

Dunlap Community Unit School District 323

Board of Education Meeting

Date

August 20, 2025

INFORMATION ITEM

TO: Members of the Board of Education
Dr. Scott Dearman, Superintendent

FROM: Katie Cazalet, Principal

SUBJECT: Out of State/Overnight Culinary Trip Opportunity

INFORMATION:

Mrs. Ryon would again like to take a group of students to Epcot Center for a culinary trip opportunity from April 30-May 3, 2026. The “Cook Around the World” competition is held at the Walt Disney World Resort. Cost per student will again be around \$1400. Any student who is wanting to go on this trip will have the opportunity to fundraise to offset the cost of the trip. This trip is voluntary for anyone who has completed the Foods 1 class. The cost of the trip would be covered by the students’ families. There would be no cost to the district, as the PERFECT program would again reimburse the cost of Mrs. Ryon’s sub during the time.

More information and the itinerary for the trip are attached