

2025 COTTON USA™ Orientation Tour Itinerary

September 27 – October 4, 2025

Saturday, September 27

Renaissance Raleigh North
Hills
4100 Main at North Hills St
Raleigh, NC 27609

Arrive Raleigh, North Carolina per individual schedule

Sunday, September 28

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Arrive Raleigh, North Carolina per individual schedule

4:00 PM Cotton Council International (CCI) Briefing Session
Adagio/Allegro Meeting Room, Renaissance Raleigh

6:00 PM Welcome Reception & Dinner with the Southeastern Cotton
Industry
Capital Grille

Dress Code:
Casual – Day
Business Casual – Evening

Monday, September 29

The Westin Memphis Beale
Street
170 Lt Geo W Lee Ave
Memphis, TN 38103

Breakfast on Own

9:00 AM Depart Hotel

9:30 AM Meeting, Tour, and Luncheon with Cotton Incorporated

3:30 PM Depart Raleigh, North Carolina (via private aircraft)

4:30 PM Arrive Memphis, Tennessee

Dress Code:
Cotton Casual – Day
Casual – Evening

Evening free

Tuesday, September 30

The Westin Memphis Beale
Street
170 Lt Geo W Lee Ave
Memphis, TN 38103

Dress Code:
Business Casual – Day
Business Casual - Evening

Breakfast on Own

8:30 AM Depart Hotel

9:00 AM Tour USDA Classing Office

11:00 AM Meeting and Luncheon with the National Cotton Council
The Cotton Museum

2:00 PM Afternoon free for appointments

4:00 PM Meeting with ACSA, AMCOT and American Cotton Producers
Mississippi Ballroom, Westin Memphis Beale Street

6:30 PM Reception & Dinner with ACSA, AMCOT and
American Cotton Producers
Majestic Grille

Wednesday, October 1

Cotton Court
1610 Broadway St
Lubbock, TX 79401

Dress Code:
Business Casual – Day
Business Casual - Evening

Breakfast on Own

9:00 AM Depart Hotel

Farm and Gin Tour

3:00 PM Depart Memphis, Tennessee (via charter plane)

5:00 PM Arrive Lubbock, Texas

Evening Free

Thursday, October 2

Cotton Court
1610 Broadway St
Lubbock, TX 79401

Dress Code –
Business Casual - Day
Business Casual - Evening

Breakfast on own

8:30 AM Depart Hotel

9:00 AM Farm Tour

10:30 AM Gin Lab Tour

Afternoon free for appointments

3:00 PM Meeting with Lubbock Cotton Exchange, AMCOT, Texas Cotton
Association and Plains Cotton Growers Inc.
High Plains A, Cotton Court

6:00 PM Reception & Dinner with Lubbock Cotton Exchange, AMCOT,
Texas Cotton Growers Association, and Plains Cotton Growers
Inc.
Texas Tech Club

Friday, October 3

Visalia Marriott Convention
Center
300 South Court
Visalia, CA 93291

Breakfast on Own

9:00 AM Depart Hotel

9:30 AM Warehouse Tour

11:00 AM Depart Lubbock, Texas (via private aircraft)

11:30 AM Arrival Visalia, California

Pima Cotton Farm Tour

Afternoon Free for appointments

4:30 PM Meeting with Western Cotton Shippers Association, AMCOT,
American Cotton Producers and Supima
Sequoia A, Visalia Marriott

6:00 PM Reception & Dinner with Western Cotton Shippers Association,
AMCOT, American Cotton Producers and Supima
Vintage Press

Saturday, October 4

Depart per individual schedule from Fresno, California (FAT) or
Bakersfield, California (BFL) airports per individual schedule
*Ground transportation provided only to Fresno or Bakersfield
Airports*