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#### Washington, DC and New York City Trip - 2026

#### To: Students and Parents of Townsend JHS,

I am excited to announce that Townsend Junior High School students are traveling to Washington, DC & New York City, to engage in history and government firsthand. This learning program is a once in a lifetime opportunity for your child to experience the power of travel!

Throughout our experiential journey, students will:

- Explore the rich culture and heritage of our great nation
- Discover important national treasures such as Arlington National Cemetery, the Lincoln Memorial, the Empire State Building and the Statue of Liberty
- Gain a deeper understanding of how our history and citizenship impacted the shaping of America

I have chosen School Tours of America as our travel planner due to their decades of experience, outstanding safety record, and exceptional customer service. Our tour is non-school sponsored. I will lead our group, along with other chaperones as needed. In addition, representatives from School Tours of America will be available throughout our entire trip.

Space is limited. Register online now at SchoolToursOfAmerica.com, or complete the enclosed registration.

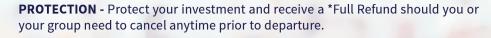
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# LIFE IS UNPREDICTABLE, WHY TAKE THE RISK?

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**PEACE OF MIND** - Your payments are covered from the moment you register. Return travel expenses are covered for family emergencies.

SIMPLICITY - To enroll, agree to the PPP when you register. You can also include the PPP in your payment schedule.

> \*For details see Terms and Conditions at: www.SchoolToursOfAmerica.com/terms-conditions



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Trip Date: 03/29/26 - 04/03/26 For: Townsend Junior High School

#### **REGISTER ONLINE NOW** at www.SchoolToursOfAmerica.com

Trip #: B428

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Please Select: O I AGREE to protect my payments with the Payment Protection O I DECLINE to protect my payments with the Payment Protection Program, Program (recommended). understanding that I may lose my money if the trip is canceled for any reason.

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED:





### Transportation







Private security



# **IMPORTANT TOUR INFORMATION**

#### **Tour Details**

Trip #: B428 Departing: 03/29/26 Returning: 04/03/26 Destination: Washington, DC and New York City Group Leader: Claudia Valleroy Contact Details: Claudia\_Valleroy@chino.k12.ca.us

#### **Early Registration Special**

Take advantage of discount pricing when you register by July 1<sup>st</sup>! Space is limited and available on a first come, first served basis. The price is based on 35 full-paying travelers.

Add the **Payment Protection Program** (PPP) to your tour price for only \$369.00 to receive a FULL REFUND if you cancel ANYTIME for ANY REASON prior to trip departure. (See Terms and Conditions for full details.)

	Student Price	Adult Price	
	(4 per room)	(2 per room)	
Early registration	\$3,139.00	\$3,589.00	
After July 1st	\$3,239.00	\$3,689.00	

OR

#### **Payment Plans**

Save time and avoid fees by making manageable, monthly payments with EzPay. (Available with online registration only.) Mail in monthly payments utilizing STA payment coupons. (Incurs \$6 handling charge per payment.)

#### Register today to enjoy savings!

 Registration Deadline:
 07/01/25

 Required Deposit:
 \$99.00 (Your deposit is applied to the total trip cost.)

 Final Payment Due Date:
 01/18/26

#### **Real ID Ready**

Air travelers 18 years old or older will be required to travel with a REAL ID compliant driver's license (or valid passport.)



\*The above pricing is all-inclusive unless otherwise specified in the enclosed materials.

