B Howard Park Memorial High School Visits Museum of Modern Art:

Forty-five students from New Hyde Park Memorial High School accompanied by three teachers, Mrs. Janet Graffeth, Mr. Eugene Weinger, and Mrs. Felicia Condii, visited the Museum of Modern Art in New York today (Friday, Feb. 26) as their only yearly field trip and part of a school program to broaden their interests and cultural background.

Among the exhibitions they saw were paintings and sculptures from the Museum’s collection, arranged chronologically to give a history of modern European and American art from 1875 to the present, a selection of chairs, china, and household objects from the Design Collection, also covering about the same period, and a sampling from the Print and Photography Collections.

The group viewed the "Art Lending Retrospective" exhibition, a special show of 58 paintings, prints, drawings, and sculptures, celebrating the 9th season of the Art Lending Service of the Museum. The exhibition is presented as a limited sampling of works available for rent or sale which are loaned to the Service by about 70 New York galleries. They also saw "The Sense of Abstraction", an exhibition of contemporary photographs.

They examined a 13'7" x 6' x 5'2" high model of the additional wing the Museum plans to build at the conclusion of its 30th Anniversary Fund Drive and walked through the Sculpture Garden and saw an outdoor show, three structures by Buckminster Fuller.