New England Botanic Garden
AT TOWER HILL

Group Visits & Guided Tours

New England Botanic Garden is one of the region's premier locations for your team outing or group visit. A serene backdrop of gardens, woodlands, meadows, and mountain views provide the perfect setting for an out-of-office day trip. Explore our extensive formal gardens and woodland trails on your own, or pair the visit with a guided informational tour.

Each season offers a different garden experience. Spring brings beautiful bulbs including daffodils, tulips, and more. Summer gardens feature dramatic, colorful displays of annuals and perennials. In autumn, views of fall foliage are unmatched in the region, and winter at the Garden offers an escape from the cold as your group explores our subtropical conservatories.

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Group Admission Rates & Tour Options

Garden Hours

Daily, 10:00am - 5:00pm

Please inquire about our extended evening hours on Wednesdays and Thursdays during the Summer.

Daytime Self-Guided Visits

The Garden offers a group rate discount for 10 or more paying people upon prior arrangement.
Payment must be made in advance with a credit card one week prior to your visit.
A signed agreement is required to confirm your discounted rate.

	Monday - Friday	Saturday - Sunday
Adults (up to 64)	$18.00	$18.90
Seniors (65+)	$15.30	$16.20

*Bus/Van Drivers & PCA's free of charge

Daytime Docent-Led Walking Tour

Join one of our knowledgeable garden guides on an informative, conversational private tour.
Availability: 10:00am–3:00pm daily (book at least 2 weeks in advance)
Length of Tour: ~45 minutes

Up to 10 Guests	$250
Up to 20 Guests	$500
Up to 30 Guests	$750

*Cost includes admission to the Garden

Private Golf Cart Tour

Golf Cart Tours are led by a trained garden guide. Tours include several of the Garden's formal gardens and much of the wooded areas. Guests will visit the Lawn Garden, Vegetable Garden, Shade Garden, Wildlife Pond, and the Inner Park.
Number of Guests Per Tour: 5
Availability: 11:00am–3:00pm daily (book at least 2 weeks in advance)
Length of Tour: ~40–45 minutes
Larger Groups: For groups of up to 10 guests, 2 back-to-back tours can be scheduled (5 guests per tour).
Cost: $150 per tour and includes admission to the Garden.

Payment

To confirm your group visit, a signed agreement is required.
Payment must be made one week in advance of your visit date with a credit card.
Final guest count is due at the time of payment.

Accessibility

Many of New England Botanic Garden's outdoor gardens and all of its indoor facilities (conservatories, classrooms, café, and restrooms) are wheelchair and stroller accessible. Some of the garden paths and walkways are cement, brick, and bluestone. There are many benches along the paths to stop, sit, and admire the plants and gardens. Some gardens have small gravel on the path, which may be more challenging to maneuver.

Dining at New England Botanic Garden At Tower Hill

Groups can pre-order lunches from our onsite café, the Farmer and the Fork. All groups interested in utilizing this service must complete their order at least 10 days prior to their arrival. For more information, please ask your Event Specialist.

Members of your group may also bring their own bagged lunch to eat picnic style in the gardens. *No outside catering or alcohol is permitted.*
There are scattered tables throughout the gardens and in the Northeast Link (a small room on the east side of the Orangerie), and you may spread a blanket on any mown grassy area. Seating throughout the gardens is limited and available on a first come, first served basis. Garden staff are happy to provide a list of local restaurants should you decide to enjoy lunch elsewhere before or after you visit!

Inclement Weather & Cancellation/Rescheduling

Tours are held rain or shine. In the event of inclement weather, we will reschedule your tour, however, tour refunds are not available.
Group rate admission fees still apply during New England Botanic Garden extended hours.
Tickets are non-refundable and only valid for the date and time listed above.
Groups have one opportunity to choose to reschedule on their own based on availability for an additional fee of $50.