

2021 Washington, D.C. and New York, NY and Boston, MA Trip

Dear Parents and Students,

I am excited to announce that I will lead a group of students on a WorldStrides program to Washington, D.C., New York, NY and Boston, MA. On this once-in-a-lifetime adventure, students will explore our nation's most important historical sites and experience incomparable learning moments. This will be a trip that your child will be talking about for years to come!

Your child will return home excited to tell you about:

- Seeing the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, Declaration of Independence, and U.S. Constitution in person
- Visiting the 9/11 National Memorial at the World Trade Center site, dedicated to those who lost their lives on September 11, 2001
- Finding inspiration from the heroes honored at D.C.'s war memorials and Arlington National Cemetery

I have chosen to travel with WorldStrides because of their exceptional service, their 50 years of experience, their safety record, and their preventive measures that ensure learning occurs in a safe and fun environment. I will chaperone the program with other teachers as needed, and throughout the program our group will be guided by a WorldStrides-certified Course Leader. **Since this is not a school sponsored trip, we will not be attending as representatives or employees of the school.**

As Program Leader, I have the right to remove a student from the trip for behavior or as deemed necessary for the benefit of the group and if applicable, all cancellation penalties will apply.

Please read through all the details of this letter including a sample itinerary on the back of this page, and visit www.worldstrides.com/signup for more details about WorldStrides and our group's trip. If you have any questions, you can contact me via denise_freeman@redlands.k12.ca.us.

I would love for your child to join us on this unforgettable trip!

Sign Up By Thursday, October 1, 2020

Denise Freeman
Program Leader



Washington, D.C. – New York, NY – Boston, MA / Sample Itinerary

DAY 1

Motor coach transfer to the airport.
Depart on red eye flight.

Early morning arrival into **Washington DC**

Meet your Course Leader and begin your once-in-a-lifetime experience!

Mount Vernon George Washington's home, plantation, and Education Center, which showcases life during colonial times, 18th-century treasures, and our first president as a farmer and businessman

Ford's Theatre Famous Theatre where President Abraham Lincoln was assassinated

White House (picture stop) Home of the U.S. president

WWII Memorial Honors the 16 million who served—and 400,000 who died—in the U.S. Armed Forces during WWII, and all who supported the war effort from home

Evening tour of Memorials:
Lincoln Memorial
Vietnam Veterans
Korean War Memorial

Hotel check-in

DAY 2

Arlington National Cemetery

America's most famous military cemetery

- Changing of the Guard
- Tomb of the Unknown Soldier
- Kennedy Gravesites
- Space Shuttle Challenger Memorial

IWO Jima Memorial A tribute to all U.S. Marines based on the famous WWII photo by Joe Rosenthal

Group photo at the Capitol (appointment)

Capitol Hill Grounds Tour

- Tour of US Capitol (by appointment)
- Supreme Court
- Library of Congress

Washington Monument

Evening tour of Memorials:

Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial
Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial
Thomas Jefferson Memorial

Return to hotel

DAY 3

Hotel check-out

Depart for New York City

Guided New York highlights tour: Lower Manhattan

National 9/11 Memorial Site of the World Trade Center and a place for remembrance for the victims of the September 11 attacks

New York Harbor Cruise featuring sights of the Statue of Liberty One of the world's most recognized symbols of freedom

One World Trade Center Observatory

Check into New York City hotel

Broadway Show (TBA)

Return to hotel

DAY 4

Hotel check-out

Depart to **Boston, MA**

Fenway Park Tour – Home of the Boston Red Sox

Evening Program: Spirits & Mayhem Tour

Guided Ghost tour through Boston
Common with exciting stories and tales from the past

DAY 5

Harvard University Walking Tour

Lexington and Concord Key sites in the events that sparked the American Revolution and also home to some of our great American authors, including Thoreau, Emerson, Hawthorne, and Louisa May Alcott.

Lexington Green Location of the first shots of the Revolutionary War

Old North Bridge Minuteman Statue

Depart to Salem, MA

Salem Witch Museum Life-size stage sets, exhibits & tours exploring the 1692 Salem witch trials

Old Burying Point Cemetery

Gallows Hill Museum & Theatre A mix of special effects, actors, costumes, storytelling, diversions, exhilarating surprises and jump scares blended with historical facts about the Salem Witch Trials.

Return to hotel

DAY 6

Boston Tea Party Ship & Museum

Be a part of the famous event that forever changed the course of American history. A floating history museum with live reenactments & multimedia exhibits.

Freedom Trail sites including: Old State House Boston Massacre Site

Bunker Hill Monument and Museum

Faneuil Hall and Lunch at Quincy Market

Visit this market that was built without any tax or debt as an indoor pavilion of retail shops.

Paul Revere House (photo stop)

Old North Church Hallowed 18th-century church & launch point for Paul Revere's revolutionary ride

Depart for airport and flight home!
Motor coach transfer back to school.

