Board Policy #C500 - FIELD AND OTHER CORPORATION-SPONSORED TRIPS OUT OF STATE/OVERNIGHT FIELD TRIP REQUEST



WHO:

- Approximately 130 students
- 12 staff chaperones and 20 parent chaperones

WHAT:

• 8th grade Washington, D.C. trip

WHEN:

- Date of event: May 10, 2023 May 13, 2023
- Start/end time of event:
 - student leave at approximately 10:00 AM from school on Wednesday, May 10, 2023
 - o pick up at approximately 11:00 PM on Saturday, May 13, 2023

WHERE:

- Washington, D.C.
- Gettysburg
- Parent drop off: parents pick up from south parking lot and sign in students in gymnasium
- Parent pick-up: parents pick up from south parking lot

CHAPERONES:

• Parents: 20 parent chaperones*

*all chaperones will have a background check on file with MVCSC prior to departure or will be deemed ineligible to attend the trip

• Teacher: 12 staff chaperones

Tour Directors: Imperial Travel, 2150 Sagamore Pkwy, Lafayette, IN 47904 (765) 447-9321

TRANSPORTATION: Transportation will be via motorcoach provided by Imperial Travel

COST:

Approximately (final pricing may increase slightly)

Quad occupancy: \$800
Triple occupancy: \$840
Double occupancy: \$960
Single occupancy: \$1,220

Cancellation and refunds

WHY: Destinations on the Washington, DC and Gettysburg trip align with 8th grade social studies standards.

HEALTH, SAFETY, AND SUPERVISION PROVISIONS:

* All COVID-specific plans will be fully determined 2 week prior to the trip if necessary with the most recent guidance from MVCSC and Hancock County Health Department

Masks

 Masks will be required by all for travel on the bus as required by federal guidelines. Masks will be required for all at all sites that require them.

Volunteers

- Building administrators will submit a complete list of volunteers' 48hrs prior to the health clinic.
- Will be required to complete the MVCSC School Visitor Intake Form.
- Will be required to sign in to the Lobby Guard.
- Will be required to wear a mask when around children who are not their own
- Be willing to have their temperature taken upon entering the building (health clinic to administer).

- Stay home if anyone in their home has COVID-19 symptoms, has received a
 positive diagnosis or has a shared household member in quarantine.
- Should not volunteer for any activity if in the last 14 days you have:
 - Travel to any foreign country or large metropolitan city
 - o Been on a cruise or been in an airport
 - Been around anyone who has COVID-19

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SAFETY AND SUPERVISION PROVISIONS:

Other Safety Protocols

- A rooming list will be shared at least 5 days prior to the trip
- Students only room with students, parents only room with parents, school staff only room with school staff
- Plan subject to change based upon change in health guidelines
- Security will be provided in the hotels

Medical Releases/Parent Permission on File

• All parents will sign medical releases and health information will be collected

Tentative Trip Itinerary:

Washington DC 8th Grade Class Trip May 10-13, 2023

WEDNESDAY, May 10, 2022

10:00AM	Buses stage at so	chool for loading
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10:45AM Departure for Washington DC.

St. Clairsville, OH – Included box lunch from Chick-fil-A for dinner

Embassy Suites by Hilton Tyson's Corner - 703-883-0707 8517 Leesburg Pike, Vienna, VA 22182

10:00PM Arrive at the hotel.

THURSDAY, May 11, 2023

Breakfast is included at the hotel.

Scheduled House Tour. Tour times TBA.

8:40AM House tours of Mount Vernon

Red meal pass included for lunch at Mount Vernon Food Court.

TBA Depart Mount Vernon.

4:15PM Included dinner at Hard Rock Café.

7:00PM Guides will meet groups.

FRIDAY, May 12, 2023

Breakfast is included at the hotel.

8:30AM Meet your step-on guides at your Arlington. Enjoy a full day of touring.

Lunch vouchers included for Pentagon City Mall.

4:30PM Drop off guide.

7:00PM Arrive at Buca Di Beppo for your included dinner.

SATURDAY, May 13, 2023

Breakfast is included at the hotel.

8:00AM Prompt departure for Gettysburg, PA

9:30AM Approximate arrival.

10:00AM Tour of battlefield with guide.

12:30PM Depart for Home. A box lunch is included.

Stop en route for included dinner

11:00PM Arrival at MVMS