

WHITE HOUSE



The rooms in the White House have evolved as our nation's history has unfolded.

- ▶ This architectural sketch depicts the **STATE FLOOR** of the White House in 1803.
- ▶ **THE WHITE HOUSE** has six floors: two sub-basements, the Ground Floor, the State Floor, and two floors above that for the private residence.

President Lyndon B. Johnson signed the 1964 Civil Rights Act in the **East Room**. This grand space often hosts music and dance performances.



TECH FACT

In 1848, gas lighting was piped in to all the chandeliers on the State Floor except the Blue Room.

Family Dining Room

Entrance Hall

East Room



State Dining Room



Red Room

Cross Hall



Blue Room



Green Room



TECH FACT

The first telephone was installed for President Rutherford B. Hayes in 1879. His telephone number was "1."

The **State Dining Room** now seats 140 guests, but originally it was much smaller. At times it served as a Cabinet Room and private office.

President Grover Cleveland was married in the **Blue Room** in 1886. He was the first president to have his wedding in the White House.