# SPRING 2026 NEW YORK CITY

# Parents and Students,

This letter is to inform you of our upcoming plans for the orchestra program participating in the Spring Trip on March 26-29, 2026. An important part of a student's Music Education includes cultural experiences and performance opportunities that will provide both personal and musical growth. We are making plans to travel to New York City in order to observe the New York Philharmonic and participate in a workshop with a member of the New York Philharmonic. In addition, students will experience a tour New York City.

### The Trip Includes:

## New York City, NY

- Depart on March 26<sup>th</sup> for New York City. Return Saturday Night March 29<sup>th</sup>.
- Workshop with a member of the New York Philharmonic
- Ticket to the New York Philharmonic Performing Enigma Variations and the Bruch Violin Concerto
- Broadway Show
- Tour Lincoln Center Performing Arts
- Visit/explore the 9/11 Memorial Park, Trinity Church, The Wall Street Bull
- 3 Nights at the A-Loft Meadowlands hotel (Student rooms will consist of 4 per hotel room).
- Walking/Riding City Tour with Guide (Rockefeller Center, Central Park, 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Grand Central Terminal, Chinatown)
- Admission to Summit One Vanderbilt
- Dinner at Johns Pizza, House of Joy, and Havannas
- Group Photo in Time Square
- Charter Transportation while in New York
- Roundtrip Airfare from Atlanta, GA to New York, NY

## Who is eligible to participate in the trip?

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. I am aware that should an incident occur deemed by the director severe enough that it warrants sending my child home, I (the parent) am responsible for all transportation (including air craft fare) for my child. I am also aware that **NO REFUND** will be given if my child is removed due to a Cobb County School Board policy being broken. This unique educational opportunity will be a memorable experience for all involved. Students must maintain exemplary grades and conduct throughout the school year to be permitted to participate in this event. It is imperative that the students maintain excellent discipline and grades throughout the year.

### What is the cost?

The cost is currently estimated at \$1850 per student. Enrichment Fees are expected to be paid prior to making trip payments.

Sincerely,

Koji Mori Director of Orchestras

