

# LA CAÑADA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SCHOOL SPONSORED ACTIVITY

**TO:** Wendy Sinnette

**FROM:** Emily Blaney

**DATE:** 9/3/19

**Activity Name and Destination:** Pali Institute, Running Springs, CA

**Address:** 30778 Highway 18, Running Springs, CA 92382

**Date(s) of Activity:** Dec 2-6, 2019

**School(s):** La Canada Elementary

**Number of Students Attending and Grade Level or Group:** Sixth Grade. 117 students

**Supervising Certificated Employee(s):** Lisa Fungo, Andrea Redecker, Vanessa Schwartz, Lauren Schour

**How many administrators attending?** 0 **How many teachers attending?** 4

**Adult to Student Ratio:** 1:29 **Employee to Student Ratio:** 1:29

**How many substitutes?** 0 **How many days?** 0 **Charge Substitute to:** N/A

## Rationale for activity:

### **A) Explain the educational value and relate to the instructional program or sponsoring organization and Policy 110).**

Students learn earth science, social studies and leadership through direct experience and observation. The outdoor school curriculum at Pali Institute includes ecology, animal adaptations, food webs, topographic maps, renewable and non-renewable resources, geology, fresh water biology, archeology and government.

### **B) Explain impact on instructional time and justification for any time lost.**

Pali Institute has a very positive impact on our science program. Many of the California State Science Standards are taught. We refer to things covered at Pali Institute throughout the year. We would have to shorten our math class throughout the year to cover the science that is taught at Pali, about 24 hours of science.

## **Complete Itinerary (attach additional page if necessary)**

Please see attached itinerary.

Destination/Date(s): Pali Mountain, Dec 2-6, 2019

**Complete Cost Breakdown**

<u>Complete Cost Breakdown Per Student</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Group Cost</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Registration	\$ 55.00	Registration	\$ 6435.00
Housing	\$ 300.00	Housing	\$ 35100.00
Transportation Method: <u>Bus</u>	\$ 72.00	Transportation	\$ 8424.00
Miscellaneous Expenses:	\$ 50.00	Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ 5850.00
Meals	\$ 83.00	Meals	\$ 9711.00
<b>Total Student Cost</b>	<b>\$ 560.00</b>	<b>Total Group Cost</b>	<b>\$ 65,520.00</b>

**Source of Funds:**

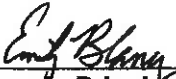
Parent Donation.


**How is financial assistance provided to students in need:**

Scholarships are provided by the school if needed.

**If this activity is not planned for all students in a particular group, what provision will be made for students not participating?**

Students work on sixth grade activities similar to content provided during program in a provided classroom. Activities are equivalent to time and material covered in a regular school day.

  
Approved: Principal

  
Approved: Superintendent or Designee

9-4-19  
Date

September 11, 2019  
Date

## **Pali Mountain - LCE 6th grade field trip**

Students participate in 22 unique classes focused on outdoor education, science education, and leadership.

### **Sample Daily Schedule**

7:00	Rise and Shine
8:00	Breakfast
9:00	Ropes Course
10:30	Break
10:45	Archery
12:15	End of Session 2
12:30	Lunch
1:15	Cabin Time
2:00	Aerodynamics
3:30	Break
3:45	Forest Ecology
5:15	End of Session 2
5:30	Dinner
6:30	Teacher Time
7:30	Team Building
9:00	Return to Cabins
9:45	Lights Out