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## Road Map Travel Guide

### Virginia United States Highway #250

MILE	KM	ITEM	SUMMARY	MILE	KM
0.0	0.0	Welcome to Virginia!	<p>Popular Tourist Attractions to visit while touring Virginia:</p> <p>Western: Abingdon, Blue Ridge Mountains, Blue Ridge Parkway, Bristol, Cumberland Gap National Historic Park, Lexington, Luray Caverns, Natural Bridge, Roanoke, Shenandoah National Park, Shenandoah Valley, Skyline Drive, Staunton, Winchester</p> <p>Central: Charlottesville and Monticello, Danville, Paramount's Kings Dominion, Petersburg, Richmond</p> <p>Northern: Alexandria, Arlington and Arlington National Cemetery, Fredericksburg and Fredericksburg National Battlefield Parks, Mount Vernon, Potomac Mills</p> <p>Tidewater: Williamsburg area, including Busch Gardens, Colonial Williamsburg, Jamestown, Williamsburg Pottery and Yorktown; Norfolk; Virginia Beach; and Chincoteague/Assateague on the Eastern Shore</p>	73.6	118.4
0.0	0.0	Junction of Interstate Highway #64	<p>Access to Charlottesville, Virginia - East side of highway. Access to Staunton - West side of highway. Access to the Blue Ridge Parkway (continuation of the Skyline Drive). Also access to the Wintergreen, VA. Ski Area and the George Washington, VA. National Forest - South of highway. The Blue Ridge Parkway, sometimes called 'America's Favorite Drive', provides both stunning scenery and close-up looks at the natural and cultural history of the southern Appalachian mountains. It is designed as a drive-awhile and stop-awhile experience, so please don't be in a hurry.</p> <p>The Parkway meanders for 469 miles and connects Shenandoah and Great Smoky Mountains National Parks, providing ample opportunities for stops at overlooks, picnic and camping facilities, trails, and wonderful cultural and natural areas. See attached link for more information. NOTE: For additional information on the Blue Ridge Parkway Scenic Byway - See Milebymile.com - Road Map Highway Travel Guide - Blue Ridge Parkway Scenic Byway, for driving directions and information / Photos</p>	73.6	118.4
0.0	0.0	Access to Highway #6	Access to communities of Afton, VA. - Avon, VA. and Greenfield, VA. - South side of highway.	73.6	118.4
0.4	0.7	Access to lodging	West side of highway.	73.1	117.7
1.9	3.0	Community of Waynesboro, Virginia	<p>Eastern city limits. Waynesboro is located in the Valley and Ridge Physiographic Province with elevations ranging from 1,050 feet to 1,800 feet above sea level. The average elevation of the Blue Ridge Parkway Appalachian Trail is 2,200 feet. The South River, a south fork of the Shenandoah River, runs directly through the City. Attractions in and around Waynesboro, Virginia; Historic Downtown Waynesboro - Virginia Metalcrafters - P. Buckley Moss Museum - Shenandoah Valley Art Center - Waynesboro Heritage Museum - Wildlife Center of Virginia - Plumb House - Artisans Center of Virginia.</p>	71.7	115.4
3.2	5.1	Junction of US Highway #340	North to communities of Grottoes, VA. - Elkton, VA. and Shenandoah, VA. Also access to I-64 - South of highway.	70.4	113.3
3.2	5.2	Services at highway		70.3	113.2

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3.4	5.5	Welcome to Waynesboro!	Junction of US Highway #340 to Stuarts Draft, Virginia - South side of highway. Note: Highway #340 East overlaps Highway #250 at this point. North to Shenandoah National Park. Shenandoah National Park lies astride a beautiful section of the Blue Ridge Mountains, which form the eastern rampart of the Appalachian Mountains between Pennsylvania and Georgia. The Shenandoah River flows through the valley to the west, with Massanutten Mountain, 40 miles long, standing between the river's north and south forks. The rolling Piedmont country lies to the east of the park. Skyline Drive, a 105-mile road that winds along the crest of the mountains through the length of the park, provides vistas of the spectacular landscape to east and west. The park holds more than 500 miles of trails, including 101 miles of the Appalachian Trail.	70.2	112.9
3.5	5.6	Services and fuel at highway	Gas and diesel available.	70.1	112.8
4.5	7.2	Junction of Highway #254	North to community of Barren Ridge, Virginia.	69.1	111.2
