

Field Trip Request

Field Trip Name: Spanish/French Club Co-Cultural Experiences

School: Galion High School

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Departure Date: Sunday, Oct. 9th Return Date: Sunday, Oct. 9th

Departure Time: approximately 10 am Return Time: approximately 9:00 pm

Place of Pickup: Galion High School, east parking lot

Destination(s): Playhouse Square and Blue Habanero Street Tacos Address(es): Playhouse Square: 1501 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44115 Blue Habanero Street Tacos: 6416 Detroit Ave Cleveland, OH 44102

Stop During Travel:

Yes, to eat lunch, Goasis Travel Stop Gas Station: 715 U.S. 250 Ashland, Ohio 44805

Number of Students: max 48 Number of Wheelchairs: 0 Number of Adults: 3-5 Number of Buses: 1

Total to be transported: Max 52, but (approximately between 30-52)

Signature: Date:

Ohio Content Standards for World Languages related to the trip:

- 1. Interpersonal 2.a--Engage in greetings, introductions, and leave-taking.
- 2. Interpersonal Speaking and Listening Use language to acquire a greater variety of goods, services or information.
- 4. Cultures 1.c--Analyze and compare a variety of products, practices, and perspectives of the U.S. and target cultures.
- 5. Cultures 2.a--Attend, view or participate in a wide variety of cross-cultural activities and target culture events.
- 6. Cultures 2.e--Investigate and experience target community organizations and their resources.
- 7. Cultures 2.g--Use appropriate levels of formality or informality when interacting with members of the target culture.

Trip summary/information:

Playhouse Square - Les Misérables Broadway Musical:

Cameron Mackintosh presents the acclaimed production of Boublil and Schönberg's Tony Award-winning musical phenomenon, **LES MISÉRABLES**. Set against the backdrop of 19th century France, LES MISÉRABLES is a timeless testament to the survival of the human spirit. Seen by over 130 million people worldwide in 53 countries and 22 languages, LES MISÉRABLES is still undisputedly "one of the greatest musicals ever created" (Chicago Tribune). Seeing this phenomenal production is a way to reach many student interests. It most notably hits French history, language and culture, but it also sparks interest to students who enjoy classical music, theater, and story lines of suspense. The attendee cost of the production is \$22.50.

Blue Habanero Mexican Restaurant:

Blue Habanero is a Mexican Restaurant that focuses on traditional foods made authentically with excellent hospitality and service. Customers have the experience of ordering and consuming their popular Mexican Street Tacos. They will get to try food of a diversified selection from the variety of appetizers, main dishes, and desserts on the menu. For their individual costs and distance from the school, this restaurant will be the best, all-around place to be able to give the students the experience that we simply can't give them at school or most other places they would go to on their own around here. The owners and several of the employees do speak native Spanish, and as long as they are present, all students will have the opportunity to speak to them.

The website to the restaurant is: https://www.bluehabanerocleveland.com/food-menu

SPECIFIC DETAILS ABOUT THE LOGISTICS TO THE TRIP:

This trip is an excellent opportunity for our students. It will kick-start the beginning of the World Language Club and establish an activity that we would like to offer every other year. This trip is an opportunity to give the language classes a boost in enrollment in the future and it will help students recognize the educational value to their language learning beyond our school.

Les Mis ticket collection will be done in advance. All attendees will pay Heidi/Jenna in cash for Les Mis tickets and they will keep track of receipts and spreadsheets and deposit funds in the World Language Club account and a check will be cut to Playhouse from that account OR funds will be deposited in the account to use the school American Express card. The money will be due to the Playhouse by September 16.

Group size capped at 52 people total - Students, Teachers, AND Parents. First paid, first come will attend.

3-4 teacher chaperones (Heidi Anderson, Jenna Bollinger, Cay Faulkner AND/OR Felicity Melendez)

Group of 52 people total max to make reservations and planning easier. At the end of the 2021-22 school year, we surveyed the students and the attendee number is a great estimate based on the information we received from them.

Attendees will check into the school by no later than 9:45 am for a 10 am departure. Students must have their own cash and are responsible for it throughout the duration for the trip and used at their discretion. Students will bring cash for the lunch stop and restaurant for supper.

Once the bus leaves Galion, it will stop in Ashland at Goasis for lunch. It will be a quick stop and students will choose which location (Taco Bell, Pizza Hut, gas stations snacks, etc) at the building to eat lunch.

The bus will depart approximately after 30 minutes for lunch and drive the rest of the way to Playhouse Square with an approximate arrival time of 12:00 to 12:30 pm.

The LES MISERABLES production begins at 1:00 pm and is approximately 3 hours long. Our seats will be reserved altogether or in groups in the same section with an adult in each section. Once the production is over, we will return to the bus and drive to the Spanish restaurant.

Once we are at the restaurant, we will head to a reserved section and order and eat. Since the group is large for a restaurant, it will take a while to be served and to eat. We will leave the restaurant once we are done and leave Cleveland at approximately 7:00 pm to return to Galion by around 9 pm.