

HARRISON HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

2020 SPRING CHICAGO TRIP INFORMATION

- DATES:** March 18-22, 2020
Students will need to arrive at **5:00AM** for check-in procedures in the Orchestra Room. **BUSES LEAVE at 7:00AM.**
- TRIP FEES:** \$1100 per student for the Chicago Trip
All fees need to be paid in full by February 26th to Music Travel Consultants
- LODGING:** Crowne Plaza Chicago West Loop
25 S. Halsted Street
Chicago, IL 60661
- BUS LINE:** His Majesty Coach Lines
- CLINIC:** Chicago Symphony Hall with CSO Musician
- MEDICAL CARE:** If an illness or emergency arises that cannot be handled by the staff and/or chaperones, the student will be taken to the nearest emergency clinic or hospital. Complete the Medical History Permission and Release Form so we can reach you if needed.

ALL PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION MUST BE CHECKED IN WITH A CHAPERONE IN THE ORCHESTRA ROOM DURING THE 5:00AM CHECK-IN PRIOR TO OUR DEPARTURE AND WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AS PRESCRIBED. We want to make sure your prescription instructions are clearly understood. Prescription medication forms must be filled out for each prescription medication.

- WHAT TO BRING:** Instrument (To be left in assigned area of the Orchestra room on Tuesday, March 17th for packing on the bus), **IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to make sure your instrument is placed in the area for loading! BE SURE YOUR INSTRUMENT CASE HAS YOUR NAME ON IT.** Plan on bringing comfortable, WARM clothing. Think Layers: Hat, gloves, thermal underwear, sock liners or ski socks, glove liners, etc. Comfortable shoes, jeans, socks, toiletries; casual nice. (Pants suggested as it will be COLD!). Don't forget your inhaler and any medications. Mark all items with your name. One business casual outfit for going to the National Symphony. **Don't forget your inhaler and any medications. Mark all items with your name.**

- DO NOT BRING:** Expensive jewelry, valuables of any kind, gaming systems. Any items you bring will be at your own risk. Each room in the hotel has an iron, ironing board, alarm clock/radio and hair dryer. **The Harrison High School/Cobb County School District Dress Code will be strictly enforced.** If you can't/should not wear it to school, do not bring it on the trip!

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DAY OF THE PERFORMANCE:

The dress for the clinic will be **jeans and orchestra shirt.**

LUGGAGE LIMITS:

One **(1)** suitcase and one **(1)** **SMALL** carry on backpack or bag. **OPTIONAL:** a **small** cooler or insulated bag for drinks/snacks that will **fit under your bus seat.** All your bags should have a luggage tag with your name and the school's address. It's a long bus ride. Bring pillows and a blanket as the bus tends to get cold. **REMEMBER: You are responsible for carrying ALL of your own luggage and equipment. We will stop for lunch and dinner on our way to Chicago. Be sure to have sight-seeing comfortable clothing with you on the bus. You will NOT have access to your suitcase until we check-in at the hotel on Wednesday evening after dinner.**

MONEY:

Meals have been included in the cost of the trip. Since there is time in the trip allowed for shopping, **you may want to bring spending money.** Please refer to the detailed schedule for specific times/places. You are the best judge on how much money you will need for incidental expenses: snack/extra food and souvenirs. Room Charges are NOT permitted.

PHONE CALLS:

No outside phone calls from the hotel room phones. Calls to home or relatives are to be made from mobile devices.

SAFETY ISSUES:

1.) Each student will be given an Emergency Contacts with their chaperone names and numbers. They should keep this on their person for the entire time during the trip for emergency purposes.

2.) The following number of adults will be traveling with the students: 1 Director and 7 Chaperones. This is a 1:9 adult to student ratio.

3.) Bus seating will have same gender sign-ups as students will be sleeping overnight on the bus traveling from Chicago. Students are asked to sit in the **SAME SEAT EACH TIME THE BUSES LOAD.** This will assist us in identifying any missing students quickly.

4.) For the duration of the trip, **ALWAYS HAVE ALL OF YOUR BELONGINGS IN YOUR POSSESSION! DO NOT LEAVE ANYTHING LYING AROUND AND EXPECT IT TO BE THERE WHEN YOU RETURN!** Also, be sure your purses, backpacks, etc. are closed and close to your body. Wallets should be kept in front pockets to avoid pickpockets. There is a safe in each hotel room and we recommend students to leave their valuables in the safe.

