

Washington, D.C. and Gettysburg Field Trip

May 10-12, 2018

The 7th and 8th grade students at Springfield Junior High have the opportunity to be part of an optional, educational field trip to Washington, D.C. and Gettysburg. **The trip will take place on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday on May 10, 11, and 12, 2018**

The cost of the tour is \$340 and is based on a minimum of 40 paid students per motor coach and staying four students per room. Included in the package price is round-trip motor coach transportation, two nights lodging at the Sleep Inn in Rockville Maryland, as well as hotel security, tour accident insurance, one tour guide per bus, and five meals. There are many tour visits included in the package price. A tentative itinerary will be provided before the trip.

Your reservation is complete when you return the permission slip along with the \$100 deposit (\$5 of which is non-refundable). Cash or money orders *ONLY* will be accepted. Reservations are taken on a first come, first served basis. There are 135 available reservations for three buses. A bus becomes full each time 40 students register with a deposit. Then, a new waiting list is started until the next 40 seats fill up. The first deposit of \$100 is due by Friday, November 10, 2017. The final balance of \$240 is due by Friday, March 9, 2018. Of course, **you can pay the entire balance at any time. As long as it is a minimum of \$50, you may make partial payments toward the final balance if it helps with your family's budget.** If 135 students go on the trip, each child will be reimbursed \$25 spending money on the first day of the trip, or the paying adult may choose to have this reimbursement given to them. If less than 135 students go on the trip, no reimbursement can be given. We will remind students and parents of this just prior to the trip.

We reserve the right to deny a reservation to any student that is not responsible in school or seems unfit to participate in an overnight field trip. Any students that are denied a trip after making a deposit will be given a refund. Students denied a trip or students wishing not to go may get a full refund up until 45 days before the trip. After that, students will be refunded the amount that 20th Century Tours can reclaim from the tour sites.

The chaperones for this field trip are Springfield principals and teachers. There are three chaperones per bus. Students will select their own roommates (4 to a room) in March only after they have paid their entire balance. There are usually extra charges for students that apply for a different room request.

By signing below, you permit your child to join the Springfield Junior High Field Trip along with 20th Century Tours, Inc. to Washington, D.C. and Gettysburg. Furthermore, you agree that you have read and understand all tour policies, Springfield Local Schools' Code of Conduct, and expectations for good behavior while on tour

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*****STUDENT PERMISSION SLIP MUST ACCOMPANY FIRST PAYMENT*****

STUDENT NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

PHONE NUMBERS _____

NAME OF FIRST PERIOD TEACHER _____

NAME OF SEVENTH PERIOD TEACHER _____

We agree to supply all necessary medical information before the trip, and we guarantee cooperation and good behavior before and during the trip. We understand that failure of this could result in the student's denial of a trip or an early return home at the family's expense.

STUDENT SIGNATURE _____

PARENT SIGNATURE _____