

Consider approval of an overnight trip for  
Southwest Legacy High School to Edinburg, Texas

1. Background:

Southwest Legacy High School Mariachi students are requesting permission to travel to Edinburg, Texas on February 28 - March 1, 2025. The students will take part in an intensive 2-day music workshop with world famous Mariachi Sol De Mexico based out of California. The students will have the opportunity to work one on one with maestros from Mariachi Sol De México, learning instrument and vocal techniques by one of the best mariachi ensembles in the world. The students will also have the opportunity to compete against other high schools in the nation. The winner of the competition will have the opportunity to open up for Mariachi Sol De Mexico's concert on Saturday March 1.

2. Process:

Parent permission slip will be required for participation.

3. Fiscal Impact:

The estimated cost of \$ 13,000.00 will be paid from the SWISD Fine Arts budget, SWLHS Mariachi budget and the SWLHS Student Activity Fund account.

4. Recommendation:

That the Board approve an overnight trip for SW Legacy Mariachi to Edinberg, Texas.

5. Required:

Board action.