

# GEORGE H.W. BUSH PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY & MUSEUM

#### **Scavenger Hunt Directions**

- Require one adult per five students to make a Team.
- The adult's copy has answers on the last page. Answers are only for the adult!
- The students will **not** have a copy of the scavenger hunt.
- The adult will read each question and offer suggestions as to where the answer might be in the exhibit. Students will do discovery museum interaction to find the answer.
- The adult is the "coach / mentor" of the Team keeping students engaged.
- Each Team (one adult and 5 students) goes together through the museum helping each other learn about the interactive exhibits
- All students should have a school badge and be with an adult at all times.
- Each exhibit is color coded in alignment with the museum map to find locations easily.
- This color coding will help in dividing Teams as to where to start initially.

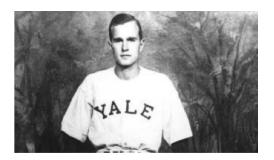
#### Admission Costs

- The "coach / mentor" adults will receive free admission to the museum whether they are school staff or chaperone.
- Note additional adults who are not leading a Team will pay an admission price of \$6.
- Students and school staff are free of charge.

#### 4th - 8th Grade Scavenger Hunt

TEKS	Locations A-B	
5.17A	List 3 symbols found on the Presidential Seal.	1
	Take 2 minutes to look at the Pierce Family Display. List 2 facts you learned.	2
	Take 2 minutes to look at the Bush Family display. List 2 new facts you learned.	3
TEKS	Location D	
5.5A 7.7E	What major world event caused Bush to change his plans of going directly to the University of Yale from High School?	4
	What kind of plane did George Bush fly?	5
6.3.C	Which ocean was the major area of fighting with Japan? (Hint - where was Bush shot down?)	6
	What was the name of the submarine that rescued Bush?	7
TEKS	Locations E - F	
	What sport did Bush play at Yale?	8





TEKS	Locations G - H	
4.5.A 5.13.A 7.7.B	What industry did Bush go into after graduating?	9
4.13.A 5.23.A 6.5.C 8.27B	What is the "Scorpion"?	10
4.9.A 5.13.B 7.11.A 8.11.A	Why was the Permian Basin so important?	11
4.17.D 4.18.D 5.18.A 7.16.A	Which county did Bush represent at the start of his political career as Republican Party Chairman?	12
5.19.B 6.9.B	Which branch of government did Bush participate in as a congressman from Texas?	13
4.18.B 5.5.C 7.7.D	Name the bill that Congressman Bush signed to promote equal rights in Texas and the U.S.	14
5.5.C 6.12.B 7.7.D 8.21.A	How did Congressman Bush vote on the Civil Rights Bill of 1968?	15
TEKS	Locations M - N	
6.12.A 7.15.B	What year was Bush elected president?	16





TEKS	Location R	
6.6.A	What is the major resource that is part of most of the gifts from Saudi Arabia?	17
6.3.D 6.16.A 6.16.B	List 3 different countries that gave gifts to the Bushes.	18
6.16.A	Which gift did the Bushes give to Lech Walesa of Poland?	19
TEKS	Location V	
6.20.A	When and why was the Berlin Wall built?	20
6.19.C 7.20.C	In what year were East and West Germany reunited?	21
6.10.B	The fall of the Berlin Wall marked the end of what?	22
TEKS	Location X - Y	
6.6.C	Which country did Iraq invade?	23
	What did Saddam Hussein order his Iraqi troops to do as they retreated from Kuwait?	24
7.11.B	Where are the firefighters who put out the Kuwaiti fires from?	25



Overall Social Studies skills TEKS: 4.21.A,B,D, 4.23.A; 5.24.A,B,E, 5.25.C, 5.26.B; 8.29.B,D, 8.31

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What evidence supports the statements that George H.W. Bush was well prepared to be President by the time he was elected?
- 2. Why are the 41st and 43rd Presidents unique?
- 3. What makes a good leader?

### Answer Key

List 3 symbols found on the Presidential Seal. Olive branch, arrows and eagle

Take 2 minutes to look at the Pierce Family Display. List 2 new facts you learned. **Open-ended** 

Take 2 minutes to look at the Bush Family Display. List 2 new facts you learned. Open-ended

What major world event caused Bush to change his plans of going directly to the University of Yale from High School? **Pearl Harbor** 

What kind of plane did George Bush fly? 1944 TBM Avenger

Which ocean was the major area of fighting with Japan? Pacific Ocean

What was the name of the submarine that rescued Bush? USS Finback

What sports did Bush play at Yale? Baseball

What industry did Bush go into after graduating? Oil industry

What is the "Scorpion"? Zapata Off Shore's 1st 3-legged oil rig

Why was the Permian Basin so important? It had some of the richest oil deposits

Which county did Bush represent at the start of his political career as Republican Party Chairman? **Harris County** 

Which branch of government did Bush participate in as a congressman from Texas? **Legislative** Name the bill that Congressman Bush signed to promote equal rights in Texas and the U.S. **Civil Rights Bill** How did Congressman Bush vote on the Civil Bights Bill of 10682 **Yes** 

How did Congressman Bush vote on the Civil Rights Bill of 1968? **Yes** 

What year was Bush elected president? 1988

What is the major resource that is part of most of the gifts from Saudi Arabia? Gold

List 3 different countries that gave gifts to the Bushes. Open-ended

Which gift did the Bushes give to Lech Walesa of Poland? Fly fishing vest & fishing lures

When and why was the Berlin Wall built? 1961 to separate East and West Berlin

In what year were East and West Germany reunited? 1990

The fall of the Berlin Wall marked the end of what? The Cold War

Which country did Iraq invade? Kuwait

What did Saddam Hussein order his Iraqi troops to do as they retreated from Kuwait? **Destroy the oil fields** Where are the firefighters who put out the Kuwaiti fires from? **Texas** 

## A Presidential Limo B Family Tradition C Marriage D World War II E) Yale F West Texas G Offshore Oil/ Zapata (H) Congress **United Nations** $\mathbf{T}$ J Republican National Commitee K China L CIA M Vice President N Campaign '88/ Inauguration O Press Room and State Dinners P Oval Office **Q** Domestic Policy **R** Gifts of State S Barbara Bush T Literacy Lounge/Bushes Unplugged U Camp David V Berlin Wall/ Foreign Policy W Situation Room X Gulf War Campaign '92 **Z** Fidelity AA Post-presidency **BB** Points of Light

- CC M.D. Anderson
- **DD** Fidelity Gallery
- EE George Bush Memorial

# **MUSEUM MAP**

