# Jackson 8th Grade Washington DC/Mount Vernon 2025

### **October 21-22-23**

Annual Tour! 328 students participated in 2024

\* We are advertising this tour for the <u>FALL OF 2025</u> Current 7<sup>th</sup> grade students are receiving this information. Advertising now allows parents to use a payment plan prior to the start of next year.

**Fall 2025 8**<sup>th</sup> **Grade Students** have the opportunity to tour Washington DC/Mount Vernon. The tour will depart Tuesday, October 21<sup>st</sup> at approx. 6:30am and return Thursday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at approx. 7:30pm \*\*Chaperones will be Jackson Middle School Staff (1 per 10-12 Students)

<u>Pre-Trip Meeting:</u> Tuesday, April 23 at 6:30pm, Jackson High School Auditorium \* Parents please attend! \*Jackson Middle School Staff and Traveling Classrooms will discuss all aspects of the trip.

<u>Tour Price Per Student:</u> \$525.00 (44 students per motorcoach). Tour Includes: Barons Bus Lines motorcoach transportation (extended time on Day 1 with driver relief included), 2 nights lodging (students 4 per room) at Hilton Washington Dulles Herndon, Va. 7 meals: (1 Tuesday, 3 Wednesday \* Includes Bowlero Dinner, Bowling and Arcade), 3 Thursday). All Admissions including Mount Vernon, Jackson custom hoodie pp, Private Hotel Security, Traveling Classrooms Tour Manager Per Motorcoach, all taxes & gratuities...No Extras!

## **Registration/Payment/Refund Policies**

- \* \$ 150.00 Non-Refundable Deposit May 22-23, 2025
- \* \$ 150.00 Refundable 2<sup>nd</sup> Payment July 18, 2025
- \* \$ 225.00 Refundable Balance September 11-12, 2025
- \*PARENTS: Late/new registrations will be accepted on a "space available basis" after May 23, 2025

#### **PAYMENT METHODS**

- \*\* At School: Traveling Classrooms reps. will collect payments from students during the lunch periods on the days listed above. \* Checks are payable to Traveling Classrooms \* receipts provided for cash payments 
  \*\* Credit Card payments: Traveling Classrooms has partnered with Wetravel. Simply go to the Traveling Classooms website. Select payments, click "See schools". Scroll down until you see the Jackson DC trip tab and follow prompts \* Parents can check their payments, receive receipts, check balances, receive reminders, view trip schedules and components!
- \*\* Pay by Mail: Traveling Classrooms PO Box 35926 Canton, Ohio 44735
- \*\*REFUND POLICIES-PARENTS PLEASE NOTE: Per School Policy, any student receiving Out Of School Suspension will be cancelled from tour participation. Please be aware, the tour company will follow all refund policies listed. Students may be cancelled due to other school guidelines. Those students will also forfeit payments per refund policies. \* Balance Refund Policy: Cancellation 29 days from departure- Full Balance Refund. Cancellation 28-0 days- \$50 refund. All refund requests must be mailed to:

  bob@travelingclassrooms.com

  Traveling Classrooms will issue tour vouchers for all participants if tour is rescheduled due to conditions beyond its control. \* If school cancels trip after May 23, Traveling Classrooms will retain \$50 per student. All other payments will be refunded asap pending pre-paid vendor refunds to Traveling Classrooms.

#### **SIGHTSEEING AREAS:**

Lincoln MemorialCapitol BuildingRoosevelt MemorialAmerican History SmithsonianNational ArchivesMLK MemorialVietnam Veterans WallKorea MemorialJefferson MemorialArlington CemeteryMarine Iwo StatueCapitol BuildingWWII MemorialNatural History SmithsonianMount Vernon Estate