

Nationals face Astros in bid to end Fall Classic drought

HOUSTON ASTROS

Champions: **2017**

3rd World Series

Regular season W/L

Home: **60-21**

Road: **47-34**

WASHINGTON NATIONALS

Champions: -

1st World Series

Regular season W/L

Home: **50-31**

Road: **43-38**



Manager
A.J. Hinch

Player to watch
Gerrit Cole

Manager
Dave Martinez

Player to watch
Max Scherzer

American League

Houston: Oct 22, 23, 29*, 30*

Washington: Oct 25, 26, 27*

National League

Houston 3-2 Tampa Bay
Results: 6-2, 3-1, 3-10, 1-4, 6-1

NY Yankees 3-0 Minnesota
10-4, 8-2, 5-1

Division Series

Washington 3-2 Los Angeles
0-6, 4-2, 4-10, 6-1, 7-3

St. Louis 3-2 Atlanta
7-6, 0-3, 1-3, 5-4, 13-1

Houston 4-2 NY Yankees
0-7, 3-2, 4-1, 8-3, 1-4, 6-4

Championship Series

Washington 4-0
2-0, 3-1, 8-1, 7-4

St. Louis

LONGEST WORLD SERIES DROUGHTS

Years without winning title

Cleveland	71	2016	Last appearance in World Series
Texas (est. 1961)	59	2011	
Milwaukee (1969)	51	1982	
San Diego (1969)	51	1998	
Washington (1969)	51	2019	Washington Nationals First World Series berth for team from U.S. capital since 1933
Seattle (1977)	43	-	
Pittsburgh	40	1979	Houston Astros Best record in 2019 regular season (107 wins)
Baltimore	36	1983	
Detroit	35	2012	
New York Mets	33	2015	
Los Angeles	31	2018	