



**HOME OF THE RAVENS**

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## Northpoint Expeditionary Learning Academy Travel Document

Basic Information and History	
<b>Place</b>	New Orleans, Louisiana
<b>Travel Dates</b>	December 5th through 16th, 2022
<b>Educational Justification</b>	<p>Student experiences in New Orleans will be unique and leave lifelong impressions upon each student. Our this service trip to New Orleans will put students into a foreign environment from which they will be able to develop social, communicative and leadership skills. Each student will learn the importance of taking responsibility for their actions and effectively collaborating with the people around them. This will be demonstrated through community service work and other social activities. Developing skills such as these prior to adulthood is critical in the modern age. Students should be given every opportunity possible to learn humility, develop strong relationships through service and giving back and leadership skills.</p> <p>Northpoint's academic calendar allows an unusual opportunity for travel within the frame of the regular school year. Because the students for this trip are my only students for that period of time, no substitute coverage is needed.</p>
<b>Lodging</b>	Our group will be staying at the The International Shrine of St. Jude. Located in the French Quarter / and/or Camp Hope in the Lower 9th Ward
<b>Food</b>	St Jude's and/or Camp Hope will provide us with our meals during our stay in New Orleans.
	Food cost is included in the budget.
	Students will be financially responsible for any other meals, snacks, etc. they wish to purchase during travel. We will have peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, water and granola bars available in transit.
<b>Activities and Events</b>	<p>Service Opportunities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 day with Volunteer America working with gifts for families</li> <li>1-2 day at the Zion Church L9 resilient</li> <li>1 day at Camp Hope</li> <li>1 day at Youth serve</li> </ul>

	Service with Lower 9th Ward Market: Burnell Cotlon		
	Cultural / Outdoor experiences include: Swamp Tour - TBD (depending on budget) Ghost Tour Day Trip to Audubon Nature Institute Luna Fette College visit Other optional activities: Art show - Water is life, Music shows Daily Journaling about their experiences.		
<b>Emergency Contacts</b>			
Liz Romberger	928-978-1762		
Megan Meyers	928-642-4649		
<b>Danielle Driscoll</b>			
<b>Budget</b>			
<b>Costs</b>	<b>Fee</b>	<b>Participants</b>	<b>Total</b>
Fuel (1-2 vans) *Depending on participants 1- 15 passenger van w/ trailer or 2- 12 passenger vans.	\$2000	18	\$133
Room & Board / Food	\$18 6 nights x 21w/ adults	18	\$130
	\$40 @ 4 nights x21w/ adults	18	\$12
Hotels en route	\$65/night x 5 rooms, 2 nights	18	\$36
Fees to parks, museums, attractions	<b>\$ audubon/aquarium</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>\$25</b>
	\$185-ghost tour		\$12
	\$185-vampire		\$12
	\$185 - Cemetery tour		\$12
	\$300 - Celebration in the Oaks		\$10
	<b>\$20 x 33 - swamp tour</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>\$25</b>
Misc./Emergency/ Parking (\$250)	\$700	18	\$50

Petty Cash -Tips -Parking -Places that only take cash.	\$100.00 in smaller bills.	18	\$6
Senior Souvenir	\$300.00	18	\$20
<b>Total:</b>			\$
<b>Total Per-Pupil Cost:</b>			505
Off Set from Group fundraising Total raised: -\$15 (TBD)			-\$15
Off Set from Individual fundraising: \$50 - \$15			*
<b>Total Cost for Student:</b>			\$500. or less with fundraising.

### Budget Analysis

Intensives are vital to the success of the Expeditionary Learning model of education. This experience costs the **school no additional fees.** Most of the cost of this trip is offset by staff working extra hours and by the cost saving opportunities from various fundraisers.

### Fundraiser Ideas.

Dress downs for both Middle and High School.

Dress downs- Thursday, September 22nd. Mardi Gras themed!  
\$2.00 for wearing green, purple and yellow.  
\$3.00 for wearing non-Northpoint, appropriate school clothing.

Dress downs- Halloween, Things that go bump in the night- Dress down for Monday, October 31st.  
\$2.00 School Appropriate Halloween Costumes- No masks or weapons.  
\$3.00 for wearing non-Northpoint, appropriate school clothing.

Boo Grams for Halloween -Advertised the whole month of October for Boo Grams that will be handed out during crew on Halloween. Monday, October 31st.  
\$3.00  
Candy and other Halloween goodies.  
Write a spooky note to your best Ghoul or Boo!  
\*make 60 total once we are sold out, we are sold out.

\*Seniors will be handing out the Boo Grams during crew on Monday, October 31st.

Chipotle  
Paint Night

**Crew Meeting for all seniors Wednesday, September 7th at 12:30**

Permission slips out at the end of the meeting and email out to parents.

Permission slip and Down Payment- \$150.00 due by Tuesday, September 20th.

Next payment due: October 6th \$150

Next payment due: October 27th \$150

Final payment due: (pending fundraising) November 17th ~\$100