

Denton Independent School District Request for Out of State Student Travel

I. ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

Campus John H. Guyer High School Date of Request June 12, 2013
 School Organization Guyer Choir Activity Sponsor Stephen Evans and Jeremy Bowen

II. DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED TRAVEL

Destination(s)** New York City, New York
 Description of Activities or Events Performance in St. Patrick's Cathedral and a Broadway show workshop and performance. Touring the landmarks of Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island and the Museum of Natural Science and History. Educational tours such as Radio City Music Hall, learning how auditions work for the Rockettes, experience the 9/11 Memorial and other educational activities throughout the 4 day trip.
 Dates of Travel March 8th - 11th, 2014 (Spring Break) Mode of Travel Bus to DFW and airplane
 Number of Student Participants 50 Number of Adult Sponsors/Chaperones 15
 Educational Purposes and Value This trip will give all students the option of traveling to New York for a performance in the famous venue of St. Patrick's Cathedral. The students will also take part in a Broadway Workshop with the Producers, Choreographers and actors. During this workshop, the students will be given information regarding auditions, requirements, rehearsal schedules etc. Valuable information for all students interested in the performing arts, getting real world knowledge from those.
This trip will also allow students to see the true entertainment industry of NY and experience people from different cultures and backgrounds learning through the diversity of one of entertainment's true mecca's of the world.

** Attach copy of proposed itinerary

III. SOURCE OF FUNDING

Source	Amount
<input type="checkbox"/> District Title 1	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Students (personal)	\$1195.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization	Booster led fundraisers
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fund Raising Activities***	UNT COncessions, Booster FR's
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <u>Patron Program Ad Sales</u>	80% goes straight to the student.
Total Cost of Activity	\$1195.00
Estimated Cost/Student	\$1195.00

***Description of Fund Raising Activities (if required)
Students are encouraged to participate in all of the Booster-led fund raising activities. These events give students 40% - 50% profit to keep and go toward the trip payments. We also work UNT Concessions where students earn specific amounts per concession that will go into their personal trip account for payments.

IV. ORGANIZATIONAL REVIEW / APPROVAL

Principal	<u>Barbara Fischer</u> NAME	<u>Barbara Fischer</u> SIGNATURE	<u>6/24/13</u> DATE OF APPROVAL
School Operations	<u>David McCullar</u> NAME	<u>David McCullar</u> SIGNATURE	<u>7-29-13</u> DATE OF APPROVAL
Superintendent	_____ NAME	_____ SIGNATURE	_____ DATE OF APPROVAL
Board President	_____ NAME	_____ SIGNATURE	_____ DATE OF APPROVAL

*Reference Policy FMG (L)



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ITINERARY

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DAY 1

5:30am	Deluxe Motor Coach will spot at Guyer HS
6:00am	Depart for DFW airport
8:00am	Arrive DFW airport
10:15am	Depart DFW– NON STOP
2:50pm	Arrive Newark airport
	Upon arrival motor coach will be on standby for shuttle to your hotel(TBA)
4:30pm	Pizza at John's Pizzeria
6:30pm	Load bus for a Broadway Show - TBA
7:15pm	Arrive at the Theatre
8:00pm	Show time
10:00pm	Show Ends
10:00pm	Load buses and return to hotel.

DAY 2

7:00am	Breakfast at your hotel
7:45am	Load bus for lower Manhattan, Battery Park to board the New York Ferry
8:30am	Take the ferry The Statue of Liberty a 240-foot high monument of freedom which greets new comers from NY Harbor
11:30am	Lunch - on your own
12:30pm	Board the New York Ferry to make a stop in Ellis Island
1:00pm	Ellis Island Museum on the site of one of the primary gateways into America for millions of immigrants
2:30pm	Board the New York Ferry to make your way back to Battery Park, where your bus will be on standby to continue your day.
3:00pm	9/11 Memorial
5:00pm	South Street Seaport 19th-century port district, now a restored landmark with places to eat , shop and just hang out on the pier.
6:00pm	Load bus for Dinner/Cruise aboard the Spirit of New Jersey Cruises, Lincoln harbor Marina(based on availability) You will pick up your ticket at the Pier
7:30pm	Boarding
8:00pm	Cruise time
11:00pm	End of Cruise, and bus will stand by for your return to hotel.

DAY 3

7:30am	Breakfast at your hotel
8:30am	Load buses for Manhattan
9:00am	PERFORMANCE at St. Patrick's Cathedral (day may change) NBC Studios, Today Show, NBC Experience Store, Rainbow Room, Channel Gardens, Saks Fifth Ave., Statue of Atlas, Radio City Music Hall.
10:15am	Empire State Building-86th Floor Observatory: The 86 th floor Observatory, 1,050 feet (320 meters), reached by high speed, automatic elevators, has both a glass-enclosed area, which is heated in winter and cooled in summer, and spacious outdoor promenades on all four sides of the Building. High powered binoculars are available on the promenades for the convenience of visitors at a minimal cost. The 86 th floor observatory is handicap accessible.
11:15am	Times Square/Broadway: Broadway Shows, MTV Studio, Virgin Megastore, Comedy Nation, All-Star Cafe, New Years Eve "Ball Drop" site, neon billboards.
12:00pm	Lunch on your own
1:00pm	Continue on to: Central Park: Walk through Strawberry Fields(John Lenon Memorial), Bethesda Terrace, Central Park Lake, Alice in Wonderland Sculpture, Tavern on the Green, Sheep Meadow, The Ramble, Central Park Zoo, Belvedere Castle, American Museum of Natural History.
2:30pm	American Museum of Natural History and Rose Planetarium
3:30pm	Space Show
4:00pm	End of show
4:15pm	China Town: Buddhist Temples, <u>Bargain Shopping</u> , Chinese Cuisine, Pastry Shops, Chinese Pharmacies, Chinatown History Museum Fis/Fruit/Vegetable
7:00pm	Load bus and return to your hotel.

DAY 4

7:30am

Breakfast at your hotel

8:30am

Hotel check out and load luggage on to bus

10:00am

Broadway Rehearsal Workshop

This session is taught by Broadway performers from the show your group is seeing during its visit. Sheet music will be provided to the group, who will then work with a cast member and a pianist. The workshop recreates a true Broadway rehearsal with students learning the choreography, staging, and music directly from the Broadway production they are seeing, or the Broadway show of your choice. **90 MINUTES.**

3:00pm

Load bus for your return flight Home - TBA