Photo Quest

Your mission is to take nine selfies. First, you must follow the clues to discover where to take your picture. Share the images on social media by using the hashtag #gwmvquest.

1. There are several trees that were planted here during Washington’s lifetime. Can you find one?

2. You can see another state from the piazza. Ask a Mount Vernon staff member about what you don’t see across the river.

3. There are four buildings where enslaved workers prepared or preserved food. Take a photo with one of the buildings.

4. George Washington used this 18th-century structure, called the __________ repository, to hold compost that helped his gardens grow. Can you find it?

5. Today there are three types of heritage breed animals that live on the estate. Take a photo of two of them.

6. Some tools at Mount Vernon were made out of iron. Find out what the __________ smith is making and take a photo with the building.

7. Find someone from George Washington’s world and ask them a question about him.

8. There is a multi-purpose building. The two wings housed enslaved workers and the __________ house in the center protected plants in cold weather. Take a photo of either side.

9. There are many statues of George Washington all over the estate. Pose with him!
There are several trees that were planted here during Washington’s lifetime. Can you find one? **Tulip Poplar**

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There are four buildings where enslaved workers prepared or preserved food. Take a photo with one of the buildings. **Salt House, Ice House, Smoke House, Kitchen**

George Washington used this 18th-century structure, called the dung repository, to hold compost that helped his gardens grow. Can you find it? **Dung Repository**

Today there are three types of heritage breed animals that live on the estate. Take a photo of two of them. **Sheep, Pigs, Oxen**

Some tools at Mount Vernon were made out of iron. Find out what the blacksmith is making and take a photo with the building. **Blacksmith Shop**

Find someone from George Washington’s world and ask them a question about him. **A Character Interpreter**

There is a multi-purpose building. The two wings housed enslaved workers and the greenhouse in the center protected plants in cold weather. Take a photo of either side. **Greenhouse & Slave Quarters**

There are many statues of George Washington all over the estate. Pose with him! **Sculpures in OC Lobby, EC Lobby, Bust by The Shops.**