



EXPLORE NORFOLK

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GUIDELINES: Complete the (*) activity plus five others that are listed. Daisy Girl Scouts may receive a patch for participating in any activity and are not expected to complete a set number.

- * 1. Visit one of the Norfolk Visitors' Information Centers: Visitors' Information Center 4th View St., Ocean View, (757) 441-1852, Norfolk Convention and Visitors' Bureau, 232 E. Main Street, (757) 664-6620.

2. Visit one of three Norfolk beaches. Norfolk's Ocean View beaches offer a view of the Chesapeake Bay, the world's largest estuary.
 - Sarah Constance, 300 W. Ocean View Avenue
 - Community Beach, 600 E. Ocean View Avenue
 - Ocean View Beach Park, 100 W. Ocean View Ave.Look for signs of marine life. Learn about the Chesapeake Bay. How many miles of beach are there in Ocean View?

3. Visit one of the following historic sites in Norfolk.
 - Moses Myers House, 3331 Banks St., (757) 664-6283. Classic Georgian architecture. Home of one of America's most successful merchants.
 - Hermitage Foundation Museum, 7637 North Shore Road, (757) 423-2052. English Tudor style mansion on Lafayette River.
 - Hunter House Victorian Museum, 240 W. Freemason Street, (757) 623-9814. The home of a 1894 Norfolk family. Includes Victorian nursery and play things.

4. St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 201 St. Paul's Blvd., (757) 627-4353. Built in 1739. Lone survivor of bombardment and fire of 1776. British cannon ball still lodged in wall.

5. Tour Norfolk Naval Base, 9079 Hampton Blvd., (757) 444-7955. United States Navy capital. Home port for over 126 ships, 51 aircraft squadrons. A 45 minute public tour of base offered.

6. Visit Doumar's, a Norfolk legend. Monticello and 20th Street, (757) 627-4163. Learn history of the ice cream cone. Watch sugar cones being made. Call in advance.

7. Visit the Chrysler Museum of Art, 245 W. Olney Road and Mowbray Arch, (757) 664-6200.

8. Virginia Zoological Park, 3500 Granby Street, (757) 441-2706. A wooded, 55 acre area, featuring a hands-on exhibit for children and a botanical conservatory.

9. The Waterside, 333 Waterside Drive, (757) 627-3300. See Norfolk's working harbor on the Elizabeth River. Ride the paddle-wheel ferry (757) 222-6100 to Portsmouth and return. See ships from around the world. Wander along the quay and explore Town Point Park. Visit when there is a festival at Town Point Park or a visiting ship at Otter Berth. See the "Spirit of Norfolk" or "The American Rover."

10. Tour the Douglas MacArthur Memorial, Bank Street and City Hall Avenue, (757) 441-2965. Housed in the historic 1850 City Hall, eleven galleries and a gift shop. Free, donations suggested.