

San Mateo Union High School District

Field Trip Request Form



This form is to be sent to the Director of Curriculum & Assessment at least seven weeks in advance of an in-state, overnight field trip and at least six months in advance of an out-of-country field trip.

School Participating:	Hillsdale High	Field Trip Type:	In-State Overnight For day trips, please check with your school.																					
Class/Group/Club Participating:	HHS Wind Ensemble HHS Concert Band HHS Jazz Ensemble																							
Field Trip Event:	Anaheim Band Field Trip																							
Person Requesting:	Mike Galea	Number of School Days Missed:	2																					
Date & Time of Departure & Return:	02/03/2023	02/06/2023	Number of Overnight Stays: 3																					
Location:	Anaheim, CA (Disneyland Resort) Orange, CA																							
Total Number of Students Participating:	Male: ⁵⁴ Female: ²⁹ Other: ⁰	Is a registered nurse included; if not, what medical provisions?	Yes																					
Total Number of Certificated Supervisors and Names:	Mike Galea- director Stephanie Harrington- tour director <i>The ratio is 10 students to 1 chaperone. If male and female students are participating, there must be a male and female chaperone.</i>																							
Total Number of Adult Supervisors and Names:	19 total chaperones This would consist of band parents																							
Transportation: Private Cars, Names of Drivers Click here for Transportation Request Form Bus: Commercial Airline: Airline Name/Flights/Dates/Times		Please Enter All Costs Below <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Per Student Cost</th> <th>Total Group Cost</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Meals:</td> <td>160</td> <td>13,280.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Lodging:</td> <td>200</td> <td>16,600.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ground Transportation:</td> <td>380</td> <td>31,540.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Airfare:</td> <td>0</td> <td>0.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Registration & Other Expenses:</td> <td>260</td> <td>21,580.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total Cost:</td> <td>1,000.00</td> <td>83,000.00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			Per Student Cost	Total Group Cost	Meals:	160	13,280.00	Lodging:	200	16,600.00	Ground Transportation:	380	31,540.00	Airfare:	0	0.00	Registration & Other Expenses:	260	21,580.00	Total Cost:	1,000.00	83,000.00
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Total Amount that will be supported by student/family contribution:	\$600																							
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Total Amount that will be supported by fund-raising and type of fund-raising activity & funding source:	\$400																							
Total Substitute Teacher(s) Days and Total Cost for Substitute Teacher(s): Sub Cal Approved	1 substitute teacher for Friday, February 3rd. \$260																							

Budget Codes to be used

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Trip Itinerary and Educational Rationale: Attach written draft including trip itinerary and explaining educational value. Attach a copy of any item pertinent to the event, e.g. brochure. Please see space below for signatures:

Approved by:

Jeff Gilbert

04/22/2022

Principal

Brian Simmons

04/22/2022

District Designee

Superintendent

Board Agenda Date:

Process Review

- Read the memo
- Fill out Field Trip Request (including budget codes)
- Voluntary Excursion Field Trip Notice
- Parent Consent Forms
- Enclose any contracts
- Certificate of Transportation

Day One - Friday February 3, 2023

- 5:30 AM Motorcoach arrives at School
- 6:00 AM Depart for Anaheim
Lunch on own
Your Professional Tour Director will meet your group upon arrival and handle your hotel check-in, plus all of your ticketing and reservations logistics. They will stay at your hotel and ride the bus full-time with your group.
- 3:00 PM Check in to hotel
Explore Downtown Disney at the Disneyland Resort
- 6:30 PM **Dinner & games at Dave & Buster's - Orange, CA**
- 9:00 PM Return to the hotel
Private overnight security at the hotel each evening

4:30 PM Welcome Home!
Approximate arrival

In keeping with WorldStrides' commitment to safety and security, all of our itineraries are compliant with Department of Transportation rules and regulations giving drivers at least 9 hours off each night and a maximum of 15 hours on duty during any 24 hour period.

Your WorldStrides Course Leader and Guides reserve the right to revise your group's itinerary due to unforeseen circumstances such as traffic, road closures, site closures, and weather. Your Course Leader or Guide will consult with the Director and Bus Driver(s) on any changes.