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Packing List for Chicago:

- **Uniform**
Jeans and orchestra shirt
- **Business Casual Attire (not homecoming)**
Slacks, Khakis, dress shirt, dress, etc. for going to see the Symphony
- **Jacket, knit cap, gloves, warm clothing** for walking around outdoors in windy, rainy weather! Weather may be in the 30's so be prepared for the cold.
- **Rain Gear** – Ponchos, umbrella, etc.
- **Jeans, t-shirts, sweatshirts**
- **PJs** – bring something appropriate for anyone to see, in case of emergency and you need to go out of your room – must meet school dress code.
- **Walking shoes/boots, socks** – VERY IMPORTANT. We will be walking a lot and it will be cold.
- **Toiletries** (DEODORANT, shampoo, soap, toothbrush, toothpaste)
- **Snacks for bus ride** – no peanuts, tree nuts, or cinnamon please.
- **Book Bag/Pillow/Blanket for bus** – the bus can get COLD!
- **Cell phone with charger** – Please borrow a cell phone if you don't have one.
- **Instrument and Folding Stand**
- **Extra set of strings, rosin, rock stop-** have rosin, good bow hair! Strings that aren't old!
- **Medical Insurance Card**

Bring only **one (1) suitcase marked with your name in addition to your Harrison Orchestra luggage tag** and one (1) carry-on **marked with your name in addition to your instrument**. You are personally responsible for seeing that your instrument is loaded and **marked with your name**. Cellos and Bases will be assigned to individual students.

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HARRISON ORCHESTRA TRAVELING RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. This is a Cobb County field trip. All Cobb County Policies, Rules, and Regulations, as well as any and all additional Harrison High School rules apply. Students are expected to exemplify responsible behavior at all times. Trip participants represent their families, our community at Harrison, Cobb County, and the state of Georgia.
2. The possession and/or consumption of alcoholic beverages and use of illegal non-prescription drugs and/or smoking of any kind will not be tolerated and will cause immediate dismissal from the orchestra and the trip. In addition, law enforcement will be involved in determining any and all additional consequences as deemed necessary by the law.
3. Smoking and consuming chewing tobacco products will not be tolerated while on orchestra trips and will cause immediate dismissal from the orchestra and the trip.
4. Orchestra members will not be permitted in any other room than their own. No unauthorized persons will be allowed to visit at any time.
5. No boys are permitted on girls' floors or in girls' rooms. No girls are permitted on boys' floors or in boys' rooms.
6. Students are expected to behave at all times. You are representing Harrison High School, Kennesaw, Georgia, and your families. The Orchestra Director will deal with anyone deemed guilty of gross misbehavior.
7. Young adults DO NOT roughhouse or damage property. As Harrison High School Orchestra members you are not only a reflection of Harrison High School, but the community as well. Parents and students will be held responsible for paying for any property damage or lost room keys (where applicable).
8. **All** students are expected to participate in **all** orchestra activities at **all** times.
9. No food, glasses, silverware or dishes are to be taken from a meal service area to your room at any time.
10. Shirts, shoes, and other appropriate apparel are to be worn at all times.
11. Rooms are to be locked at all times.
12. Windows are to be closed and locked at all times.
13. There will be **NO** breaking in line at any eating facility.
14. Courtesy to others is expected at all times.
15. All school rules will be strictly enforced. Any infraction of these rules will be dealt with by the director and the school authorities.

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16. Extreme caution is advised with strangers. Do not leave our group. Never give out your room number. Do not go anywhere with strangers.
17. You must follow all instructions regarding activities. There will be NO swimming at any time.
18. All students should realize that for the duration of the trip, any personal desires, uniqueness of character, or other individualities must be considered secondary to the traits that facilitate large group control and management.
19. You are completely responsible for your belongings. Do not expect anyone else to unload or carry your baggage and/or equipment. Have all luggage and instruments clearly marked with your required baggage tag.
20. Under no circumstances will students be permitted to leave their designated area or bus except when with the entire group or at the discretion of the Director. Any students found leaving the premises without permission from the Director will be dealt with severely.
21. Profanity is NOT a part of the Harrison Orchestra Program. Make sure that your language is NEVER offensive at any time while in the orchestra.

**22. ORCHESTRA MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO BE
AT THE RIGHT PLACE,
AT THE RIGHT TIME,
IN THE RIGHT UNIFORM,
WITH ALL OF THE RIGHT EQUIPMENT - READY TO GO!**

23. The Orchestra Director reserves (at their discretion) the right to dismiss and send home (at parent's expense) any student who violates the rules and/or whose general conduct and attitude towards the trip and its participants is determined to be detrimental to the rest of the group.
24. All rules of conduct were written with the individual safety of each student & group decorum in mind. Every precaution will be taken to insure adequate supervision. Students are expected to comply with the requests of adult chaperones to ensure the safety and well being of everyone. Please stress this when discussing out-of-town trips with your son or daughter.

