

SNo	Name	Town/City	County	Region	Type	Summary
1	Aerospace Museum of California	North Highlands	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Aviation	Located on the grounds of the former McClellan Air Force Base, displays of military and civilian aircraft as well as space vehicle replicas
2	Alpine County Museum	Markleeville	Alpine	High Sierra	Open air	, complex includes the main museum building with local history exhibits, a schoolhouse, Markleeville Log Jail, carriage shed, and historic silver ore stamp mill
3	Amador County Museum	Jackson	Amador	Gold Country	Local history	
4	Amador Whitney Museum	Amador City	Amador	Gold Country	Local history	
5	Angels Camp Museum	Angels Camp	Calaveras	Gold Country	Local history	Includes carriages, mining equipment, minerals, household items
6	Bale Grist Mill State Historic Park	St. Helena	Napa	Napa Valley	Mill	The historic mill is open on weekends
7	Bernhard Museum Complex	Auburn	Placer	Gold Country	Historic house	Includes the Victorian Bernhard residence with period rooms, wine storage building and wine processing building with wine-making exhibits, and a barn with horse-drawn vehicles and blacksmith area
8	Bodie State Historic Park	Bodie	Mono	High Sierra	Open air	Ghost town mining camp
9	Bohart Museum of Entomology	Davis	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Natural history	Live and mounted insect displays, also a research museum of the University of California, Davis
10	Calaveras County Museum	San Andreas	Calaveras	Gold Country	Local history	, operated by the Calaveras County Historical Society
11	California Automobile Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Automobile	Formerly the Towe Auto Museum, over 170 classic cars, race cars, muscle cars, hot rods, early models and automotive memorabilia
12	California Foundry History Museum - Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Industry	
13	California Hall of Fame	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Hall of fame	Part of the The California Museum for History, Women and the Arts
14	California Museum for History, Women and the Arts	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	History	Formerly known as the Golden State Museum, includes the California Hall of Fame, exhibits on important people and aspects of California
15	California State Capitol Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Capitol	

16	California State Indian Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Native American	
17	California State Military Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Military	
18	California State Mining and Mineral Museum	Mariposa	Mariposa	Gold Country	Mining	Located at the Mariposa County Fairgrounds, gold mining
19	California State Railroad Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Railroad	
20	Carnegie Museum (Roseville, California)	Roseville	Placer	Sacramento Valley	Local history	, operated by the Roseville Historical Society, located in a Carnegie library building
21	Carolyn Parr Nature Center	Napa	Napa	Napa Valley	Natural history	, located in Westwood Hills Park, features natural history museum
22	Center for Contemporary Art, Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Art	
23	Chew Kee Store Museum	Fiddletown	Amador	Gold Country	History	, 1855 Chinese herb shop, information
24	Chinese American Museum of Northern California	Marysville	Yuba	Sacramento Valley	Ethnic - Chinese	, Chinese participation in the gold rush
25	C.N. Gorman Museum	Davis	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Art	, contemporary Native American and indigenous art, part of the University of California, Davis, also known as Carl M. Gorman Museum
26	Columbia State Historic Park	Columbia	Tuolumne	Gold Country	Living	California Gold Rush town with living history demonstrations
27	Community Memorial Museum of Sutter County	Yuba City	Sutter	Sacramento Valley	Local history	
28	Crocker Art Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Art	Early California art, Old Master drawings, Asian art, international ceramics
29	Dai Loy Museum	Locke	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	History	, former Chinese gambling house
30	di Rosa	Napa	Napa	Napa Valley	Art	, art galleries and outdoor sculpture on a nature preserve
31	Discovery Museum Science & Space Center	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Science	, building new facility to be known the Powerhouse Science Center
	Don & June Salvatori			Sacramento		, pharmacy artifacts, located at the