4.7	7.5	Highway #340 overlap of Highway #250 ends here		68.9	110.9
6.5	10.5	Access to Interstate Highway 64	South of highway. Services and fuel available at highway.	67.0	107.9
7.0	11.3	Junction of Roadway #1005	South side of highway.	66.6	107.1
7.3	11.8	Junction of Roadway #640	North side of highway.	66.2	106.6
7.5	12.0	Junction of Roadway #1001		66.1	106.4
7.6	12.2	Junction of Roadway #1021		66.0	106.2
8.3	13.4	Community of Fisherville, Virginia		65.2	105.0
8.4	13.5	Junction of Roadway #1501	South side of highway.	65.2	104.9
8.7	14.0		Station Hse. Road. Junction of Highway #285 - North side of highway to community of New Hope, Virginia. Services and fuel - South side of highway. Access to I-64.	64.9	104.4
8.9	14.4	Junction of Roadway #608	North to community of New Hope, Virginia. Also junction of Roadway #9035 - South side of highway.	64.6	104.0
9.1	14.6	Junction of Roadway #1312	South side of highway.	64.5	103.8
9.3	15.0	Junction of Roadway #1314	South side of highway.	64.3	103.4
9.4	15.1	Junction of Roadway #1318	South side of highway.	64.2	103.3
9.4	15.2	Junction of Roadway #1319	North side of highway.	64.1	103.2
9.8	15.7	Junction of Roadway #692		63.8	102.7
9.9	15.9	Junction of Roadway #1314		63.7	102.5
10.3	16.5	Junction of Roadway #1306		63.3	101.9
10.6	17.0	Junction of Roadway #358	North side of highway.	63.0	101.4
10.8	17.4	Services and fuel at highway	North side of highway.	62.8	101.0
11.4	18.3	View from highway	View from highway driving West.	62.2	100.1
11.5	18.5	Point of Information	Crossing Christians Creek, Virginia.	62.1	99.9
11.9	19.1	Junction of Roadway #638	South side of highway.	61.7	99.3
12.3	19.8	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	61.3	98.6
12.9	20.7	Junction of Roadway #792	Services at South side of highway.	60.7	97.7
13.0	21.0	Access to Interstate Highway 81	North to communities of Harrisonburg, VA. - Middletown, VA. and Winchester, VA.. South to communities of Roanoke, VA. and Christianburg, VA.	60.5	97.4
13.2	21.3	Access to I-64		60.3	97.1
13.4	21.5	City of Staunton, Virginia.	Attractions in and around Staunton, Virginia; Augusta Military Academy Alumni House & Museum - Trinity Episcopal Church - Woodrow Wilson Birthplace & Presidential Library - Jumbo Antique Fire Engine Museum - 116th Regimental Museum - Frontier Culture Museum - Staunton Augusta Art Center - Gypsy Hill Park.	60.2	96.9
15.5	25.0	Access to Highway #250 Truck Route	West side of highway.	58.0	93.4
16.2	26.0	Junction of Highway #11	South side of highway. Access to communities of Lexington, VA. and Hollins, VA.	57.4	92.4
16.2	26.1	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	57.4	92.3

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16.3	26.2	View from highway	Historic downtown area of Staunton, Virginia. In the heart of the Shenandoah Valley, Staunton, VA. - the Queen City on the Great Wagon Road between the Blue Ridge and the Alleghenies - offers old fashioned Americana at its best. Staunton has one architectural advantage over most of other small towns in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia: it escaped the Civil War unscathed. Many of its 18th and early 19th century homes and buildings still stand and are wonderfully preserved.	57.3	92.2
17.6	28.3	Churchville Avenue	Junction of Highway #11 North to communities of Mt. Sidney, VA. - Lacey Spring, VA. and Woodstock, VA.	56.0	90.1
17.9	28.8	Access to Gypsy Hill Park	South side of highway.	55.7	89.6
18.1	29.1	Services and fuel at highway	Gas only, no diesel - North side of highway.	55.5	89.3
18.8	30.2	Services and fuel at highway	Gas only, no diesel - South side of highway.	54.8	88.2
19.8	31.9	Access to Highway #11 and I-81	Also access to Highway #275 - South side of highway.	53.8	86.5
20.8	33.4	Deer View Lane		52.8	85.0
20.9	33.6	Junction of Roadway #612		52.7	84.8
20.9	33.6	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	52.7	84.8
21.5	34.6	Services and fuel at highway	Gas and diesel available - South side of highway.	52.1	83.8
22.1	35.5	Roadway #721	North side of highway.	51.5	82.9
23.1	37.2		Point of Information - Crossing Middle River, Virginia.	50.5	81.2
24.2	39.0	Point of Information	Crossing Whiskey River, Virginia.	49.3	79.4
24.4	39.2	View from highway	Community of Churchville, Virginia.	49.2	79.2
