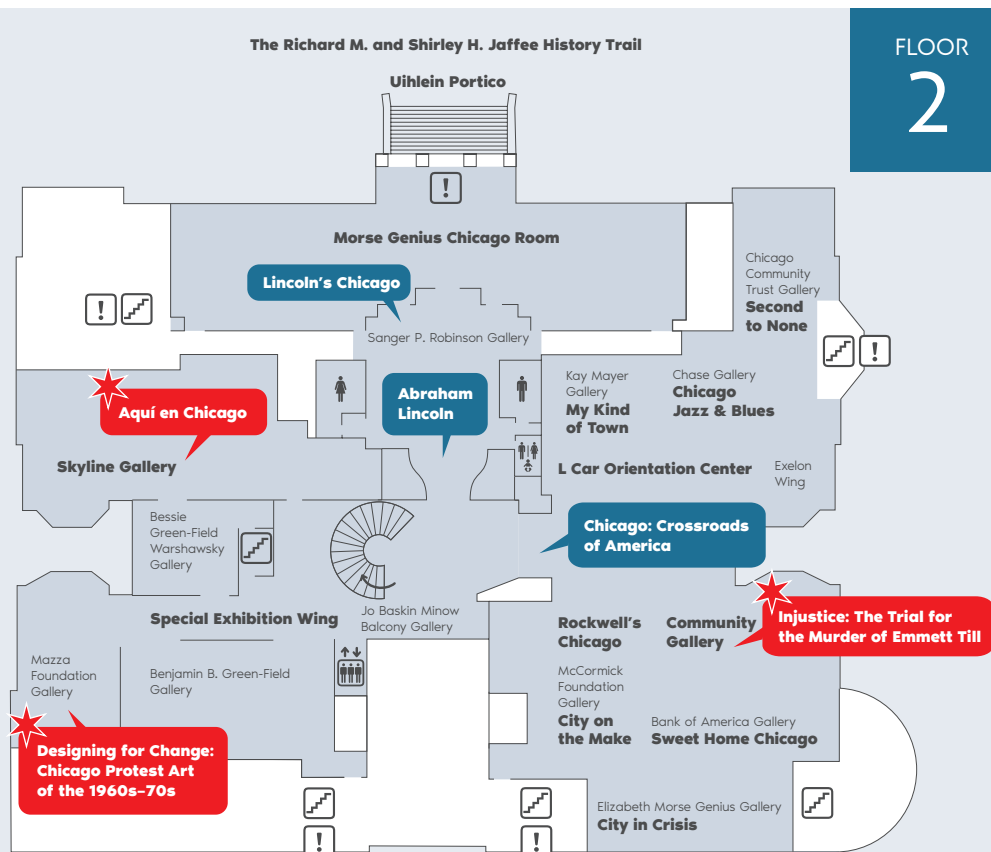
★ ROBERT R. MCCORMICK THEATER

Travel through time with Roger and Jean to see major events in Chicago's history in *The Great Chicago Adventure* film. Enjoy a monthly rotating selection of WTTW *Chicago Stories* episodes. Showtimes are posted at the Ticket Desk and theater door.

★ SENSING CHICAGO

Stimulate your senses as you explore the sights, sounds, smells, and tastes of past and present-day Chicago.

See the Ticket Desk if you need accommodations. Learn more at chicagohistory.org/accessibility



Floor 3 (not pictured)

The Abakanowicz Research Center is located on the third floor. Admission is free; register at the Ticket Desk.