TOUR CONDITIONS

Harrison H.S. Orchestra

of

Kennesaw, Georgia

CHICAGO, IL

CSO Clinic

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Chicago Museums

Blue Man Group

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Per Person Occupancy Tour Prices

8 Chaperones in Twin Pay \$950

| Passengers | 70 | 65 | 75 | 80 |
|---------------|---------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Quad | \$1079 | \$1111 | \$1052 | \$1028 |
| Triple | \$1125 | \$1157 | \$1097 | \$1073 |
| Twin | \$1215 | \$1247 | \$1188 | \$1164 |
| Single | \$1488 | \$1519 | \$1460 | \$1436 |

The above tour prices are based on the total number of travelers and may vary depending on group size when prorated costs, such as motor coach, etc., are affected. Tour prices in this proposal are based on tariffs in effect as of **September 24, 2019** and are subject to change.

IMPORTANT NOTE: These Tour Prices were developed for individuals traveling with your group, as a group, on the trip described in this proposed itinerary. In cases where individual deviations from this group trip are requested, a **\$25.00** per person administrative charge will be levied.

Inclusions

- **Music Travel Consultants** escort throughout
- Roundtrip Motorcoach Transportation via chartered coaches
- Tolls, Taxes and Daily Maintenance Fees for Driver(s)
- (3) nights First Class Hotel Accommodations per the itinerary
- (12) Meals included; they will be a variety of buffet, fast food, plated and/or pre-selected menus per the itinerary. For variety and convenience, money will occasionally be given in lieu of a pre-determined restaurant.
- All Sightseeing & Special Events per the Itinerary
- Entrance Fees where necessary
- Taxes and Gratuities - As required for all included features
- Gratuities to Driver(s) and Local Guide(s) as necessary
- Trip Departure Briefing (if applicable)
- Customized Tour Itinerary & Baggage Tags
- All Operations & Planning Charges

Exclusions

Passport fees; baggage handling at airports & hotels; excess baggage charges; forwarding of baggage; items or services of a personal nature such as snacks, laundry, room service, telephone calls, pay TV, movies, cables, souvenirs or the like; gratuities to travel directors; any items or services not mentioned specifically in tour conditions.

Financial Considerations

| <u>Payment</u> | <u>Amount</u> | <u>Due Date</u> |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Non-refundable: Paid by Boosters | \$200.00 | September 6, 2019 |
| Deposit | \$250.00 | October 11, 2019 |
| Installment | \$250.00 | November 8, 2019 |
| Installment | \$250.00 | December 6, 2019 |
| Final Payment | Balance | February 26, 2020 |

Tour Planning commences upon receipt of deposit and signed Letter of Intent

Additional deposits may be required to secure specific events & items such as airline, cruise or rail travel, theatre/concert tickets, or to meet requirements set forth by specific hotel, restaurant, or attraction. Invoices for additional deposits will be issued 30 days following the receipt of the deposit and signed letter of intent.

Please Make Checks Payable To:

Music Travel Consultants

Cancellation Information

Cancellations are considered to be any change made to the passenger list. Cancellations must be made in writing. If received 61 days or more prior to departure, monies which can be retrieved from suppliers are refundable. **Cancellations received 60 days up to and including day of departure are non-refundable unless a substitution is made.** If this tour includes airfare, cancellations and/or substitutions policies vary by airline, date of ticketing and group contracts. Please contact Music Travel Consultants for additional information. Travel and Cancellation Insurance is HIGHLY Recommended. Music Travel Consultants will make available to each tour participant a summary of insurance benefits and coverages along with an application to purchase optional tour member travel insurance.

Responsibility

Music Travel Consultants, ("Agent") acts only as Agent in providing means of transportation or other services. All tickets are issued and all other services are offered or provided subject to any and all terms and conditions under which such means of transportation or other services are offered or provided. The issuance and acceptance of such services shall be deemed to be consent to the further condition that Music Travel Consultants shall not be or become liable or responsible in any way in connection with such means of transportation or in connection with other services, or for any loss, injury or damage to or in respect of any person or property howsoever caused or arising. The airlines and motor coaches and ships concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not aboard the airline or motor coach or ship. Agent reserves the right to alter the itinerary. Any extra charges arising from such change must be met by the Passenger. Agent reserves the right to cancel the tour or to remove any Passenger from the tour; its sole liability in such instance being the refund of all monies paid to it for unused services. By acceptance of tour membership, Passenger agrees to the foregoing and also agrees that Agent shall not become liable or responsible for loss, damage, injury or inconvenience to Passenger and to his/her possessions caused by or resulting from occurrences, negligent or otherwise, due to the malfunction or breakdown of machinery or equipment, strikes or labor disputes, acts of God, war or civil strife, acts of Governments or Civil Authorities, disease, delays, fire, theft, weather, itinerary changes or cancellation of services or default by suppliers.