32	California Pharmacy Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Valley	Medical	California Pharmacists Association headquarters
33	Donner Memorial State Park	Truckee	Nevada	Gold Country	History	Includes the Emigrant Trail Museum with exhibits on local Native Americans, the Donner Party and builders of the transcontinental railroad
34	Downieville Museum	Downieville	Sierra	Gold Country	Local history	information
35	Eastern California Museum	Independence	Inyo	High Sierra	Local history	, includes Native American baskets and artifacts, fossils and exhibits of local history
36	El Dorado County Historical Museum	Placerville	El Dorado	Gold Country	Local history	, Native American baskets, gold mining equipment, farm tools, household items
37	Elmshaven	St. Helena	Napa	Napa Valley	Religious	Home of Ellen G. White whose ministry was instrumental in founding the seventh-day Sabbatarian Adventist movement
38	Empire Mine State Historic Park	Grass Valley	Nevada	Gold Country	Mining	Attractions include a mining museum, an Edwardian estate house, and a mine with living history demonstrations
39	Explorit	Davis	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Science	, regional hands-on science center
40	Folsom History Museum	Folsom	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Local history	, operated by the Folsom Historical Society, exhibits about Folsom's native people, the discovery of gold and the formation of mining camps, ethnic groups who contributed to this area, the formation of the town, railroad, prison, powerhouse, and later efforts at gold mining
41	Folsom Powerhouse State Historic Park	Folsom	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Technology	Historic 1890s hydroelectric power plant
42	Folsom Prison Museum	Folsom	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Law enforcement	
43	Folsom Railroad Museum	Folsom	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Railroad	, operated by the Folsom, El Dorado & Sacramento Historical Railroad Association
44	Forest Hill Divide Museum	Foresthill	Placer	Gold Country	Mining	, information, includes mining museum, a reconstructed livery stable/blacksmith shop, and the original Foresthill Jail
45	Fountain & Tallman Museum	Placerville	El Dorado	Gold Country	Local history	Operated by the El Dorado County Historical Society

46	Gatekeeper's Museum	Tahoe City	Placer	High Sierra	Local history	, operated by the North Lake Tahoe Historical Society, includes Marion Steinbach Indian Basket Museum
47	Gold Country Museum	Auburn	Placer	Gold Country	Mining	Area gold mining and local history
48	Golden Drift Museum	Dutch Flat	Placer	Gold Country	Local history	, influence of mining and railroads in the area
49	Governor's Mansion State Historic Park	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Historic house	Former mansion of the governors of California
50	Grass Valley Museum	Grass Valley	Nevada	Gold Country	Local history	Includes furniture, art, objects d'art, clothing, musical instruments and artifacts of the Victorian era
51	Grass Valley Video History Museum	Grass Valley	Nevada	Gold Country	Local history	information, historical film footage locally and from around the world
52	Griffith Quarry Museum	Penryn	Placer	Gold Country	Industry	Local granite industry
53	Groveland Yosemite Gateway Museum	Groveland	Tuolumne	Gold Country	Local history	
54	Hangtown's Gold Bug Park & Mine	Placerville	El Dorado	Gold Country	Mining	, includes Hattie's Museum with mining exhibits, Gold Bug Mine to tour, Meagher House for natural history education, Hendy Stamp Mill
55	Hattie Weber Museum	Davis	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Local history	, operated by the Yolo County Historical Society
56	Hayden Cabin	Mammoth Lakes	Mono	High Sierra	Historic house	, operated by the Southern Mono Historical Society, also known as Mammoth Museum, four-room log cabin with original 1930s furnishings
57	Heidrick Ag History Center	Woodland	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Agriculture	, antique agricultural equipment
58	Hellman-Ehrman Mansion	Tahoma	El Dorado	Gold Country	Historic house	, located in Ed Z'berg Sugar Pine Point State Park, early 20th-century summer lodge house
59	Historic Firehouse No. 1 Museum	Nevada City	Nevada	Gold Country	Local history	, operated by the Nevada County Historical Society
60	Home of Lola Montez	Grass Valley	Nevada	Gold Country	Local history	Houses the town's chamber of commerce, visitor center and local history museum
61	Honda Food Culture Museum and Communication Education Center	Marysville	Yuba	Sacramento Valley	Food	information

62	ICA Gallery	Bishop	Inyo	High Sierra	Art	Changing exhibits of area art
63	Indian Grinding Rock State Historic Park	Pine Grove	Amador	High Sierra	Native American	Includes Chaw'se Regional Indian Museum
64	James Calvin Sly Museum	Pollock Pines	El Dorado	Gold Country	Local history	information
65	Kennedy Mine	Jackson	Amador	High Sierra	Mining	Gold mine structures
66	Kentucky Mine Museum	Sierra City	Sierra	Gold Country	Mining	, operated by the Sierra County Historical Society, working gold mine with operating stamp mill
67	KidZone Museum	Truckee	Nevada	Gold Country	Children's	, formerly the Sierra Nevada Children's Museum
68	Lake Tahoe Historical Society Museum	South Lake Tahoe	El Dorado	High Sierra	Local history	
69	Laws Railroad Museum and Historic Site	Bishop	Inyo	High Sierra	Open air	Operated by the Bishop Museum & Historical Society, collection of 19th century buildings with historical exhibits, railroad cars and equipment
70	Leland Stanford Mansion State Historic Park	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Historic house	Victorian mansion restored to 1872 appearance
71	Locke Chinese School	Locke	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	School	, former Chinese gambling house
72	Lone Pine Film History Museum	Lone Pine	Inyo	High Sierra	Media	, movie history of Lone Pine, Death Valley and the Eastern Sierra areas; officially known as the Beverly and Jim Rogers Museum of Lone Pine Film History
73	Maidu Museum & Historic Site	Roseville	Placer	Sacramento Valley	Multiple	Natural and cultural history, including exhibits on Native Californians and the interdependence of nature and culture
74	Malakoff Diggins State Historic Park	Nevada City	Nevada	Gold Country	Mining	Includes mining museum and deserted mining town
75	Mammoth Ski Museum	Mammoth Lakes	Mono	High Sierra	Sports	, art, culture and artifacts related to skiing
76	Manzanar National Historic Site	Independence	Inyo	High Sierra	History	Site of one of ten camps where over 110,000 Japanese Americans were imprisoned during World War II
77	Mariposa Museum & History Center	Mariposa	Mariposa	Gold Country	Local history	, cultural history of Mariposa County, including Miwok display, gold mining equipment, miner's cabin, saloon, one-room school
78	Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park	Coloma	El Dorado	Gold Country	Open air	Includes Gold Discovery Museum and Visitor Center, 20 historic buildings including mining, house,

