



2020 Washington, D.C.

Cavallini Middle School

8th Grade Parent Information Session
January 22, 2020

Primary Details

Trip Dates

May 27th – 29th (Wednesday – Friday)

Cost

\$653 per student

Registration Deadline

February 14th – (\$75 deposit required)

Registration

- All payments & registrations **MUST** be done through the Gerber Tours website www.gerbertours.com
- Online registration code: **c37f2614**
- Tour ID: **37837**
- You **MAY** set up a payment plan with Gerber Tours
- Full refunds are provided **ONLY** if the optional Cancellation Protection plan is purchased through Gerber Tours

Cancellation Protection

Protection Plan Cost: \$39

Full Refund, excluding non-refundable deposit, cost of protection plan, online transaction fees and late fees

**Only available at the time of registration*

Standard Cancellation Policy

75 days prior to departure (Fee of 20% of Tour Price)

45-74 days prior to departure (Fee of 50% of Tour Price)

15-44 days prior to departure (Fee of 75% of Tour Price)

0-14 days prior to departure (No Refund Provided)

Payment Plan *(Optional)*

Deposit

February 14th -\$75

Payment #1

March 14 -\$290

Payment #2

April 14th -\$288



**Suggested breakout. You may customize payment schedule.*

What's Included in the Cost?

- **Quad Lodging** (*4 students per room*)
- **Transportation** (*Coach Bus*)
- **Paid Museum Admissions** (*where applicable*)
- **3 Professional Tour Guides** (*1 per bus*)
- **Private Security**
- **Parent Mobile App** -*track our progress real time!*
- **All meals**
- **Dinner Theater (Off-Broadway Show / Thursday Dinner)**
- **Draw String Backpack**
- **Accident** (\$5,000), **Illness** (\$1,000), **Dental** (\$500) **insurance included per student**

Lodging



Marriot Crystal Gateway

1700 Jefferson Davis Highway

Arlington, VA 22202

P: (703) 920-3230

- 2.5 miles -Iwo Jima Memorial
- 2.7 miles -Arlington Cemetery
- 3.0 miles –Washington Monument
- 3.0 miles –Lincoln Memorial
- 3.5 miles -White House
- 3.5 miles –Smithsonian Institution
- 4.0 miles –Library of Congress
- 4.0 miles –National Archives
- 4.6 miles –U.S. Capitol

Transportation



Academy Bus Company
Hoboken, NJ

- Charter Buses
- All Buses Equipped with Seat Belts

Rooming Arrangements

- Four (4) students assigned to each room
- Students will be asked to submit a list of preferred roommates. They may request a specific Quad.
- We will make a strong effort to match every student with at least one preferred peer

May 27th Departure

- **Students Arrive at Cavallini -6:30 am**
- **Busses Depart -7:00 am**
- **Eat/Bring Breakfast & Snacks for the First Day**
- **One Suitcase & One Carry-On Per Student**

**All times tentative. A finalized itinerary will be provided.*

Students will not have access to suitcases until we arrive at hotel around 9:30PM that evening; bring a carry-on!

Tentative Itinerary – *Subject to Change* – **Wednesday, May 27th**

First Day

Wednesday May 27, 2020

- 7:00 am Departure from Emil A. Cavallini Middle School (392 West Saddle River Road, Saddle River, NJ 07458).
- 12:00 pm Arrival in Washington, DC. Join your Tour Guide at the Ronald Reagan Building.
Lunch at the Ronald Reagan Building (meal coupon included).
- 1:30 pm Visit Arlington National Cemetery, including the JFK Gravesite and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.
Visit the Iwo Jima Marine Memorial.
Enjoy a snack and drink before the National Archives.
- 4:00 pm Visit the National Archives (pending availability).
Visit the Lincoln, Vietnam Veterans and Korean Memorials.
- 7:30 pm Dinner at Buca di Beppo.
- 9:30 pm Check into your hotel:
Marriott Crystal Gateway [1700 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA (703) 920-3230]
Security Included - 10:00 PM-05:00 AM

Tentative Itinerary – *Subject to Change* – **Thursday, May 28th**

Second Day

Thursday May 28, 2020

8:00 am

Breakfast at your hotel.

9:30 am

Group picture at the base of the U.S. Capitol Building (optional @ \$15.00).

10:00 am

Tour of the Capitol Hill Area to include: U.S. Capitol Building (pending availability), U.S. Supreme Court and the Library of Congress.

Sightseeing at the Smithsonian Institution. Here you will have the opportunity to visit the many museums and galleries this complex has to offer.

Time for lunch (\$15 cash will be provided).

4:00 pm

Return to your hotel and freshen up for dinner.

Visit the Jefferson, FDR, Martin Luther King, Jr. National Memorial and the WWII Memorials.

6:00 pm

Enjoy the evening at Toby's Dinner Theatre.

Bid farewell to two of your Tour Guides.

Tentative Itinerary – *Subject to Change* – **Friday May 30th**

Third Day

Friday May 29, 2020

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| 7:00 am | Breakfast at your hotel and check out. |
| 8:00 am | Depart for home. |
| | Box lunch included en route home. |
| 1:00 pm | Approximate arrival back at school. |

Registration Form

Gerber Tours | Trip Information & Registration Form

Please fill out this form in blue or black ink and print in CAPITAL LETTERS. Fill in circles completely (example: ●). Do not attach anything to this form.

Trip Information

GROUP NAME

Emil A. Cavallini Middle School

TOUR NAME

3 Day Washington DC Tour

TOUR DATES

May 27-29, 2020

TOUR ORGANIZER

Mr. James McCusker

TOUR ID

37837

ONLINE REGISTRATION CODE

c37f2614

Registration is on a first-come first-served basis. To register immediately and/or pay by credit card please visit our website at www.gerbertours.com and click "LOGIN/REGISTER" located at the top of our website and then select "PARTICIPANTS".

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Further Considerations

- **Chaperones**

- Administrators, Teachers, School Nurse
- Approximately 8:1 ratio

- **Students with Medical Conditions**

- Please contact Robyn Ranges (*School Nurse*) rranges@usrschoolsk8.com (201) 961-6403
- Doctors on Call

- **Rooming Requests**

- Electronic form will be distributed following spring break

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Vietnam Veterans Memorial Wall

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Vietnam
Women's Memorial

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Questions/Concerns



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