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Wednesday, March 18

TRAVEL DAY

DEPART

Welcome aboard your charter coach this morning as you depart for Chicago, IL. Your Music Travel Consultants tour director will meet you at your school to assist with boarding and will remain with you for the duration of your trip. Bring along snacks for the ride and for added comfort, also bring a pillow and blanket.

LUNCH AT OPRY MILLS MALL

Meal money will be provided to purchase lunch in the mall food court. (\$15)

This Nashville, TN huge complex features outlet, discount and specialty retailers, themed restaurants and entertainment venues in an energetic and exciting environment.

GOLDEN CORRAL-MERRILLVILLE IN

Sit down to a dinner buffet. There is a variety of salads, entrees, desserts and beverages to choose from!

HOTEL CHECK-IN

Settle in at your host hotel and get plenty of rest for your big day tomorrow!

Crowne Plaza Chicago West Loop
25 S. Halsted Street
Chicago, IL 60661

Thursday, March 19

CSO CLINIC/BLUE MAN GROUP

BREAKFAST AT THE HOTEL

Breakfast will be provided at your hotel this morning.

CSO CLINIC

Participate in an exciting clinic lead by a professional musician from one of the world's leading orchestras.

SYMPHONY HALL TOUR

Explore the back stage and historic interior of Symphony Hall. Hear about the colorful history of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra and its celebrated home.

FIELD MUSEUM

Visit one of the world's four greatest natural history museums, alive with ideas, knowledge and discovery. Founded in 1893, the museum houses over 19 million artifacts and specimens drawn from the fields of anthropology, botany, geology and zoology.

LUNCH AT THE MUSEUM

Meal money will be provided to purchase lunch at your leisure. (\$20)

PERFORMANCE

This afternoon the Harrison High School Orchestra will entertain museum patrons in the Field Museum of Natural History Great Hall.

ARRIVE AT HOTEL

Return to the hotel to store your instruments and change into casual attire.

HARD ROCK CAFE

Pump up the octane with a meal at this high-energy, rockin' home of classic American food! One-of-a-kind rock and roll memorabilia, souvenirs, good music and delicious food make this a great experience.

BLUE MAN GROUP

This multi-sensory experience combines percussive music, vaudeville, theatre, art and science into a unique form of entertainment only these three bald, blue, mute men can provide. The show is performance art featuring a special kind of nonsense. Family-oriented, hilarious and highly energetic, Blue Man Group will make you think and laugh with thought-provoking satire on modern life and by breaking live theater's "fourth wall," always at the audience's expense.

Friday, March 20

VIOLIN SHOP TOUR/CSO CONCERT

BREAKFAST AT THE HOTEL

Breakfast will be provided at your hotel this morning.

VIOLIN SHOP TOUR

For over thirty-five years William Harris Lee & Company has been a fixture of the Fine Arts Building on south Michigan Avenue in downtown Chicago, just two blocks south of Orchestra Hall and the Art Institute. Enjoy a tour of the workshop where you can see fine string instruments being crafted in the centuries old tradition. [Subject to availability]

ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO

One of the world's leading museums displays art from over forty centuries of civilization. The scope of the collection ranges from ancient Chinese bronzes to Rembrandt to contemporary photography. Renovated Galleries of European Art also feature works by such masters as Degas, Monet and Renoir.

LUNCH

Meal money will be provided to purchase lunch at your convenience. (\$20)

CLOUD GATE

Millennium Park is one of the most significant public projects in the world and a blueprint for future urban parks. See the most technologically advanced outdoor concert venue anywhere (the Frank Gehry-designed Pritzker Music Pavilion), view the 1,000 faces of Chicago at Spanish artist Jaume Plensa's Crown Fountain with its cool 50-foot video towers, stroll the lovely, contemporary Lurie Garden and interact with one of the planet's largest sculptures - British sculptor Anish Kapoor's "Cloud Gate" aka "The Bean".

CHICAGO SKYDECK

Hit a high note! Your ears will pop as you zoom up the Willis Tower (formerly Sears) to the high-tech observation Skydeck on the 103rd floor—1,353 feet above the street! A bird's-eye view gives you the lay of the land and the lake from the nation's tallest building! The newest feature is The Ledge - glass boxes extended out 4.3 feet from the building on the 103rd floor, affording the daring a 360 degree view of the city!