24.9	40.0	Junction of Highway #24 South	Access to communities of Buffalo Gap, VA. - Goshen, VA. and Millboro Springs, VA. Note: Highway #42 overlaps Highway #250 at this point.	48.7	78.4
25.3	40.7	Scenic Highway Road	Note: Hwy #42 overlap on Hwy #250 North ends at this point.	48.3	77.7
25.5	41.1	Roadside turnout	Paved, no services - North side of highway.	48.0	77.3
27.9	44.9	View from highway.	Travelling West on Highway #250.	45.7	73.5
28.2	45.4	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	45.4	73.0
28.5	45.8	Junction of Roadway #736	North side of highway.	45.1	72.6
29.0	46.6	Point of Information	Crossing Jennings Branch, Virginia.	44.6	71.8
30.1	48.4	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	43.5	70.0
30.4	49.0	Point of Information	Entering George Washington, Virginia National Forest - Eastern boundary. George Washington and Jefferson National Forests two forests stretch from one end of Virginia to the other, as well as extending into West Virginia, along the ruggedly beautiful Appalachians. Virtually every type of outdoor recreation activity you can imagine is available. Of course hiking, fishing, mountain bicycling and camping lead the way, but don't forget hawk watching, cross-country skiing, horseback riding, nature photography, and orienteering.	43.1	69.4
31.2	50.2	Buckhorn Street		42.4	68.2
31.7	51.0	Point of Information	Crossing Jennings Branch, Virginia.	41.9	67.4
33.1	53.2	Point of Information	Crossing Jennings Branch, Virginia.	40.5	65.2
34.8	56.0	Access to Chimney Hollow Trail	North side of highway.	38.8	62.4
34.8	56.0	Point of Information	Crossing Calfpasture River, Virginia.	38.8	62.4
35.2	56.6	Junction of Roadway #629	South of highway to community of Deerfield, Virginia. Services and gas at highway.	38.4	61.8
35.4	56.9	Community of West Augusta, Virginia.	Photo view from highway travelling West.	38.2	61.5
35.9	57.8	Access to lodging	South side of highway.	37.7	60.6
37.2	59.8	West Augusta Road	Junction of Roadway #716.	36.4	58.6
37.9	61.0	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	35.7	57.4
38.9	62.6	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	34.7	55.8
39.6	63.8	Access to George Washington, Virginia. National Forest Mtn House hiking	Roadside turnout - North side of highway.	33.9	54.6
40.5	65.2	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	33.1	53.2

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41.6	67.0		Roadside turnout with scenic viewpoint. Historical site information sign of Fort Edward Johnson. 'Confederate troops, the remnant of the army of the Northwest commanded by Brig. Gen. Edward 'Allegheny' Johnson, constructed this fortification about 1 Apr. 1862 to protect the Shenandoah Valley, the 'Breadbasket of the Confederacy.' Federal troops briefly occupied the fort after he withdrew to West View near Staunton later that month. With Maj. Gen. Thomas J. 'Stonewall' Jackson's Army of the Shenandoah Johnson's command confronted Union forces under Brig. Gen. Robert H. Milroy and Brig. Gen. John C. Fremont at the Battle of McDowell on 8 May. Johnson's ankle was shattered during this first victory in Jackson's famous Valley campaign.'	31.9	51.4
41.6	67.0		View overlooking the Shenandoah Valley.	31.9	51.4
41.6	67.0		Photo of the Confederate Breastworks Interpretive Trail. The Confederate Breastworks is located on U.S. 250 atop Shenandoah Mountain. It is the historic site where Confederate soldiers constructed a long trench-like fortification to guard and protect this position on Shenandoah Mountain during the early part of the Civil War. There is a short loop trail which follows along the remnants of the breastworks. An observation area adjacent to the parking area affords an excellent view of the Cowpasture River Valley west of Shenandoah Mountain	31.9	51.4
41.7	67.1	Highland County, Virginia	Eastern county line. The county has a rich historical tradition. During the Civil War, the Battle of McDowell, a significant battle in Stonewall Jackson's 1862 Valley Campaign, was waged in Highland County. The Town of Monterey was established in 1848. Originally named Highland, the town was renamed in honor of the Mexican town where General Zachary Taylor defeated the Mexican Army during the Spanish-American War.	31.9	51.3