						school, and store exhibits
79	Mary Aaron Museum	Marysville	Yuba	Sacramento Valley	Historic house	, Victorian-era house
80	Memorial Union Gallery	Davis	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Art	, contemporary and historical California art, part of the University of California, Davis
81	Milton Gottardi Loyalton Museum	Loyalton	Sierra	Gold Country	Local history	
82	Mono Basin History Museum	Lee Vining	Mono	High Sierra	Local history	, operated by the Mono County Historical Society, located in a historic schoolhouse, Native American artifacts, gold mining implements, local history and culture, Nellie Bly's legendary Upside-Down House, farming and mining equipment
83	Mono Basin National Forest Scenic Area Visitor Center	Lee Vining	Mono	High Sierra	Natural history	Geology and wildlife of Mono Lake
84	Monteverde Store Museum	Sutter Creek	Amador	Gold Country	History	information, historic country store with items
85	Murphys Old Timers Museum	Murphys	Calaveras	Gold Country	Local history	
86	Museum of Sierra Ski History and 1960 Winter Olympics	Tahoe City	Placer	High Sierra	Sports	, area ski history from its beginnings through the 1960 Winter Olympics
87	Museum of the Forgotten Warriors	Marysville	Yuba	Sacramento Valley	Military	, uniforms, helicopters, photographs, medals, military memorabilia
88	Napa County Historical Society	Napa	Napa	Napa Valley	Local history	, the research library's Jess Doud Memorial Room hosts several exhibitions each year
89	Napa Firefighters Museum	Napa	Napa	Napa Valley	Firefighting	
90	Napa Valley Museum	Yountville	Napa	Napa Valley	Multiple	, art, history, natural history of Napa Valley, including local Native American and wine-making history
91	Nevada County Narrow Gauge Railroad Museum	Nevada City	Nevada	Gold Country	Railroad	Operated by the Nevada County Historical Society
92	New Melones Visitor Center and Museum	Sonora	Calaveras	Gold Country	Local history	Historic, natural and cultural history of the area around New Melones Lake
	North Star Mine					Hundreds of mining artifacts and machinery, operated by the Nevada

93	and Powerhouse & Pelton Wheel Museum	Grass Valley	Nevada	Gold Country	Mining	County Historical Society; also called the Grass Valley Mining Museum or the Northstar Mining Museum
94	Northern Mariposa County History Center	Coulterville	Mariposa	Gold Country	Local history	
95	Old Jail Museum (Truckee, California)	Truckee	Nevada	Gold Country	Prison	, operated by the Truckee - Donner Historical Society, 19th-century jail with exhibits of local history
96	Old Sacramento State Historic Park	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Multiple	Includes Old Sacramento Interpretive Center, Wells Fargo History Museum, Sacramento History Museum, Old Sacramento Schoolhouse Museum, several historic buildings and more
97	Old Sacramento Schoolhouse Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	School	
98	Owens Valley Paiute Shoshone Cultural Center-Museum	Bishop	Inyo	High Sierra	Native American	Artifacts and antiquities from the Numa (Paiute) and Newe (Shoshone) Nations
99	Placer County Museum	Auburn	Placer	Gold Country	Local history	, includes courthouse and sheriff's exhibits, Native America art, gold country exhibits
100	Preston Castle	Ione	Amador	High Sierra	Prison	Tours of the former reform school
101	Rae House Museum	Galt	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Historic house	, operated by the Galt Area Historical Society
102	Railtown 1897 State Historic Park	Jamestown	Tuolumne	Gold Country	Railroad	Seasonal steam and diesel-powered train rides, 1920s locomotive roundhouse, machine shop and related exhibits
103	Red Barn Museum	San Andreas	Calaveras	Gold Country	Local history	, operated by the Calaveras County Historical Society, features agriculture, mining, logging, and ranching artifacts, tools and equipment
104	Reiff's Antique Gas Station Automotive Museum	Woodland	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Transportation	1950s cars, automobile memorabilia, antiques and car culture
105	Richard Nelson Gallery	Davis	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Art	, part of the University of California, Davis
106	Rocklin History Museum	Rocklin	Placer	Gold Country	Local history	, operated by the Rocklin Historical Society, mining, railroads, ranching
107	Roseville Telephone Museum	Roseville	Placer	Sacramento Valley	Technology	, antique telephones and memorabilia