Day Two - Saturday February 4, 2023

- 7:00 AM **Breakfast at your hotel**
- 8:00 AM Board motorcoach and depart
Explore both Disneyland Resort theme parks with a 2 Day Park Hopper Ticket
Participate in a Disney Performing Arts On Stage Workshop
Lunch and dinner with meal money - \$40 total
Continue at park
- 9:30 PM Return to the hotel

Day Three - Sunday February 5, 2023

- 7:00 AM **Breakfast at your hotel**
- 8:00 AM Board motorcoach and depart
- 9:00 AM Take part in an exclusive private master-class session - This 60-90 minute concentrated educational experience provides extra performance time and customized one-on-one instruction from one of our professional clinicians - 1 per ensemble
Spend the rest of the day at Disneyland Parks
Lunch and dinner with meal money - \$40 total
Continue at park
- 10:00 PM Return to the hotel

Day Four - Monday February 6, 2023

- 7:00 AM **Breakfast at your hotel**
- 8:00 AM Depart for home
Lunch on own

Tour Details

Destination: Anaheim

Departing: Friday February 3, 2023 5:00 AM

Returning: Monday February 6, 2023 10:00 PM

Tour Pricing by Participation

Paying Passengers	93
Complimentary Chaperones	2
Student Price (Quad Room)	\$ 999
Paying Adult Price (Double Room)	\$ 1049

What's Included

Transportation

- Deluxe Motorcoach

Accommodation

- 3 Nights
- Quad occupancy for Students (2 beds per room)
- Double occupancy for Chaperones (2 beds per room)

Meals

- 3 Breakfasts
- 2 Lunches
- 3 Dinners

Additional Inclusions

- All Taxes and Gratuities
- Professional Course Leader
- Online Tour Management Tool
- 24/7 Emergency Support
- Overnight Hotel Security
- WorldStrides Drawstring Bags, Lanyards & Luggage Tags
- Travel Guard Health & Accident Insurance
- Travel Guard Trip Delay Protection
- The industry's highest liability insurance coverage

Tour Highlights - all sites pending confirmation

- Explore both Disneyland Resort theme parks with a 2 Day Park Hopper Ticket
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WorldStrides Advantage

- 50+ Years of Experience
- Member of Student & Youth Travel Association
- Member of American Bus Association
- Member of National Association for Music Educators
- Member of US Tour Operators Association
- Most comprehensive refund guarantee plan in the industry



Full Refund Program

INVEST WITH CONFIDENCE

Educational travel is an investment in your child's future, and our Full Refund Program protects it should you need to cancel your registration for any reason before departure. The program refunds all money paid (less the cost of the Full Refund Program), plus includes special Job Loss Protection. Add some peace of mind to your trip enrollment with the Full Refund Program.

Full Refund Program (FRP)

- Cost for individual participation: \$109.00 per person

WorldStrides Terms and Conditions



TERMS BEFORE WE GET STARTED

Important Information

By registering for this program, you are agreeing to participate in a full-service group educational travel experience, operated by Brightspark Travel, Inc., dba WorldStrides. Because of the unique nature of group travel, many elements of your program and itinerary may be selected and/or scheduled at the direction of your group's Program Leader, who will act as your group's representative. Further, please note that, while WorldStrides and its affiliates will arrange the various travel elements for your trip, the total price quoted for your program includes additional pre-trip services, including but not limited to the development of the associated educational content and materials, the printing and distribution of program materials, the costs associated with our various group health and safety measures, and the administrative and service costs related to group management.

Initial Registration Fee

A non-refundable registration fee per passenger plus the cost of the elective Full Refund Program, if selected, (for US Domestic and Canadian Destinations only) will be required to register for a Tour. The cost of this registrant fee can be found on the Tour Agreement and Parent Letter. This registration fee will be applied to the cost of your Tour. If the tour is cancelled by the Trip Sponsor within 30 days from the initial payment due date, then the full amount of the registration fee (and FRP, if applicable) will be refunded.

FLEXIBLE PAYMENT OPTIONS

We provide you with options and flexibility to make our educational experiences more accessible.

What are your payment options?

1. Full Payment: Pay in full, within 21 days of registration;
2. Auto Pay: Establish automatic payments to be debited from your credit card on a US banking institution via Auto Pay. There are no handling fees associated with payments made through the Auto Pay program.
3. Installment Plan: Make regularly scheduled installment payments under a manual installment plan established by WorldStrides, with a \$3 non-refundable handling fee on each installment payment following your registration, except the initial deposit and the final payment.

Whatever option you choose, please note that your account must be paid in full by the final payment deadline, as stated on your trip information letter, or your account will be subject to cancellation.

Fundraising Payments: All fundraising payments must be provided to WorldStrides two weeks before all final installments are processed. This will allow passengers to pay only what is due on their final account. Any group fundraising that is sent in after this date will be charged a \$75 flat processing fee per fundraising campaign (to be paid by the organization).

What if you're late on a payment?

