What to See & Do

Train Works
Learn the basics of how trains work, how they operate, and what they do.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 1 EAST

Steinman Station*
Visit our small-town train station. Watch our film exploring how Pennsylvania’s railroads changed lives. Last showing at 3:30 p.m.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 1 EAST

Main Street
Stroll down Main Street to see the impact of railroads on small-town Pennsylvania.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 1 WEST

Stewart Junction
Explore the fun of building and playing with trains. Closes at 3:30 p.m.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 1 WEST

Innovation Giants
Learn the basics of how trains work, how they operate, and what they do.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 2 EAST

Progress Matters
Inspect a steam locomotive from underneath and learn how safety concerns drove progress in the railroad industry.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 3 WEST

All Aboard
Explore how travel by train has changed over the past two centuries.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 4 WEST

Abundant Goods
Learn how railroads created new markets and transformed households.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 4 WEST

Collections
Browse some of the Museum’s extraordinary railroad artifacts – large and small.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 5 WEST

Diesel Simulator (Temporarily Closed)
Take your turn in the engineer’s seat as you experience this realistic interactive.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 5 EAST

Transforming the Landscape
Discover some of the feats of engineering that changed the Pennsylvania landscape forever.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 4 EAST

Working on the Rails
Railroads require workers of all skill levels. Learn about them here.
LOCATION: PLATFORM 4 EAST

Train Yard
See our historic 100’ turntable and other railroad equipment awaiting restoration. Weather and conditions permitting. Closes at 3:30 p.m.
LOCATION: END OF PLATFORMS 1 AND 5 WEST

Exhibit Gallery
View an HO-scale model railroad, see works of art, and access our observation bridge. Closes at 3:45 p.m.
LOCATION: SECOND FLOOR

Whistle Stop Shop
Our Museum Store features a wonderful selection of books, toys, clothing, railroad art, and more. Closes at 3:45 p.m.
LOCATION: MAIN LOBBY

Visitors Guide and Map

Face masks and social distancing are required.

*Film is open-captioned with audio.
**Virtual Tour kiosks are closed-captioned with optional audio.