FRESHEN UP AT HOTEL

Return to your hotel to freshen up and dress for tonight's activities.

EXCHEQUER RESTAURANT

The family-owned-and-operated Exchequer Restaurant and Pub has been serving delicious pizza in the Chicago Loop since 1969 and features over 500 pieces of great memorabilia on its walls. Dine while appreciating historical newspapers, photos, and posters decking the walls. In other words, the whole experience is a treat for your eyes and a feast for your belly!

CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Now celebrating its 128th season, the Chicago Symphony Orchestra is consistently hailed as one of the world's leading orchestras. In September 2010, renowned Italian conductor Riccardo Muti became its tenth music director. His vision for the Orchestra—to deepen its engagement with the Chicago community, to nurture its legacy while supporting a new generation of musicians, and to collaborate with visionary artists—signals a new era for the institution.

A committed advocate of the music of his homeland, Russian conductor Valery Gergiev returns to the CSO in one of Shostakovich's most celebrated symphonies. Completed in 1941, while Leningrad was under siege by the German army, it is a monumental work of shattering power and unwavering resistance. "Gergiev's approach to Shostakovich's symphony proved gripping, driving the big moments home thrillingly" (The New York Times).

PROGRAM

Shostakovich Symphony No. 7 (Leningrad)

PERFORMERS

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Valery Gergiev conductor

Saturday, March 21

MSI/MAGNIFICENT MILE/CRUISE

BREAKFAST AT THE HOTEL

Breakfast will be provided at your hotel prior to check-out.

MUSEUM OF SCIENCE & INDUSTRY

Visit the world's most popular museum where you can push buttons to play computer games and view the Apollo 8 Space Ship. As up-to-date as tomorrow, the light and sound displays will amaze you!

LUNCH AT THE MUSEUM

Meal money will be provided to purchase lunch at your leisure in the museum food court. (\$20)

MAGNIFICENT MILE

It doesn't get any better than the Windy City's North Michigan Avenue when it comes to shopping. From Water Tower Place, to Bloomingdale's, Neiman Marcus, Crate & Barrel, H & M and Nike, the choices are many. And don't bypass Ghirardelli Chocolates or Garrett's Popcorn! If it's got a name or a logo, you can find it here!

NAVY PIER

A Chicago landmark since 1916, this 50-acre world-class recreation center reopened in 1995. Its beautiful lakeside setting is a sight in itself! Restaurants, shops, a musical carousel, a giant Ferris wheel, an IMAX Theatre and a variety of entertainment make Navy Pier a fun place to be!

DINNER/DANCE CRUISE

Enjoy a cruise along the Chicago River and Lake Michigan aboard a sleek, yacht-like cruise vessel, complete with great food and plenty of dancing!

After the festivities, board your coach for the overnight ride home.

Sunday, March 22

RETURN TRAVEL DAY

ARRIVE AT HARRISON H.S.

Welcome home late this morning after an exciting and memorable experience in the Windy City with your Harrison High School Orchestra family!

STUDENT DELUXE

GROUP TRAVEL PROTECTION

SCHEDULE OF INSURANCE COVERAGE AND OTHER NON-INSURANCE SERVICES

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| Trip Cancellation** | Trip Cost* |
| Trip Interruption** | 150% of Trip Cost* |
| Travel Delay – 6 hours | \$750 (\$150/day) |
| Missed Connection – 3 hours | \$500 |
| Baggage/Personal Effects | \$1,500 |
| Baggage Delay – 24 hours | \$300 |
| Non-Medical Emergency Evacuation | \$150,000 |
| Accident & Sickness Medical Expense | \$25,000 |
| Emergency Evacuation & Repatriation | \$100,000 |
| Cancel for Any Reason (CFAR)*** | Optional |
| Non-Insurance Worldwide Emergency Assistance Services | Included |

Coverages may vary and not all coverage is available in all jurisdictions.

* Up to the lesser of the Trip Cost paid or the limit of Coverage for which benefits are requested and the appropriate plan cost has been paid. Maximum limit of \$10,000

** For \$0 Trip Cost, there is no Trip Cancellation and Trip Interruption is limited to \$500 return air only

*** CFAR coverage is 75% of the nonrefundable trip cost. CFAR is optional and available for individuals or your entire group. Trip cancellation must be 48 hours or more prior to scheduled departure. CFAR must be purchased at the time of plan purchase and with or prior to your final trip payment. **This benefit is not available to residents of New York State.**

