2019 Washington, D.C. Trip

Dear Parents and Students,

I am excited to announce that I will lead a group of Lewis & Clark Middle School students on an exciting trip to Washington, D.C. On this once-in-a-lifetime adventure, students will explore the nation's most important historic sites and experience first-hand what they've been learning in school. This will be a trip that your child will be talking about for years to come!

Your child will return home excited to tell you about:

- Standing where Martin Luther King, Jr., delivered his “I Have a Dream” speech at the Lincoln Memorial
- Discovering the true meaning of sacrifice at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington National Cemetery
- Walking in the footsteps of our country's past and present leaders on Capitol Hill
- Exploring numerous Smithsonian Museums, like the National Museum of Natural History and the National Air and Space Museum

Our travel partner will be WorldStrides because of their exceptional service, unmatched safety record, and 50 years of experience delivering top-quality educational travel programs. In addition, they are the approved domestic educational traveler provider of the Smithsonian. I will chaperone the program with other adults as needed, and throughout our trip, we will be guided by a licensed WorldStrides Course Leader. Since this is not a school sponsored trip, we will not be attending as representatives or employees of the school.

There will be a trip information meeting to discuss this wonderful opportunity on August 30, 2018 at 6:00 PM in Room 206. All parents and students are invited to attend this brief, 30-minute meeting where I'll share more information about WorldStrides, review some of the trip highlights, and explain some of the tools available to help pay for the trip. I strongly encourage you to attend this meeting. Please read the enclosed brochure, look over the sample itinerary on the back of this page, and visit www.worldstrides.com/discoveries for more details. If you have any questions, you can contact me at (402) 557-4300.

I look forward to seeing you at the trip information meeting and having your child join us on this unforgettable trip!

Sign up by September 7, 2018

Michele Rinn
Program Leader
TRIP DATES
Trip ID#: 157890 - Use this to sign up!
Destination: Washington, D.C.
Departing: Saturday, March 9, 2019
Returning: Tuesday, March 12, 2019

TRIP MEETING
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TRIP PRICE
Prices are based on 35 full-paying participants.
Student: $1,939 quad occupancy.
Adult: $2,230 double occupancy.
Payment can be made in full or spread out into monthly installment payments*. Select EZPay when choosing monthly installment payments and have your payments automatically deducted from your bank account saving you time and potential missed payments. There is a $6 non-refundable handling fee on each installment payment following your registration, if you do not select EZPay.

Full Refund Program: An additional $209 protects your investment if you need to cancel for any reason. It is recommended that you enroll in this valuable program by electing the Full Refund Program when you sign up. See reverse for more information.

FLAG financial assistance: FLAG financial assistance may be available for families with an adjusted gross income up to $85,000. See reverse for details.

*Installment amounts may vary in price based on when you sign up and optional inclusions. Your last payment must be made by the final payment deadline and may be larger than your previous installment payments. Your final payment is due on 12/24/2018.

INCLUDES
- Round-trip transportation
- Sightseeing transportation
- Course Leader
- Quality hotel accommodations
- Night Chaperones in hotel
- Accident/health insurance
- Field journals
- Online educational resources
- All meals
- All admissions fees
- Evening activities
- 24-hour emergency support

SIGN UP TODAY!
Sign Up By: 09/07/2018 (Please sign up as soon as possible)
Deposit Amount: $99 (non-refundable)
Sign Up:
- Online at www.worldstrides.com/signup (use Trip ID# 157890 to sign up)
- By phone - call WorldStrides’ Customer Service Team at 1-800-468-5899
- By mail - use the registration form on reverse
Easy ways to pay for your trip

At WorldStrides, our passion is student travel. We believe every student should have the opportunity for travel to change their lives and that’s why we offer several tools to help make these experiences possible for each and every student.

Financial Assistance with FLAG

- Over $2.5 million in financial assistance given out each year to thousands of families
- Families with annual adjusted gross incomes of less than $85,000 may qualify
- One simple call and you’ll know how much is available for your trip

Hurry, financial assistance is given on a first come, first served basis.

Fundraising with the Gift of Education

- Student driven fundraising where 100% of money raised goes to offset trip price
- Easy to use e-cards, letters and shareable Facebook links students can send to friends and family
- Thousands of students pay for their entire trip each year through the Gift of Education

Payment Plans that are easy & affordable

- Sign up for the trip with a small deposit
- Remaining payments are spread out into smaller amounts and paid monthly prior to travel
- Set up auto-deductions from your checking account to save time and money

Please don’t let the cost of the trip prevent your child from experiencing this incredible opportunity with their friends. WorldStrides Customer Service can help make this a reality so call us today at 800-468-5899 and let us tell you more about these great programs available to help you pay for your trip.

www.worldstrides.com/signup | 1-800-468-5899 | PO Box 9033, Charlottesville VA 22906-9033

REGISTRATION FORM

Lewis & Clark Middle School

Full legal name*

Additional registrant name*

*Federal mandate (TSA) requires that travelers provide their complete first, middle, and last names (as they appear on legal documents, not nicknames or initials) and date of birth.

Date of birth: ___/___/___  Male  Female  Student  Adult  Additional registrant DOB: ___/___/___  Male  Female  Student  Adult

Email Address: __________________________________________  I verify this is a valid email address  □ Sign me up for paper-free billing and notifications

Mailing Address: ___________________________________________  City: _____________________________  State: ______________  Zip: _____________

Responsible Party name:  __________________________________________________

Mobile phone: _____________________________________________________

Home phone: ____________________________

Mother’s work phone: ____________________________

Father’s work phone: ______________________________

Please send a souvenir T-shirt and bill me $19.00. My size is:  S  M  L  XL  XXL  (all shirts are adult sizes)

□ I am paying by check  There is a $35 charge for returned checks

Amount I am paying today: ____________________________

Your minimum payment is $99

□ I am paying by credit card

□ Mastercard  □ Visa  □ Discover

Name as it appears on card: __________________________________________

Card Number: ____________________________

Expiration Date: ____________________________

Cardholder’s signature: __________________________________________

□ Yes, enroll me in the Full Refund Program!

□ No, do not enroll me in the Full Refund Program

Signature X: ___________________________________________________________________________________

I have reviewed and agree to the Terms and Conditions and confirm my Full Refund Program selection.

Full Terms and Conditions can be found at www.worldstrides.com/tripterms

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