108	Roseville Utility Exploration Center	Roseville	Placer	Sacramento Valley	Science	, environmental learning center including energy efficiency, renewable technology, water conservation and recycling
109	Sacramento Children's Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Children's	
110	Sacramento History Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento History	Local history	Includes California Gold Rush, agriculture, community, gold panning. Home of the Underground Tours of Old Sacramento.
111	Sacramento Valley Museum	Williams	Colusa	Sacramento Valley	Local history	Includes carriages, mining equipment, minerals, household items
112	Scotty's Castle		Inyo	High Sierra	Historic house	Also known as Death Valley Ranch, 1930s period mansion, located in northern Death Valley National Park
113	Sharpsteen Museum	Calistoga	Napa	Napa Valley	Local history	, history of the upper Napa Valley
114	Shenandoah Valley Museum	Plymouth	Amador	Gold Country	Local history	, wine-making and farming
115	Shoshone Museum	Shoshone	Inyo	High Sierra	Local history	Facebook site, area geology, wildlife, Native American culture and folklore
116	Sierra College Natural History Museum	Rocklin	Placer	Gold Country	Natural history	, part of Sierra College
117	Sierra Nevada Logging Museum	Arnold	Calaveras	Gold Country	Industry	History of logging in the Sierra Nevada area
118	Sierra Sacramento Valley Museum of Medical History	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Medical	, collections in the fields of surgery, clinical diagnosis, infectious disease, pharmacy, radiology, Chinese medicine, obstetrics and gynecology, and medical quackery
119	Silverado Museum	St. Helena	Napa	Napa Valley	Biographical	, devoted to author Robert Louis Stevenson
120	Sutter's Fort State Historic Park	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	Military	Includes Sutter's Fort and the California State Indian Museum
121	Tahoe Maritime Museum	Homewood	Placer	High Sierra	Maritime	Includes maritime craft in service at Lake Tahoe, history of boating at Lake Tahoe, outboard motor collection, aquaplanes, water skis, fishing exhibits
122	Tallac Historic Site	South Lake Tahoe	El Dorado	High Sierra	Open air	, former rustic resort, includes Baldwin Museum, a former estate with exhibits on the significance of the estate families and the Washoe Tribe, the Pope Estate, the Valhalla Estate and several outbuildings
	Tuolumne City			Gold		Exhibits on pioneers, household and kitchen items, clothing, gold mining,

123	Memorial Museum	Tuolumne	Tuolumne	Country	Local history	lumber company and model train layout
124	Tuolumne County Museum	Sonora	Tuolumne	Gold Country	Local history	, housed in an old jail, operated by the Tuolumne County Historical Society
125	UC Davis Design Museum	Davis	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Design	, includes architecture, costume, graphic design, textiles, new media and popular culture, part of the University of California, Davis
126	Underground Gold Miners Museum	Alleghany	Sierra	Gold Country	Mining	, open seasonally and by appointment
127	United States Bicycling Hall of Fame	Davis	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Sports	Formerly located in New Jersey, bicycling history, photos, trophies, medals, books, catalogs
128	Vikingsholm	South Lake Tahoe	El Dorado	High Sierra	Historic house	38-room mansion with Nordic influences
129	Wells Fargo History Museum	Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento Valley	History	, two locations in Sacramento
130	West Sacramento Historical Society Museum	West Sacramento	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Local history	
131	Western SkiSport Museum	Soda Springs	Nevada	Gold Country	Sports	, history of winter ski sports in the western United States, operated by the Auburn Ski Club
132	Yolo County Historical Museum	Woodland	Yolo	Sacramento Valley	Historic house	Also known as Gibson House, period rooms from the 1850s to the 1930s, also exhibits of local history
133	Yosemite Mountain Sugar Pine Railroad	Fish Camp	Mariposa	High Sierra	Railroad	Heritage railroad and historic log cabin
134	Yosemite Museum	Yosemite National Park	Mariposa	Gold Country	Native American	Heritage and culture of the Ahwaneechee people who lived in the valley

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