PER PERSON RATES

| Cost of Trip | Rates | With CFAR* | Cost of Trip | Rates | With CFAR* |
|-------------------|-------|---------------|--------------------|-------|---------------|
| \$0 | \$7 | N/A | \$4,001 - \$4,500 | \$121 | \$181.50 |
| \$1 - \$200 | \$12 | \$18.00 | \$4,501 - \$5,000 | \$135 | \$202.50 |
| \$201 - \$400 | \$17 | \$25.50 | \$5,001 - \$5,500 | \$149 | \$223.50 |
| \$401 - \$600 | \$21 | \$31.50 | \$5,501 - \$6,000 | \$163 | \$244.50 |
| \$601 - \$800 | \$25 | \$37.50 | \$6,001 - \$6,500 | \$177 | \$265.50 |
| \$801 - \$1,000 | \$30 | \$45.00 | \$6,501 - \$7,000 | \$190 | \$285.00 |
| \$1,001 - \$1,500 | \$41 | \$61.50 | \$7,001 - \$7,500 | \$204 | \$306.00 |
| \$1,501 - \$2,000 | \$54 | \$81.00 | \$7,501 - \$8,000 | \$218 | \$327.00 |
| \$2,001 - \$2,500 | \$68 | \$102.00 | \$8,001 - \$8,500 | \$233 | \$349.50 |
| \$2,501 - \$3,000 | \$81 | \$121.50 | \$8,501 - \$9,000 | \$247 | \$370.50 |
| \$3,001 - \$3,500 | \$94 | \$141.00 | \$9,001 - \$10,000 | \$261 | \$391.50 |
| \$3,501 - \$4,000 | \$108 | \$162.00 | | | |

The above rates are for trips up to 30 days – for each day over 30 add \$3.00 per person per day.

*Cancel For Any Reason (CFAR) benefit not available to residents of New York State

All of the above rates are for the plan which includes insurance and non-insurance services.



**TRAVEL INSURED
INTERNATIONAL**
A CRUM & FORSTER COMPANY



PAYMENT INFO:

To purchase the Travel Insured Student Deluxe Protection Plan with or without Cancel for Any Reason, please see your travel leader for the group specific link.

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GENERAL LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

Insurance benefits are not payable for any loss due to, arising or resulting from: 1. suicide, attempted suicide or any intentionally self-inflicted injury of You, a Traveling Companion, Family Member or Business Partner booked to travel with You, while sane or insane; 2. an act of declared or undeclared war; 3. participating in maneuvers or training exercises of an armed service, except while participating in weekend or summer training for the reserve forces of the United States, including the National Guard; 4. riding or driving in races, or speed or endurance competitions or events; 5. mountaineering (engaging in the sport of scaling mountains generally requiring the use of picks, ropes, or other special equipment); 6. participating in skydiving or parachuting, hang gliding or bungee cord jumping; 7. piloting or learning to pilot or acting as a member of the crew of any aircraft; 8. being Intoxicated, or under the influence of any controlled substance unless as administered or prescribed by a Legally Qualified Physician; 9. the commission of or attempt to commit a felony or being engaged in an illegal occupation; 10. normal childbirth or pregnancy (except Complications of Pregnancy) or voluntarily induced abortion; 11. dental treatment (except as coverage is otherwise specifically provided); 12. amounts which exceed the Maximum Benefit Amount for each coverage as shown in the Schedule of Benefits; 13. due to a Pre-Existing Condition, as defined in the Policy. The Pre-Existing Condition Limitation does not apply to the Emergency Medical Evacuation or return of remains coverage; 14. medical treatment during or arising from a Trip undertaken for the purpose or intent of securing medical treatment; 15. a mental or nervous condition, unless hospitalized for that condition while the Policy is in effect for You; 16. due to loss or damage (including death or injury) and any associated cost or expense resulting directly from the discharge, explosion or use of any device, weapon or material employing or involving chemical, biological, radiological or similar agents, whether in time of peace or war, and regardless of who commits the act and regardless of any other sequence thereto.

The following limitation applies to Trip Cancellation: All cancellations must be reported directly to the Travel Supplier within 72 hours of the event causing the need to cancel, unless the event prevents it, and then as soon as is reasonably possible. If the cancellation is not reported within the specified 72 hour period, the Company will not pay for additional charges, which would not have been incurred had You notified the Travel Supplier in the specified period. If the event prevents You from reporting the cancellation, the 72-hour notice requirement does not apply; however, You must, if requested, provide proof that said event prevented him or her from reporting the cancellation within the specified period.