42.9	69.0	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	30.7	49.4
43.7	70.3		Leaving George Washington National Forest - Western boundary. Photo is view from highway.	29.9	48.1
44.6	71.7	Junction of Roadway #616		29.0	46.7
44.6	71.8	Community of Headwater, Virginia		29.0	46.6
44.6	71.8	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	29.0	46.6
46.2	74.3	Point of Information	Crossing Cowpasture River, Virginia.	27.4	44.1
47.9	77.1	Roadside turnout	Paved - North side of highway.	25.7	41.3
48.9	78.7	Roadside turnout	Information sign available and access to hiking trails - South side of highway.	24.7	39.7
49.6	79.9		Roadside turnout, gravel with information sign - North side of highway. Sign at roadside turnout commemorates the Battle of McDowell. 'Stonewall Jackson, to prevent a junction of Fremont and Banks, took position on the hills just to the South and beat off the attacks of Fremont's advance under Milroy, May 8, 1862. Milroy retreated that night.	23.9	38.5
49.6	79.9		Monument to the fallen soldiers of the Battle at McDowell.	23.9	38.5
50.3	81.0	Community of McDowell, Virginia		23.2	37.4
50.4	81.1	Junction of Roadway #678	South access to community of Williamsville, Virginia. Point of Information - Crossing Bullpasture River, Virginia.	23.2	37.3
50.5	81.2	View from highway	Looking North at the Bullpasture River, Virginia.	23.1	37.2
50.6	81.5	View from highway	Point of Information - Crossing Crab Run, Virginia.	22.9	36.9
50.7	81.6	Junction of Roadway #654	North to community of Doe Hill, Virginia.	22.9	36.8
51.0	82.0	Services and gas at highway		22.6	36.4
52.4	84.3	Junction of Roadway #645	South side of highway.	21.2	34.1
53.4	86.0	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	20.1	32.4
53.9	86.8	Roadside turnout	Small, paved with no services - North side of highway.	19.6	31.6
56.8	91.4	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	16.8	27.0
57.2	92.1	Roadside turnout	Paved with no services - North side of highway.	16.3	26.3
57.5	92.5	Junction of Roadway #629	North side of highway.	16.1	25.9
58.3	93.8	Summit of Jackson Mountain	Summit located within the Shenandoah Mountains.	15.3	24.6
58.9	94.8	Roadside turnout	With picnic tables, no other services - South side of highway.	14.7	23.6
59.5	95.7		Roadway #631. View from Highway #250 looking at community of Monterey, Virginia.	14.1	22.7
59.7	96.1	Junction of Roadway #649	South side of highway.	13.9	22.3

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59.8	96.3	Monterey, Virginia limits	Junction of Highway #220. North access to community of Franklin, Virginia; South to communities of Warm Springs, VA. Hot Springs, VA. and Healing Springs, VA.	13.7	22.1
60.4	97.2	Access to Bed & Breakfast	North side of highway.	13.2	21.2
60.5	97.4	View from highway	View from highway travelling West. Point of Information: Monterey Mountain elevation - 3880 feet.	13.0	21.0
63.6	102.4		View from Monterey Mountain looking at valley below.	9.9	16.0
64.1	103.2	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	9.4	15.2
64.9	104.4	Roadway #637	North and South of highway.	8.7	14.0
65.7	105.8	Community of Hightown, Virginia	Junction of Roadway #640. Access to community of Blue Grass, Virginia - North of highway.	7.8	12.6
68.1	109.6	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	5.5	8.8
69.1	111.2	Junction of Roadway #600	South side of highway.	4.5	7.2
70.5	113.4	View from highway	View from highway travelling West.	3.1	5.0
70.8	113.9	Roadside turnout	Gravel - North side of highway.	2.8	4.5
72.1	116.0	Roadway #601	South side of highway.	1.5	2.4
72.2	116.2	Roadside turnout	Gravel - North side of highway. Note: Summit of Allegheny Mountains - 4271 feet.	1.4	2.2
73.6	118.4	Virginia / West Virginia State Lne	For continuance of highway # 250 west, see Milebymile.com United States Highway,U.S. # 250 - Road Map Highway Travel Guide - Virginia State Line to Elkins West Virginia, for driving directions.	0.0	0.0
73.6	118.4	Welcome to West Virginia!. - Photo West Virginia welcome highway sign	Entering the Monongahela National Forest. The Monongahela is located in the Appalachian Mountains of east central West Virginia at elevations of 1,000 to 4,861 feet. Start / Finish of Road Map Highway Travel Guide. - S&e	0.0	0.0