

Group Travel Itinerary

FARM-TO-TABLE

Iowa feeds the world! On this tour, learn where your food comes from and watch it through the stages of production all the way to your fork. Whether you're a foodie, an agriculturalist or an interested consumer... this is for you!

DAY 1

ACTIVITY:	CATCH THIS:	WHEN TO VISIT:	INFO:
World Food Prize Hall of Laureates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Free museum, home to beautiful artwork, photography, mosaics, and stained glass, all paying tribute to achievements in agriculture and food security. 	Tue: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Sat: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.	100 Locust Street, Des Moines halloflaureates.org
Machine Shed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Popular restaurant decorated with farm tools dedicated to the American Farmer. 	Mon - Thur: 7 a.m. - 9 p.m. Fri - Sat: 7 a.m. - 10 p.m. Sun: 7 a.m. - 9 p.m.	11151 Hickman Road, Urbandale machineshed.com
Better Homes & Gardens Test Garden®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ The Test Garden serves as a display garden, a testing ground for plants, and a photography studio for the company's publications and websites. ▶ Visitors may stroll through the gardens on their own or groups of ten or more may request a tour during the open hours. 	May - Oct. Noon - 2 p.m.	1716 Locust Street, Des Moines bhg.com
John Deere	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Continue your educational afternoon by catching one of the only plants in the world producing sprayers, cotton pickers, and tillage equipment 	Refer to website.	825 SW Irvinedale Drive, Ankeny https://www.deere.com/en/connect-with-john-deere/visit-john-deere/

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Downtown Farmers' Market	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ A beloved local treasure, and lowans gather downtown to stroll the streets.▶ Ranked #2 Farmers' Market in the U.S.	May - Oct. Sat: 7 a.m. - Noon	1007 E Grand Avenue, Des Moines ldsmpartnership.com/desmoines-farmersmarket
Living History Farms	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Learn about how lowans transformed prairies into productive farmland.▶ 500-acre open-air, interactive museum, throughout four different time periods.	Refer to website.	11121 Hickman Road, Des Moines lhf.org
Maytag Dairy Farms	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ See how the cheese is made and learn the history of the farms.	Mon - Fri: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	2282 East 8th Street N, Newton maytagdairyfarms.com
Trainland U.S.A	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Hundreds of hours of labor went into this creation, and it features old toy trains and railroad memorabilia dating from 1916 to 1976.	Fri - Sun: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.	3135 Highway 117 N Colfax trainlandusa.com

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