Washington DC Trip



When?

Wednesday, March 25, 2026 - Saturday, March 28, 2026

Who can go? -

Any 8th grader who meets the Stated Requirements to Travel.

Cost?

Between \$699.00 - \$809.00 depending on the number of students. (In the past, parents have worked together with the PTA to fundraise)

Highlights:

- Witness the Changing of the Guard at Arlington National Cemetery
- Visit the 911 Memorial at the Pentagon
- Tour of the Capital Building & pictures in front of the White House
- Tour Smithsonian National Museums on the National Mall
- The National Zoo
- The Holocaust Museum
- Tour of the National Monuments at night
- A Ghost Tour of historic Alexandria, VA

Transportation

Deluxe Coach Bus

Accommodations

Embassy Suites Tysons Corner Vienna VA 22182

Chaperoned by Teachers and Staff
DC Google Classroom Code: mpih2vh
REGISTRATION OPENS Monday, September 8

This spring, the West Middle Social Studies Department is excited to once again travel to Washington, DC.

Please read the following requirements to travel:

Travel Requirements

- 1. Students must be in 8th Grade at West Middle
- 2. Students must have completed a teacher recommendation in 7th grade. (see Mrs. Mancuso in 707 if you have not done this)
- 3. This is a Social Studies trip. While we have a lot of fun, students will be visiting historic sites and museums.
- 4. Students must consistently complete their course work on time and to the best of their ability. Failure to complete work and / or maintain good academic standing will result in their travel ability reassessed.
- 5. Students must consistently demonstrate WEST behavior. **Students who receive ISS**, **OSS**, and/or more than 3 detentions will have their travel ability reassessed.
- Students must consistently attend school. (Prolonged absences due to a doctor's note or other reasons will be considered on a case by case basis) Students who have attendance issues will have their travel ability reassessed.
- 7. West Middle Administration will have final say on if a student may travel as students will be representing West Middle.

If you have any questions, not concerning payment, please email Mrs. Mancuso at lmancuso@wscschools.org