

Nashville Trip - Additional Details

Final Nashville Payment - Tuesday, March 5th

All payments for Nashville need to be submitted by March 5th. Please log in to your Bob Rogers IPS account (this is the website where you registered for the trip) and make sure that all payments are current. If a payment needs to be delayed, please notify Bob Rogers as soon as possible. If payments are not submitted, the participant will not be allowed on the trip.

Luggage Check - Friday, March 22nd, starting @ 2:30pm in the choir room

All students attending the Nashville Trip will need to bring in their luggage on Friday, March 22nd to the choir room, starting at 2:30pm. The luggage will be checked thoroughly to make sure that all items are acceptable for the trip. Please do not bring your carry on bag, as that will be checked prior to students boarding the bus.

This will also be where students will check in medication for the trip. Please provide the following:

1. Medication (please place this in a ziplock bag)
2. A note card or piece of paper that says the time for when the medication should be provided, as well as any other information we should know about.

We will not have access to anything below the bus until we arrive, so please do not keep anything in your suitcase.

****The chaperones and myself will have access to basic medication (ibuprofen, Tums, etc.). If you and your student feel that they are capable of taking care of their own personal medication, it will be on their sole responsibility to take it as prescribed.****

Following each check in, the suitcases will remain locked in the choir room overnight. Chaperones do not need to have their suitcases checked, but they are able to keep their suitcases here overnight as well.

Departure Day - Saturday, March 23rd - 6:00 am - bright and early!

All students must be in the choir room no later than 6:00am. We will take attendance, make any last minute announcements and check all carry-on bags.

Bus Policies

When we travel, there are a few policies regarding the bus ride:

1. There is assigned seating on the bus - boys sit with boys, girls sit with girls. Students will not be allowed to swap seats. It is expected for students to remain seated as we travel.
2. While there is wifi on the bus, streaming will be overloaded with everyone trying to connect to the wifi, so if possible, please pre-load media on all devices that you will be bringing with you.
3. There are plugs to charge devices, but you may want to bring a portable charger.

Nashville Packing List

Each student is allowed one (1) suitcase and one carry-on bag. Each student has been given a BRT drawstring bag.

Things to consider to packing:

- Clothes for the entire trip (gone for 4 days and 3 nights) Avg. temperature is in the 50-60s during this time of year.
 - Comfortable walking shoes
 - Socks
 - Jeans
 - Shorts
 - T-shirts
 - Undergarments
 - Sweatshirt, fleece, jacket or cover-up
 - Appropriate sleepwear
 - Misc. toiletries (deodorant, shampoo, soap, toothbrush, toothpaste - place it in a plastic bag!)
 - **Performance attire**
 - **Ladies - appropriate top, skirt (appropriate length) and dress pants (yoga pants/leggings are not suitable for this performance), or dress. Dress shoes (closed toed). Earrings must be small and must not dangle.**
 - **Men - dress shirt, dress pants and socks, dress shoes.**
 - **Depending on the venue, we may have the option to change into performance clothes. It's best to pack at least two performance outfits.**
 - Febreze
 - Sunglasses/hat
 - Watch

Things to consider for your carry-on bag/bring on the bus:

- Phone and charger/portable battery
- Handheld gaming device
- Headphones
- Book/e-reader
- Tablet/Laptop
- Pillow/Blanket
- Deodorant
- Gum/mints

Snacks and water will be provided for students. Even though snacks will be provided, you may bring additional snacks with you, especially if you have any dietary restrictions.

Other expenses:

- Money for meals
 - Student cost meals are indicated in the itinerary
 - Saturday lunch
 - Sunday lunch
 - Monday lunch
 - Tuesday dinner
- Money for souvenirs (please be careful with what you buy)

****Please note: Anything that you bring with is at your own risk. PCHS, BRT or Mr. Rancatore is not responsible for any item that is damaged/lost/broken****