



Scavenger Hunt

DIRECTIONS: As you explore the park, find the answers to the following questions. Answers may be found on the waysides and in exhibits. Begin at the Visitor Contact Station and follow the path toward the mansion. Clues may be found throughout the park. Once complete, return the worksheet to your teacher. Remember, you can always ask a park ranger or volunteer to show you the way.

Location/Wayside	Question	Answer
"Hampton: An American Story"	How large was Hampton Plantation in 1829?	
"Ridgely's Pride"	What is the architectural style of Hampton's mansion?	
"Ice Cream in July"	How far underground does the ice house extend?	
"Oranges in January"	How was the Orangery heated?	
"Behind the Big House"	Name one domestic service building and its function.	
"A Romance with Nature: The Falling Garden"	Who worked to create and maintain the falling gardens at Hampton?	
"In Memoriam"	Why was "early death" common in the early 19 th century?	
"Thoroughbreds at Hampton"	What was one of the names of the Ridgely's prize-winning horses?	
"The View from Below"	Why is this part of the site called the "home farm"?	
"The Lower House"	What was the function of the bell atop the house?	
"Corn Culture"	What was the corn crib used for?	
"The Cream of Hampton"	What three parts of the Dairy make it a "natural refrigeration system"?	
"A Slave Village"	Why are these quarters built with stone and ornamental woodwork?	

Park Map

