

NEVADA STATE HISTORY

Your Nevada Experience Starts Here....



Carson City offers an array of historical attractions, museums and history buildings that highlight the rich history of the state.



NEVADA STATE CAPITOL

In the heart of downtown Carson City; 101 North Carson St.

A short walk south on Carson Street will take you to the Nevada State Capitol building. The historic and working building is free and open to the public Monday through Friday. Here you can see portraits of Nevada Governors as well as historic exhibits. The Capitol building is beautifully maintained, inviting and friendly. The second floor also hosts the Battle Born Hall exhibit, open and free to the public.



NEVADA STATE MUSEUM

Just north of the capital building; 600 North Carson St.

In addition to the Railroad Museum, Battle Born Hall, Children's Museum and the Fire Museum, another must-see is the Nevada State Museum. The museum presents heritage through unique and authentic educational experiences, enhanced by an environment of comfort, interaction, and inspiration. Walk through the former Carson City Mint building, learn from the Native Americans who first occupied the Nevada portion of the Great Basin, and take a tour of the famous underground mine exhibit. Be sure to see the USS Nevada Battleship.



STEWART INDIAN SCHOOL

5500 Snyder Avenue

For ninety years, Stewart Indian School fulfilled a federal commitment to pursue Native American education in Nevada. The school opened in 1890 with 37 students from local Washoe, Paiute and Shoshone tribes and three teachers. The Stewart Indian School's self-guided audio walking tour allows you to experience what life was like at the only off-reservation Indian boarding school in Nevada, encompassing 240 acres, from 1890 through 1980. Its stone buildings are an icon of education and life for many American Indians in the West. In 1985 the school was listed in the National Register of Historic Places as a Historic District and is currently managed by the State of Nevada.

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