



**WorldStrides**<sup>®</sup>

Educational Travel & Experiences

JOIN US FOR

# THE 2021 PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION

WHITE HOUSE | INAUGURAL PARADE | OATH OF OFFICE | STUDENT INAUGURAL BALL | JEFFERSON  
MEMORIAL | CAPITOL HILL | WASHINGTON MONUMENT | LINCOLN MEMORIAL | PENTAGON MEMORIAL |  
ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY | SMITHSONIAN | MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. MEMORIAL

Whether you are a seasoned traveler or this trip will mark the first time going outside of your hometown, traveling with your classmates will be an experience you'll remember for the rest of your life. Witnessing the swearing in of our country's president, touring the memorials that pay tribute to fallen heroes, walking in the footsteps of our leaders both past and present—this trip will no doubt be fun, but you'll be surprised at how much you'll come back changed! You'll develop a greater appreciation for history. You'll stretch what you think is possible. This trip will shape your mind for years to come, and we couldn't be more excited to offer this opportunity to you.

## It's so much more than just a trip...

The benefits of travel extend far beyond the memories you'll make with your friends. Students who travel:



**Have an increased GPA, higher SAT score, and are more likely to attend college**



**Report an increase in self-confidence and understanding of their own cultural values**



**Gain an increased acceptance of and respect for other cultures**





A WorldStrides trip allows students to actively engage with places and landmarks they've only seen in textbooks. We call this LEAP—Learning through Exploration and Active Participation—and it's our trademarked approach to learning that creates the perfect balance of fun and education.



**Vietnam Veterans Memorial** – Students trace the names of a fallen hero as they learn the true meaning of sacrifice.



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## Ready. Set. Travel!

Witnessing a Presidential Inauguration is historic and inspiring. The spotlight on our government is never brighter and the impact of voices for our nation is never greater. Going to the Presidential Inauguration in Washington D.C. will get you motivated as Americans, you'll have fun with your friends, and you'll remember this trip forever. Over 450,000 students travel with us every year, and we'd love for you to be one of them!



### WHITE HOUSE

Stop in front of America's most famous house, the home of the current U.S. president and his family, and take a picture with your friends. George Washington himself chose the site in which the White House now rests in 1791.



### CAPITOL HILL

Walk the underground tunnel where lawmakers meet, explore the Visitor Center, take in the miles of books at the Library of Congress, and sit on the steps of the highest court in the land, the U.S. Supreme Court.



### WASHINGTON MONUMENT

Snap some photos with your friends in front of the world's tallest stone monument built to honor our nation's first president whose outstanding leadership set the bar high for all following presidents.



### LINCOLN MEMORIAL

Students will contemplate Lincoln's accomplishments as they read his famous speeches inscribed on the walls. They'll also relive history as they stand in the same spot where Martin Luther King, Jr. delivered his "I Have a Dream" speech.





### JEFFERSON MEMORIAL

Read some of Jefferson's famous writings and gain a new respect for the foresight he had while writing the Declaration of Independence. Discuss how this first Secretary of State impacted the way America developed as a nation.



### MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. MEMORIAL

Experience the memorial dedicated to the nation's most famous civil rights activist who preached tolerance regardless of race, belief, or class. Become inspired by his powerful writings that nurtured love across a nation.



### IWO JIMA MEMORIAL

Think about the inscription, "Uncommon valor was a common virtue," while you explore this tribute to the U.S. Marines who died while serving our country during the Battle of Iwo Jima against the Japanese in February 1945.



## 9/11

### PENTAGON MEMORIAL

Visit the memorial honoring the 184 victims who died during the September 11, 2001, attacks at the Pentagon. The memorial shows the timeline of these victims' ages ranging from just 3 years old to age 71.



# WORDS FROM A WORLDSTRIDES COURSE LEADER

*“My favorite moment with the students...that’s hard to pick just one thing. Maybe when they stand at the base of the M.L.K. Memorial. The light bulb goes off. It becomes real. It’s a special moment when the students reflect on what they are seeing and realize that they too can make a difference in this world. It’s amazing—you can literally see them change before your eyes!”*

## MEET TRENTON, A 2017 WORLDSTRIDES TRAVELER



*“Arlington National Cemetery was my favorite thing! When they were changing the guard, it was so cool to see. They were doing everything so perfectly. I want to join the military so I was honored to watch that. It takes your breath away!”*

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# Safety is our #1 priority

As teachers and parents, we know how important safety is, and we treat our travelers like they're part of our own families. The following are the key safety measures we provide:

## Tour Central

Our local office, available to assist traveling groups 24 hours a day

## Course Leaders

Caring and dynamic individuals who are specially trained to guide your group through your trip and make learning come to life

## On-site Coordinators

Helping hands to assist your group at the hotel

## Night Chaperones

Additional help to monitor hotel hallways overnight

## Motor Coach Drivers

Professionals with years of experience driving and working with student groups

## Student Name Tags

Imprinted with Tour Central's toll-free number

## Doctors on Call Program

An exclusive partnership with The George Washington University Department of Emergency Medicine, granting us access to doctors for phone consultations and treatment recommendations

# Tools to help 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:** Over \$2.5 million in assistance is given out each year to families with annual adjusted gross incomes of \$85,000 or less.

**Gift of Education:** An effective fundraising tool where 100% of the money raised goes to pay for your trip.

**Payment Plans:** Spread out payments and set-up auto-deductions to save time and money.

Visit [worldstridesfundraising.com](http://worldstridesfundraising.com) for more details on financial assistance, the Gift of Education, and other scholarship programs that may be available for your trip.



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