# SPACE IS LIMITED. RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY!



**REGISTER ONLINE** Select "register" in the upper right corner at: SchoolToursOfAmerica.com



**ENROLL IN EzPay** Make monthly payments & avoid fees with EzPay. **EzPay is available online only.** 



**OPT-IN TO THE PPP** Protect your investment & receive a refund if you cancel prior to trip departure.

# Sample Itinerary: Washington, DC and New York City

### 6 Days / 5 Nights

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6
Group travels to Washington, DC	BREAKFAST Arlington National Cemetery: Tomb of the Unknown Changing of the Guards Kennedy Gravesites Challenger Memorial Ford's Theatre	BREAKFAST White House Tour Upon availability Washington Monument *Upon ticket availability* Group Travels to NYC	<b>BREAKFAST</b> <u>Central Park</u> Strawberry Fields Cherry Hill Bethesda Terrace	<b>BREAKFAST</b> <u>Lower Manhattan:</u> Ferry ride to Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island	BREAKFAST Midtown Manhattan: St. Patrick's Cathedral Radio City Music Hall Tour Rockefeller Center
LUNCH	LUNCH <u>Capitol Hill:</u> US Capitol Tour <u>Smithsonian Complex:</u>	LUNCH En Route to NYC	LUNCH <u>Metropolitan Museum</u> of Art	LUNCH <u>Wall Street Area:</u> US Customs House Trinity Church St. Paul's Chapel	LUNCH Grand Central Station *time dependent*
<b>DINNER</b> Lincoln Memorial Vietnam Veterans Memorial Korean War Memorial World War II Memorial	Natural History American History <b>DINNER</b> <u>Night Tours:</u> MLK Memorial Jefferson Memorial	<b>DINNER</b> Times Square	Chinatown/Little Italy <b>DINNER</b> "Top of the Rock"	Federal Hall Wall Street 9/11 Memorial & Museum DINNER Broadway Show	<b>DINNER</b> Group departs for home

\*All meals included (except en route)

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Images submitted by travelers to our annual photo contest using # MODEL CONTESTING CONTEST UNDER CON

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> This transformative tour provides unlimited growth opportunities; your child will return a more passionate student, a more conscientious citizen, and a more mature person.

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# THE BENEFITS OF EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL WITH SCHOOL TOURS OF AMERICA



#### Personal Growth

Studies have shown that students who travel see improvements in grades and behavior. Your child will gain tremendous confidence and independence while traveling with classmates.



#### **Empowered Citizenship**

Travelers realize their potential to positively shape America's future as they experience deeply meaningful sites such as Arlington National Cemetery, the Supreme Court and the National Archives. You will never look at your students the same because they will never be the same. This experience is life-changing.

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#### **Educational Opportunities**

Available interdisciplinary learning opportunities include: college credit, leadership programs and service learning experiences.

Watch video testimonials by students, parents & teachers at: www.SchoolToursOfAmerica.com/wall-parents.html





#### Need help raising funds for your trip?

Utilize the power of social media with our exclusive crowdfunding platform, MyTourFund.com, where 100% of donations are applied to your trip!

# This free fundraising tool allows each registered student to create a personal website where they can:

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DONATE NOW

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VISIT

SHARE WITH FRIENDS & FAMILY

RECEIVE DONATIONS AUTOMATICALLY

MyTourFund.com participants raise an average of \$900 for their tour

### **COMMITMENT TO HEALTH & SAFETY**

Not to brag, but we have the best safety record in student travel for a reason! Our decades of experience helped us craft new safety policies, protocols, and procedures to keep travelers safe at every step. Curious? Check it out at: <u>https://schooltoursofamerica.com/safetravel</u>.



#### **TRIPStrong**

To create a strong and safe approach to your next trip, your Group Leader may designate a "medical chaperone" to accompany the tour and provide support if needed.



#### TRIPSwag

The complimentary STA drawstring bag can be used throughout your tour to store useful trip swag like your STA t-shirt and your lanyard with emergency contact card.

#### Safety & Security

All tour staff is trained using a detailed Safety Contingency Plan. Our East Coast office provides immediate response and communication with local and federal authorities, and maintains a 24/7 dedicated, toll-free phone line exclusively for parents and students.



#### **Trip Concierge**

On every tour is staffed with a Trip Concierge who can meet the group at the hotel, and if necessary, provide students and teachers with assistance as needed.



#### Professional, Bonded Security

Private guards are stationed on hotel floors each night, ensuring that students adhere to the strict nightly curfew.

#### Full Insurance Coverage

Tour participants are automatically covered by medical, dental and accident insurance.

Every member of the School Tours of America family shares the united mission of providing your child the safest, most memorable tour that will become a milestone in their life.

## **PAYMENT PROTECTION PROGRAM (PPP)**

#### Life is unpredictable. We've got you covered.

Add the PPP to your tour price to receive a **FULL REFUND** (less the cost of the PPP) if you cancel **ANY TIME** for **ANY REASON** prior to trip departure.\*

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100% refund prior to trip departure	*	
Include cost of program in payments	*	
Travel home due to family emergency	*	
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Financial difficulty	*	

### **ORDER YOUR SOUVENIR T-SHIRT**

(Ask your Group Leader if the t-shirt is already included in your trip cost.)





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