General Information

Nemours Estate is open for visitation from April through December.

- Cameras are permitted
- Self-guided
- No food or drink available for purchase
- Picnics encouraged

Estate Hours

Tuesday–Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.





1 Group Tour Center Group tours begin here.

Western Lodge

Once the gatekeeper's residence, it houses a gate-opening wheel Alfred I. duPont designed.

3 Temple of Love

The bronze statue of *Diana the Huntress* looks out from this classically-inspired temple.

Upper Ponds

A more informal landscape area, with natural styled ponds, anchored by the Venetian Bridge (1926).

Sunken Gardens

Alfred I. duPont's only son, Alfred Victor duPont, an architect, designed these gardens.

6 Colonnade

This memorial honors Alfred I. duPont's great-great-grandfather and great-grandfather.

7 Maze Garden

A maze of arborvitae surrounds the bronze and gold leaf statue of *Achievement*.

B Reflecting Pool

The Four Elements looked on as the duPonts used this large pool for swimming and boating.

9 Vista (The Long Walk)

Elk statues, fountain urns, and tree-lined allées frame this magnificent walkway.

10 Russian Gates

Forged in France, these iron gates stood outside a palace owned by Catherine the Great, Empress of Russia.

11 English Gates

These 18th-century English gates were once used at Wimbledon Manor outside London.

12 Nemours Mansion

Designed and built between 1909 and 1910, the 47,000-square foot mansion has 77 rooms.

13 Laundry

Its equipment served the needs of both the household and the domestic staff.

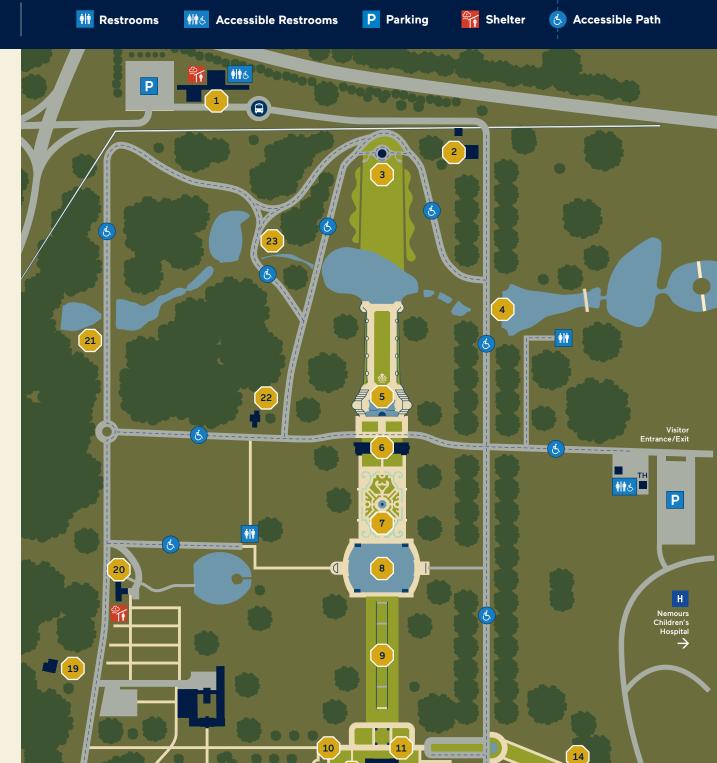
14 Water Tower

This tower held 18,000 gallons of water used on the estate and chimed the hours with its clock.

15 Chauffeur's Garage

Housed here are vintage automobiles, a pony cart and a motor launch used by the duPonts.





16 Woodland Trailhead

Two trails wind through boulder-strewn hillsides to natural springs and concrete pools.

17 Farm Equipment

These farm tools were used on the Estate's orchards, produce gardens and nurseries.

18 Southern Gardens

Three "rooms" — Parterre Garden, Four Borders and Frog Pond — transition from formal to natural.

19 New Pump House

The huge engine in this building bears a plaque: "Made by Alfred I. duPont 1931."

20 Old Pump House

This building formerly housed a pump that furnished water to the gardens.

21 Lower Ponds

These ponds serve as habitats for ducks, herons, songbirds, frogs and turtles.

22 Wren's Nest

Built in 1915 and expanded to its current size in 1918, this mail-order structure was used as a children's playhouse.

23 Rock Garden

Flanking a stream that links a series of ponds, this garden contains dwarf conifers and bulbs.





Yours to discover.

General Information

Nemours Mansion is open for visitation from April through December.

- Wheelchairs and electric scooters are permitted in the Mansion; ٠ some areas may not be accessible
- Cameras (no flashes) are permitted ٠
- Strollers are not permitted in the Mansion ٠
- Self-guided; interpreters stationed at key locations ٠

Mansion Hours

Tuesday-Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

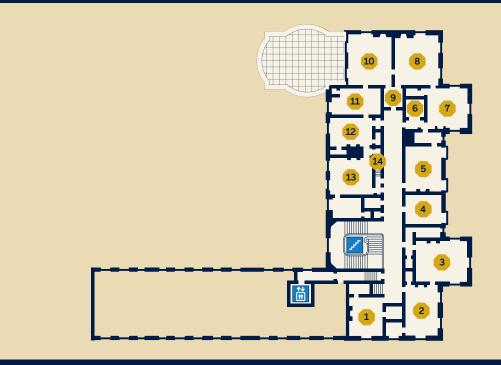
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Mansion Second Floor



1 North Back Bedroom

- North Front Bedroom 2
- 3 **Brocade Room**
- 4 Blue Room
- 5 **Gold Room**
- Mr. duPont's Bathroom 6
- Mr. duPont's Sitting Room 7
- 8 Master Bedroom
- 9 Vestibule
- 10 Mrs. duPont's Sitting Room
- 11 Mrs. duPont's Bathroom
- **Venetian Room** 12
- **Green Room** 13
- 14 Telephone Closet



Mansion First Floor







Mansion Basement

1 Shower Room

2 **Exercise Room**

- 3 **Shuffleboard Room**
- 4 **Bowling Alley**
- 5 Trophy Hall
- Billiard Room 6
- Mr. duPont's Office 7
- **Mechanical Rooms** 8

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