

A Site of the National Trust for Historic Preservation®

Explores the lives and experiences of those who lived and worked at the Shadows and the Weeks family plantations. Together with a public historian, visitors investigate the full history of enslaved life, labor, and freedom; the Weeks family plantation life before and after the Civil War; and the gay artists and authors who worked to preserve the legacy of the Weeks family and the stories of enslaved and freed people in Iberia Parish and across Louisiana.

Over 17,000 documents, photographs, oral histories, archaeological artifacts, and original furnishings shape the visitor experience. A selection of regional books and local art can be found in the museum shop. Permanent and temporary exhibits on view in the Shadows Visitor Center.



HOURS

Thursday to Saturday 10 AM - 4 PM and by appointment

Guided tours at 10:30 AM and 2 PM

GROUP ADMISSION

Tour Operator - \$12.50 Adult (18+) - \$13.50 Student (6-17) - \$8.00

GENERAL ADMISSION

House & Gardens Adult (18+) - \$18 Student (6-17) - \$12.50

Gardens Only All Ages - \$10

GROUP INFO & AVAILABILITY

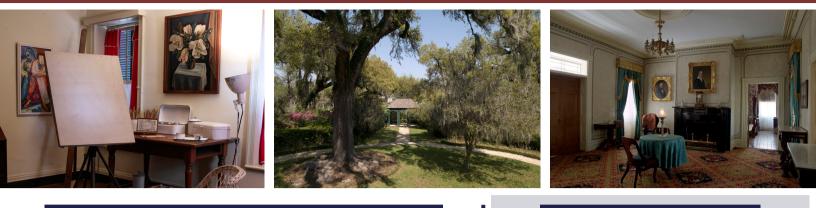
- Group rates for 10+ guests
- 2-week advance notice required
- 24-hour advance notice cancellation policy
- Complimentary admissions
- Credit card required to confirm booking
- No show charge
- Coach Parking onsite







Located 20 minutes from TABASCO in the heart of New Iberia's National Register Historic District



SPECIAL TOUR EXPERIENCES (GROUPS OF 24+)

- Old Fashioneds & Pepper Jelly
- Wine & Cheese Reception
- Coffee & Dessert

STUDENT PROGRAMS

- Kindergarten to 12th grade students
- Curriculum-based
- Explore daily life at on the Weeks family plantations for both the Weeks family and enslaved individuals

ACCESSIBILITY

Tours last approximately 75 - 90 minutes and take place on both levels of our 19th-century house. Visitors are standing, walking, or climbing stairs.

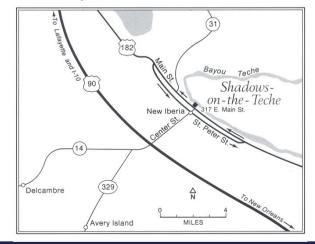
1st floor of the Shadows, Visitor Center, restrooms, gardens, and museum store are wheelchair accessible.

SPECIAL EVENTS

- Farm Fest (Sept)
- Arts & Crafts Fairs (Oct & Mar)
- Books Along the Teche Literary Festival (Apr)

DISTANCE TO SHADOWS

From New Orleans - 2 hours From Baton Rouge - 1.5 hours From Lafayette - 30 minutes





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