Additional Limitations and Exclusions Specific to Baggage and Personal Effects: Benefits are not payable for any loss caused by or resulting from: breakage of brittle or fragile articles; wear and tear or gradual deterioration; confiscation or appropriation by order of any government or custom's rule; theft or pilferage while left in any unlocked or unattended vehicle; property illegally acquired, kept, stored or transported; Your negligent acts or omissions; or property shipped as freight or shipped prior to the Scheduled Departure Date; or electrical current, including electric arcing that damages or destroys electrical devices or appliances.

Cancel For Any Reason Protection: Optional Coverage applies only when requested on the application and the appropriate additional plan cost has been paid. CFAR must be purchased at the time of plan purchase and with or prior to your final trip payment. If You purchase the Cancel For Any Reason protection and You cancel Your Trip for any reason not otherwise covered by this plan, the Insurer will reimburse You for up to 75% of the prepaid, forfeited, non-refundable payments or deposits You paid for Your Trip provided You cancel Your Trip more than 48 hours prior to Your Scheduled Departure Date. **This benefit is not available to residents of New York State.**

Purchase up to final Trip Payment for Pre-Existing Condition Waiver!

The Pre-Existing Condition Exclusion will be waived if the protection plan is purchased before final trip payment for the trip, for the full non-refundable cost of the trip and the booking for the covered trip is the first and only booking for this travel period and you are not disabled from travel at the time you pay the premium.

PLEASE REFER TO THE PLAN DOCUMENTS FOR A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF COVERAGE.

This document contains highlights of the plan. The plan contains insurance benefits underwritten by the United States Fire Insurance Company. C&F and Crum & Forster are registered trademarks of United States Fire Insurance Company. The Crum & Forster group of companies is rated A (Excellent) by AM Best Company 2016. The plan also contains non-insurance Travel Assistance Services that are provided by an independent organization, and not by United States Fire Insurance Company or Travel Insured International. Coverages may vary and not all coverage is available in all jurisdictions.

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**TRIP ITINERARY
DRAFT
Chicago, IL
March 18-22, 2020**

Wednesday March 18, 2020 (TRAVEL DAY)

Plan on having comfortable clothes with you on the bus. You won't see your suit case until the evening after dinner.

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| 5:00 am | Report time to Orchestra Room and Check-In |
| 7:00 am | Depart Harrison HS for Chicago, IL |
| 12:00 pm | Lunch at Opry Mills in Nashville, TN |
| 1:00 pm | Depart for Merrville, IN |
| 8:00pm | Dinner at Golden Corrale in Merrville, IN |
| 9:00 pm | Depart for Chicago |
| 10:00 pm | Arrive at: Crowne Plaza Chicago West Loop 25 S. Halsted Street Chicago, IL 60661 |
| 11:00 pm | Room Check & LIGHTS OUT |

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2020 SPRING CHICAGO TRIP INFORMATION

Thursday March 19, 2020 (CSO Clinic/Blue Man Group)

Dress in performance clothes and bring change of clothes

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| 6:30 am | Chaperones Wake Up Rooms |
| 7:00 am | Breakfast at Hotel |
| 8:00 am | Depart for Chicago Symphony Hall |
| 8:30 am | Arrive at Chicago Symphony Hall |
| 9:00 am | Clinic with CSO Musician and Tour of Symphony Hall |
| 11:00 am | Depart for Field Museum |
| 11:30 am | Arrive at Field Museum |
| 12:00 pm | Performance (TBD) |
| 12:30 pm | Lunch On Your Own |
| 3:30 pm | Depart for Hotel Change for Dinner and Blue Man Group |
| 5:00 pm | Depart for Hard Rock Cafe |
| 5:30 pm | Dinner at Hard Rock Cafe |
| 7:00 pm | Depart for Briar Street Theatre |
| 7:20 pm | Arrive at Briar Street Theatre |
| 8:00 pm | Blue Man Group |
| 9:30 pm | Depart for Hotel |
| 11:00 pm | Room Check & Lights Out! |

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2020 SPRING CHICAGO TRIP INFORMATION

Friday March 20, 2020 (Violin Shop Tour/Chicago Symphony Concert)

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| 6:30 am | Chaperones Wake-up Rooms |
| 7:00 am | Breakfast at Hotel |
| 8:00 am | Depart for Williams Harris Lee, Co. |
| 10:00 am | Depart for Art Institute of Chicago / Cloud Gate |
| 11:30 am | Lunch On Your Own |
| 3:00 pm | Depart for Chicago Skydeck at Willis Tower |
| 4:00 pm | Depart for Hotel Freshen up/Dress for Dinner and Symphony Concert |
| 5:30 pm | Depart for Exchequer Restaurant |
| 7:00 pm | Depart for Chicago Symphony Hall |
| 8:00 pm | Chicago Symphony Orchestra Performance |
| 9:30 pm | Bus Pick-up to the Hotel |
| 11:00 pm | Room Check & Lights Out! |

