

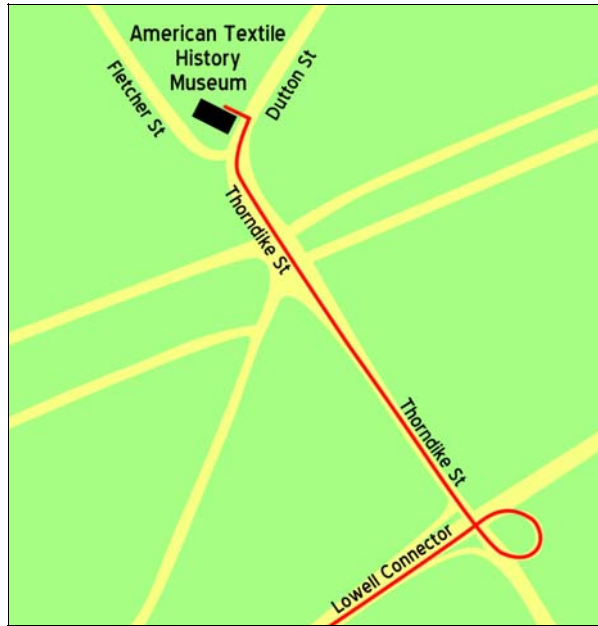
American Textile History Museum
491 Dutton St. Lowell, MA 01854



Directions

- The Museum, adjacent to Lowell's National Historical Park, is located 35 miles north of Boston
- Take Route 495 North or South to the Lowell Connector ---(exit 35C)
- Take the Lowell Connector to exit 5B (Thorndike Street)
- Follow Thorndike Street through four sets of traffic lights
- Bear right at 4th traffic light onto Dutton Street

Museum entrance and parking lot will be on your left.
Red brick building with greet and yellow banners.



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Textile Arts Classes at the Museum

*We offer lessons and classes
for adults and children in
a variety of Textile Arts!*



At the American Textile History Museum we offer classes and lessons in a variety of Textile Arts!

Museum Members receive a 10% discount on class fees and free equipment rental.

Adult Classes

Needle Felt a Miniature Animal

Learn how to sculpt wool with special needles, then make a seriously cute animal or creation of your choice.

One 4-6 hr. session \$40, materials \$5



Weaving Days at the Museum!

Speak to the teacher, then pre-register for special one-day sessions to learn any weaving skill you wish, choose multiple days for longer projects.

\$10/hr.; \$5 per class loom rental if needed

Weaving

Learn the entire weaving process from warping a loom to weaving your own sampler.

Four 3 hr. sessions \$115, materials \$10, loom rental if needed \$20

Belt Weaving

Make a beautiful belt with the ancient technique of inkle loom weaving.

One 3 hr. class \$24, materials \$5

Spinning

Learn to spin yarn on a traditional wheel.

One 5 hr. session \$71, materials \$5, wheel rental if needed \$10

Great Wheel Spinning

Learn and perfect the skill of spinning on a great wheel.

One 3 hr. session \$36, materials \$3

Drop Spindle Spinning

Learn to spin yarn on a drop spindle.

One 3 hr. session \$36, materials \$3

If Lucy Larcom Quilted

Choose a traditional quilt pattern template from the Mill Girls' era, and hand-piece a quilted project.

Five 2 hr. sessions \$80 plus materials



Kids' Classes

Learn to Weave - for Kids

Learn the basics of weaving, and weave a beautiful wall hanging on a loom already prepared for you.

One 3 hr. session \$35 including materials

If Lucy Larcom Quilted—for Kids

Much like the adult program (see that description), but a simpler project.

Two 4 hr. Sat. sessions \$75, materials \$40

Beginner Quilting for Home Schoolers

Make a 6-block sampler and practice basic hand sewing techniques.

Two 4 hr. Monday sessions \$75, materials \$40

Belt Weaving (see adult class description)

Easy and fun to make a beautiful project. 7 yrs and older. *One 3 hr. class \$24, materials \$5*



Contact the ATHM Education Department for more information
Call 978-441-0400 x250, or email us at reservations@athm.org.

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General Museum Admission

- \$8 for adults 17 and over
- \$6 for children 6-16, seniors, and students with i.d.
- Free for children under 6
- Group rates available

Museum Features

- “The Textile Revolution—An Exploration Through Space and Time” exhibition with scenes that tell the story of textile history in America from the 18th to the 21st century
- An extensive collection of textile tools, machinery and artifacts
- Videos on flax processing, roller printing, immigration, and more
- Mill machinery demonstrations
- Lots of interactive stations throughout the Museum
- Special changing exhibitions
- The Textile Learning Center, or “TLC,” a hands-on area for families, is accessible with general admission

Free Parking

Special Needs Facilities
Wheelchair access and elevator

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