The above represents a sample itinerary. Changes or substitutions may be made depending on your travel dates, arrival/departure times, national holidays, and/or events beyond our control

Washington, D.C., New York, NY, and Boston, MA Details:

TRIP DATES

Trip ID#: 176304

Destination: Washington, D.C., New York, NY, Boston, MA

Departing: Saturday, March 20, 2021

Returning: Friday, March 26, 2021

TRIP PRICE

SIGN UP NOW to take advantage of our special early registration discount and Spring 2020 program price!

Prices are based on 35 full-paying participants.

Student: Your discounted price is \$2,739 quadruple occupancy, which reflects a \$150 discount off the Spring 2020 price for signing up prior to Thursday, October 1, 2020.

Adult: Your discounted price is \$3,172 double occupancy, which reflects a \$150 discount off the Spring 2020 price for signing up prior to Thursday, October 1, 2020, \$3,606 single occupancy, which reflects a \$150 discount off the Spring 2020 price for signing up prior to Thursday, October 1, 2020.

Payment can be made in full or spread out into monthly installment payments*. Select EZPay when choosing monthly installment payments and have your payments automatically deducted from your bank account saving you time and potential missed payments.

Full Refund Program: An additional \$249 covers cancellation (see Terms and Conditions at www.worldstrides.com/ms-terms-conditions).

FLAG financial assistance: FLAG financial assistance may be available for families with an adjusted gross income up to \$85,000. See reverse for details.

*Installment amounts may vary in price based on when you sign up and optional inclusions. Your last payment must be made by the final payment deadline and may be larger than your previous installment payments. Your final payment is due on 01/04/2021.

INCLUDES

- Round trip transportation
- Sightseeing transportation
- Broadway Show
- 24-Hour Emergency Support
- Course Leader
- Accident/health insurance
- Admission fees
- Online educational resources
- All Meals
- Quality hotel accommodations
- Evening Activities
- Night chaperones in school credit
- Opportunity to earn field school credit
- Field Journals

SIGN UP TODAY!

Sign Up By: 10/01/20 – register now and SAVE!

Deposit Amount: \$49 (non-refundable) – This is a special, reduced deposit amount for signing up prior to 10/01/20.

Sign Up:

- Online at www.worldstrides.com/signup (use **Trip ID#176304** to sign up)
- By phone – call WorldStrides' Customer Service Team at 1-800-468-5899
- By mail – use the registration form **on reverse**

Sign up today for the trip of a lifetime!



ONLINE

worldstrides.com/signup



PHONE

800-468-5899



MAIL

Fill out the attached form and return by mail

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

with FLAG Future Leaders of American Government

- > WorldStrides provides over **\$2.5 million** in financial assistance each year to thousands of families
- > Families with annual adjusted gross incomes of less than \$85,000 may qualify
- > One simple call and you'll know how much may be available for your trip

Hurry, financial assistance is given on a first-come, first-served basis.



Fundraising

with the *Gift of Education*

- > Student-driven fundraising where 100% of the money raised goes to pay for your trip
- > Easy-to-use e-cards, letters, and shareable Facebook links students can send to friends and family
- > Thousands of students pay for their entire trip each year through the *Gift of Education*



Payment Plans

that are **easy & affordable**

- > Sign up for the trip with a small deposit
- > Remaining payments are spread out into smaller amounts and paid monthly prior to travel
- > Set up auto-deductions from your checking account to save time and money

This trip will be an incredible experience for your child and their classmates!

Don't delay - call WorldStrides Customer Service at 800-468-5899 to sign up for your trip and to ask any additional questions about financial assistance, fundraising, and payment plans.



Protect your investment with our Full Refund Program

Educational travel is an investment in your child's future. Our Full Refund Program protects that investment should you have to cancel your registration for any reason prior to departure. The program refunds all money paid (less the cost of the Full Refund Program and any merchandise purchased) and includes special Job Loss Protection. We strongly recommend that you add on our Full Refund Program when signing up for your trip.

Full Terms and Conditions are available at worldstrides.com/tripterms.

REGISTRATION FORM

Trip ID# 176304 - 03/20/21 - SH

Full legal name* _____

Additional registrant name* _____

*Federal mandate (TSA) requires that travelers provide their complete first, middle, and last names (as they appear on legal documents, not nicknames or initials) and date of birth.

Date of birth: ___/___/___ Male Female Student Adult Additional registrant DOB: ___/___/___ Male Female Student Adult

Email Address: _____ I verify this is a valid email address. Sign me up for paper-free billing and notifications

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Responsible Party name: _____ Mobile phone: _____

Home phone: _____ Mother's work phone: _____ Father's work phone: _____

Include a souvenir T-shirt and bill me \$19. My size is **S M L XL XXL**

Amount I am paying today: _____

Your minimum payment is \$49

I am paying by check There is a \$35 charge for returned checks

I am paying by credit card MasterCard Visa Discover

Card Number:

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Name as it appears on card: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Cardholder's signature: _____

Yes, enroll me in the Full Refund Program!

Signature

No, do not enroll me in the Full Refund Program

X:

I have reviewed and agree to the Terms and Conditions and confirm my Full Refund Program selection. Full Terms and Conditions can be found at www.worldstrides.com/tripterms

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