

## **Driving Directions to Field Trip Sites**

### **Magnolia Plantation from Quality Suites**

Head East on N. Arco Lane toward W. Montague  
Right on W. Montague  
Turn left to merge onto I-526 W toward Savannah  
Take exit 11B toward SC Hwy 61 N/Ashley River Rd  
Merge onto Paul Cantrell Blvd  
Turn right onto Magwood Drive (Chic-fil-a on corner)  
Turn left at Ashley River Rd/SC hwy 61 N  
4 miles to Magnolia, which will be on your right

### **Oak Terrace Preserve**

Head east on N Arco Ln toward W. Montague Ave  
Turn left at W. Montague Ave  
Go approx. 1.7 miles turn left on Mixon  
Turn left on Lackawanna Blvd.  
.2 miles to Oak Terrace Preserve

### **Mepkin Abbey, Moncks Corner**

Head east on N Arco Ln toward W Montague Ave  
Turn left at W Montague Ave  
Turn left to merge onto I-26 W toward Columbia  
Take exit 209A to merge onto Rivers Avenue/US 52  
W toward Goose Creek/Moncks Corner  
Go approx 19.2 miles and turn left to stay on US 52  
Go another 2.8 miles  
Turn right onto SC 402 E towards Cordesville  
Turn right to stay on SC 402E  
Turn right onto Dr. Evans Rd (Mepkin sign)  
Go 5.7 miles to Mepkin Abbey entrance  
Take first left toward the Visitors Center

### **Francis Beidler Forest**

Head east on N Arco Ln toward W Montague Ave  
Turn left at W Montague Ave  
Turn left to merge onto I-26 W toward Columbia  
Take exit 187 for SC27/Ridgeville toward St George  
Turn left at SC27 S/Ridgeville Rd  
Turn right at US-78 W  
Light right at E. Main StUS-178 N  
Turn right at County Rd S-18-139 Taylor Pond Rd  
Continue onto Bishop Road  
Turn left at Mims Rd  
Take the 2<sup>nd</sup> right onto Sanctuary Road

### **Hampton Park, Charleston**

Head east on N Arco Ln toward W Montague Ave  
Turn left at W Montague Ave  
Turn right to merge onto I-26 E toward Charleston  
Take exit 219A for Rutledge Ave toward the Citadel  
Slight right at Rutledge Ave  
Turn right at Moultrie St  
Take the 2<sup>nd</sup> right onto President St  
Turn right at Mary Murray Drive

### **Botany Bay Plantation, Edisto Island**

Head east on N Arco Ln toward W Montague Ave  
Turn right at W Montague Ave  
Turn left to merge onto I-526 S toward Savannah  
Continue to the end of I-526  
Turn right onto US 17 S toward Savannah  
Turn Left onto Hwy 174 toward Edisto  
Continue on 174 until you cross Storer Creek  
(Old Post Office Restaurant is on left)  
After crossing the creek take the first left  
There should be a large DNR sign pointing  
the way. Follow the directional signs.

### **Dungannon Heritage Preserve**

Head east on N Arco Ln toward W Montague Ave  
Turn right at W Montague Ave  
Turn left to merge onto I-526 S toward Savannah  
Continue to the end of I-526  
Turn right onto US 17 S toward Savannah, proceed  
~7.4 miles  
Turn left at SC 164 (first left, immediately after  
crossing Rantowles and Wallace Creeks and  
an expanse of saltmarsh)  
Dungannon will be up a ways on the right, ~3.5 miles

### **Saturday Field Trip to Drayton Hall**

#### **Magnolia Plantation to Drayton Hall**

Leave Magnolia via the exit signs  
Turn left (S) onto Ashley River Rd/SC Hwy 61  
Drayton Hall is approx. ½ mile on your left.