

The U.S. has 35,144 active museums, according to a 2014 report from the Institute of Museum and Library Services, and several of these museums are right here in Greenville, just minutes from the BJU campus (and there's even one on campus!). If you're looking for a fun, educational afternoon activity, a visit to one of these museums could be just the thing for you!

# MUSE UMS

GREENVILLE  
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## MUSEUM & GALLERY ON BJU CAMPUS

Boasting the largest collection of religious art in the Western Hemisphere, the BJU Museum & Gallery presents the religious, artistic and cultural development of Western culture from the 14th through the 19th centuries through its collection of Old Master European paintings. In addition to the paintings, the museum holds over 1,500 pieces of furniture, sculptures, textiles, artifacts and architectural elements. Additionally, The Bowen Collection of Antiquities presents artifacts from ancient Egyptian, Roman and Hebrew cultures.

Admission price: Adults \$5  
Seniors (60+) \$4  
Students \$3  
Children 12 and under are free.

Hours: Tuesday–Sunday, 2 – 5 p.m.



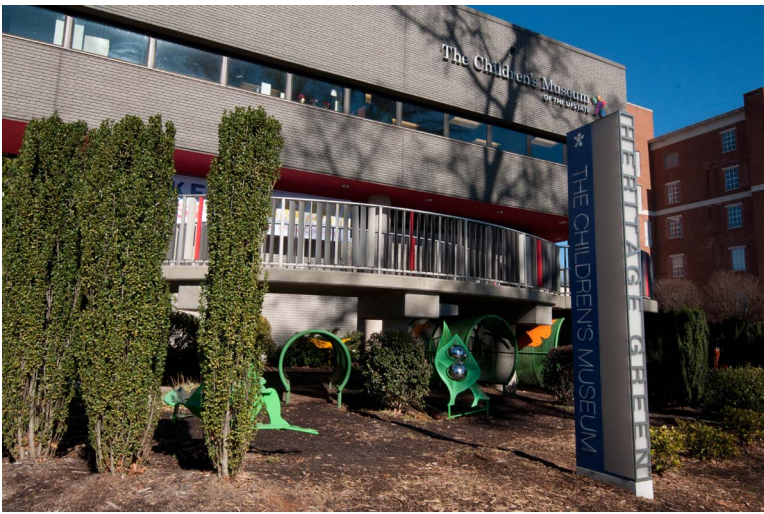
Visit M&G at Bob Jones University and at Heritage Green on the same day!  
Joint Admission: adults \$8 / seniors \$6 / students \$4.50  
Members are free with membership card.

## MUSEUM & GALLERY AT HERITAGE GREEN

The Museum & Gallery at Heritage Green exhibits Old Master European paintings and hundreds of pieces of furniture and decorative arts. The museum also displays loans from private and public collections. The second floor of the museum has interactive and educational displays that explore the Old Master Collection.

Admission price: Adults \$5  
Seniors (60+) \$4  
Students \$3  
Children 12 and under are free.

Hours: Tuesday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Sunday, 2 – 5 p.m.



## THE CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF THE UPSTATE | 300 COLLEGE STREET, GREENVILLE, SC

The Children's Museum of the Upstate is the 10th largest children's museum in the world, with three floors and 80,000 square feet of space. The museum has 18 galleries, a traveling exhibit hall and two outdoor interactive exhibit spaces that focus on a variety of educational subjects, including the arts, humanities, sciences, health, nutrition and the environment. The interactive exhibits are designed for children from birth to age 15, but can be enjoyed by people of all ages.

Admission price: Children (age 1-15) \$9  
Adults \$10  
Senior/Military \$9.50

Hours: Tuesday–Saturday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Sunday, 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Monday, Closed

## THE GREENVILLE COUNTY MUSEUM OF ART | 420 COLLEGE STREET, GREENVILLE, SC

The Greenville County Museum of Art features paintings and prints by Jasper Johns, as well as the world's largest public collection of watercolors by Andrew Wyeth. The museum's Southern Collection surveys American art from the colonial period through present history.

Admission price: Free  
Hours: Sunday, 1 – 5 p.m.  
Wednesday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.



## THE SHOELESS JOE JACKSON MUSEUM | 356 FIELD STREET, GREENVILLE, SC

The Shoeless Joe Jackson Museum is located in the former home of baseball legend "Shoeless Joe." The museum displays records, artifacts, photographs and film associated with the life and career of Shoeless Joe Jackson.

Admission price: Free  
Hours: Saturday, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.



## THE UPCOUNTRY HISTORY MUSEUM | 540 BUNCOMBE STREET, GREENVILLE, SC

The Upcountry History Museum has partnered with Furman University to preserve the history of the Upcountry South Carolina region through art exhibits. The museum also has an educational program and an oral history collection.

Admission price: Adults \$6  
Senior citizens and college students w/ valid ID \$5  
Children and students age 4-18 \$4  
Free for children under age 3

Hours: Tuesday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Sunday, 1 – 5 p.m.  
Monday, Closed

