

# ORLANDO, FL “DISNEY” TRIP 2019

## STUDENT COMMITMENT FORM

The Piscataway High School Band will be participating in a trip to Disney World in Orlando, FL. from Apr. 9- 14, 2019. While we hope your child will be able to attend, participation in this trip is on a volunteer basis.

The marching band will be performing in a parade as part of “Performing Arts On Stage” in Disney. Some of the other highlights of the trip tentatively include:

- Hotel stay at Springhill Suites Lake Buena Vista at Marriott Village, or similar.
- Charter coaches for the entire trip.
- Disney’s Performing Arts Workshops: “You’re Instrumental” & “Auxiliration.”
- 4-Day Disney Park Ticket.
- Tour Escort and security guards at hotel.
- 9 Meals including 4 breakfasts, 4 Disney Meal Vouchers, and 1 Dinner.

The total cost of the trip will be approx. **\$1175** for students and **\$900** for chaperones. Any adjustments to this figure will be made in the final payment. Below is a payment schedule, which must be adhered to due to our financial deadlines to the tour company. Attached you will find a commitment form which **must** be handed in by the due date, along with the first payment. Also included in this packet are payment coupons that must be completed and submitted with **EVERY payment**.(extra copies of the coupons can be found on our website). This includes withdrawals from student accounts. **If you are planning on using your BPA student acct., you must FIRST, verify with the treasurer that you have enough money in the acct.**

We will be bringing approx. 10 chaperones with us. Any parents interested in chaperoning will be accepted on a first come first serve basis, however involvement with the BPA will take priority. We will accept your deposit at the same time as the students.

### Trip Payment Schedule

**All payments must be made on or before the dates listed below!!!**

	<u>STUDENTS</u>	<u>CHAPERONES</u>
Oct. 19, 2018	<b>250.00</b>	200.00
Nov. 16, 2018	<b>250.00</b>	200.00
Dec. 14, 2018	<b>225.00</b>	200.00
Jan. 18, 2019	<b>225.00</b>	200.00
Feb. 22, 2019	<b>225.00</b> (subject to change)	100.00 (subject to change)
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$1175.00*</b>	<b>\$900.00*</b>

\* **Note:** Price is not yet final, and may be adjusted. \$100 - \$150 additional is recommended for meals/souvenirs. Students may fund-raise up to \$100 beyond the cost of the trip for spending money, which will be given to them in cash upon departure for Orlando. Fund raising credits may be used for both student and chaperone payments. These credits are non-refundable and revert to the parent organization’s treasuries, post graduation.

**(MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO “PHS”)  
ALL PAYMENTS MUST BE DELIVERED TO DR. SUMNER  
WITH THE PAYMENT COUPON!!!!**

Please be advised that the cost per person is based on the total number of people going. If this number changes after the initial deposit, it will affect the cost of the trip. For this reason, there may be additional reductions in the refund if you pull out after signing the commitment form. In addition, the following is the refund policy as stated by our tour agency.

*In consideration of non-refundable payments made by the tour company to tour operators, land operators, and other agents associated with travel and/or festival arrangements, accommodations and /or services, the following will apply:*

- Cancellations received from 45 – 30 days prior to your departure date will be charged a \$50.00 per person cancellation fee plus any cancellation charged levied by the various tour operators.
- Cancellations received from 29 – 15 days prior to the departure date will be charged a \$75.00 per person cancellation fee plus any charges levied by the various tour operators.
- Cancellations received from 14 days or less prior to the departure date will receive absolutely NO refunds.

Information regarding “trip insurance” will be available at a later date. If interested, please contact Dr. Sumner (x2258) for the information. This insurance would be done on an individual basis between you and the insurance company. Please read the information carefully. There are very specific items that are covered, and not covered.

All questions regarding the trip should be forwarded to Dr. Sumner at:

Sumner - 732-981-0700 Ext. 2258 or [csumner@pway.org](mailto:csumner@pway.org)

**PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT EVERY STUDENT THAT IS GOING ON THE TRIP, AND AT LEAST ONE PARENT/GUARDIAN IS REQUIRED TO ATTEND A MANDATORY TRIP MEETING ON MONDAY, APRIL 8 AT 7PM IN G100.**

*This form and payment **MUST** be returned to Dr. Sumner by **Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup>**, with the first deposit of \$250.00.*

***Please be advised that participation in the trip is on a first come first serve basis. There will be a “cap” for both students and chaperones. Forms and payments handed in after this date and without prior communication, may not be honored.***

**STUDENT COMMITMENT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ understand that the cost of the trip to Orlando, FL. will be approximately \$ 1175, and I will work hard to learn all my music to be ready for the performances. I understand that my academic and disciplinary record can impact my participation in the trip. I will attend ALL rehearsals. I understand that poor quiz grades may result in my being omitted from the trip performance. The quizzes will show that I can perform all of the selections that will be performed on the trip. I understand that a commitment to the trip is a commitment to either fund-raise or direct deposit the full cost of the trip, and that if I choose to withdraw from the trip at a later date, I will still be responsible for some if not all of the cost, depending on date of withdraw.

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STUDENT SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

**PARENTAL COMMITMENT/APPROVAL**

I/We give our consent for our son/daughter to go on the trip to Orlando, FL. I/We fully understand the financial responsibility of this trip and will make certain that either through payments or fundraising that the cost of the trip, approximately \$ 1175, will be paid in full as per the payment schedule. I/We will be supportive whenever and wherever possible and will do all we can to make certain that our son/daughter will be present for all rehearsals in preparation for the trip. I/we will also help support the parent organizations. I understand that a commitment to the trip is a commitment to either fund-raise or direct deposit the full cost of the trip prior to departure, and that if my child chooses to withdraw from the trip at a later date, I will still be responsible for some if not all of the cost, depending on date of withdraw.

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