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Saturday March 21, 2020 (MSI/Magnificent Mile/Cruise)

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| 6:30 am | Chaperones Wake-up Rooms |
| 7:00 am | Breakfast at Hotel |
| 8:00 am | Depart for Museum of Science & Industry |
| 12:00 pm | Lunch at Museum |
| 1:00 pm | Magnificent Mile |
| 4:00 pm | Explore Navy Pier |
| 6:00 pm | Dinner/Dance Cruise |
| 9:00 pm | Depart for Harrison High School |
| 11:30 pm | Lights Out on Bus! |

Sunday March 22, 2020 (TRAVEL DAY)

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| 10:00 am | Arrive at Harrison High School |
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**HARRISON HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA
2020 SPRING CHICAGO TRIP INFORMATION**

Student/ Parent Consent Form

I have read the trip packet for the 2020 Spring Chicago Trip. I understand the trip requirements, expectations, and rules regarding behavior. I am aware that should an incident occur deemed by the orchestra director severe enough that it warrants sending my child home, I am responsible for all transportation (including air fare) for my child and an accompanying chaperone. I am also aware that **NO REFUND** will be given if my child is removed due to a Cobb County School District policy being broken. Any student enrolled in the full-year of orchestra class is eligible. Students must be currently active in the program when the trip occurs and must be in good standing with the school and organization. Students must maintain exemplary grades and conduct throughout the school year to be permitted to participate in this event. Because the deposits are due early, ***and non-refundable***, it is imperative that the students maintain excellent discipline and grades throughout the year.

ALL SCHOOL RULES ARE IN EFFECT FROM THE TIME YOUR CHILD LEAVES HARRISON UNTIL THEY RETURN FROM THE TRIP.

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE IN OVERNIGHT FIELD TRIP

This permission form has been signed only after understanding and considering the following:

1. Trip Planned: Orchestra Trip to Chicago, IL on March 18-22
2. Purpose(s) of Trip: Observing and working with members of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra in a Clinic setting.
Observing the process of making instruments from William Harris Lee, Co. Violin Shop.
3. Supervision: 1 Teacher and 7 Chaperones
4. Transportation: His Majesty Coach Buses
5. Requirements: See Chicago Trip Packet for details.
6. Expectation and See Chicago Trip Packet for details.

Instructions:

Student Information

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ Home Phone: _____

In case of emergency, notify: _____ Phone: _____

Insurance Information

Company Providing Insurance: _____ Policy Number: _____

Name of Insured: _____ Group Number: _____

Medical Information

Family Physician: _____ **Phone:** _____

Immunizations: _____

Does the student need to take medication? ☐ Yes ☐ No If so, what medication? _____

Previous operations or serious illnesses: _____

Special medical conditions: _____

Allergies? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please identify allergy: ☐ Medication ☐ Food ☐ Stinging Insects ☐ Other

Please identify: _____

Dietary Restrictions: _____

Release

I understand the above expectations/special instructions and acknowledge that my child is expected to comply with them. Further, I have instructed my child to comply with them as well as other directions given by trip supervisors.

The District does have an indemnity plan pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 20-2-1090 that may or may not apply relative to the trip. Even if the plan covers some or all of the trip, the coverage amounts may not cover all injuries. I understand that as a parent I have the option of, and am encouraged to, purchase student insurance coverage either through the student accident insurance offered by the District or through my own insurance carrier.

I (Parent/Guardian Name-PLEASE PRINT): _____ acknowledge that participation in the field trip described above is not mandatory and that a quality alternative instructional experience will be provided to those students choosing not to participate.

If any emergency medical procedures or treatment are required during the trip, I consent to the trip supervisor(s) taking, arranging for or consenting to the procedures or treatment in his/her or their discretion.

I agree to release, indemnify, and hold harmless or reimburse the Cobb County School District (District), its Board of Education, and its members, employees, agents, representatives, successors or assignees, as well as its approved adult trip supervisors ("District Indemnitees") from and forever promise not to sue them on any and all claims, demands, rights, causes of action, liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees), whether known or unknown, that I, any other parent or guardian of the above-named student, the student or any other successor or assignee may have or may allege to have against the District Indemnitees or which may be brought against the District Indemnitees arising out of or in any manner relating to the student's participation in the field trips, including but not limited any losses, damages or injuries or to the rendering of emergency medical procedures or treatment.

NOTE: This form must be signed by student if the student is 18 years of age or older.

Name of Parent/Guardian (PLEASE PRINT)

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date