Late Registration, Late Payment, and Fees: WorldStrides charges a late registration charge, equal to the greater of 10% of the base tour price or \$30, for registrations received after the final payment deadline. If you register prior to the final payment deadline as stated on your trip information letter but your account is not paid in full by that date, WorldStrides charges a \$60 late payment fee. The fee for any late payments made after any scheduled installment date is \$15. No personal checks or business checks will be accepted after the final payment deadline. There is a \$35 service charge on returned checks, declined credit cards or declined e-checks. A \$100 fee may apply for any correction made to your name within 75 days of the departure date. (For international programs, a \$150 fee may apply for any changes made within 105 days of departure). A \$50 fee, plus any additional airfare costs, will be assessed if you cancel your reservation and choose to re-instate at a later date.

The non-refundable FRP deposit, handling charges, merchandise fees, fees for returned checks, fees for declined credit cards or electronic drafts, late payments, and registration fees are not refundable under any circumstances.

Waitlist: Your program space is not guaranteed until your account has been paid in full and you have been advised in writing that all conditions for travel have been satisfied. If you are placed on a waitlist due to late registration or an outstanding account balance after final payment your account must clear waiting list procedures and may involve additional airline and other charges.

What do you need to know about your program fees?

The price quoted is based upon a minimum number of travelers, the content of the program as outlined in your trip information letter and the date of your registration. A registrant may receive a special price by registering by the registration deadline in the trip information letter. The price quoted is also subject to adjustment if the minimum enrollment is not met, if the program content or itinerary changes, or in the event of circumstances beyond WorldStrides's direct control. These include, but are not limited to, increases in travel security charges, government-imposed fees and taxes, costs related to or resulting from government or carrier-imposed safety measures, fuel and energy costs and charges, and airline, vendor, or group imposed schedule changes or delays. If your price is guaranteed for a stated minimum number of participants, your group may be combined with other group(s) on the program to reach minimum. The combinations may not be of the same age level or have the same itinerary. If the Program Leader chooses not to be combined and travels with less than the minimum number of participants, an additional cost will be charged to your account.

Non-Refundable Fees: The non-refundable FRP deposit, handling charges, merchandise fees, fees for returned checks, fees for declined credit cards or electronic drafts, late payments, and registration fees are not refundable under any circumstances.

Fuel Surcharges, Taxes and Other Fees: The Tour price includes all known surcharges (fuel, taxes and other fees) known at the time the group contracted with WorldStrides. However, given the volatile nature of fuel prices, suppliers (for example, airlines and coach carriers) at times must assess a fuel surcharge which is not known by any party at the time of contracting service. You will be informed of any fuel surcharge prior to your final payment due date. No surcharge will ever be assessed after the final payment due date. Additionally, for air tours, airline bag fees, unless otherwise indicated on the Tour Agreement or Parent Letter, are NOT included in the price of the Tour and are the responsibility of the individual or group checking bags or instruments.

Occasionally a governing body will add a tax after transportation has been contracted. Any taxes not in existence at the time the Tour was contracted will be assessed back to the group.

It is important to know that WorldStrides works closely with all its suppliers to eliminate or minimize any surcharges related to fuel, taxes or fees. In recent years we've been able to absorb many small increases and not pass them back to our travelers. Given the rising price of fuel, it's important to know a fuel surcharge could be assessed if the price of oil continues to increase.

What is not included in your program fees?

Unless specifically stated in your trip information letter, WorldStrides's program prices do not include optional additional college credit fees, passport fees, visa fees, Full Refund Program fees, lunches, beverages with meals, baggage charges, expenses incurred during free time, portage at airports and hotels, transportation from your home to the origination point of the program and back, tips to guides and long-distance bus drivers, or overnight lodging and meals in the United States prior to departure or upon return of an international flight.

Supplements: Adults pay a supplement based on room occupancy. If a traveling partner is available and hotel configuration allows, adults can be registered two to a room, for a supplement of an additional 15% of base trip price. For a single occupancy room, adults pay a supplement of 30% of base trip price. Upon all parties' approval and subject to availability, adults may share a triple room for an additional charge of 10% of base trip price. There is no supplement (0%) for quad occupancy of a room by adults (other than Florida and West Coast science programs – 5% supplement)

For Science & International Programs only - Registration for children 12 and under is subject to individual review, and the decision to allow participation in a trip is at the sole discretion of WorldStrides.

Frequent Flyer Miles: Frequent flyer miles are not available to participants.

The Program Information Itinerary

Approximately two weeks prior to departure, you will be sent details regarding flight and hotel information, departure and return times, packing tips, drop-off/pick-up locations, etc.

Protecting You on Tour

All participants are provided accident, illness, and accident-related dental insurance coverage up to \$50,000 travel medical expenses, and \$500 for accident-related dental. Pre-existing conditions are not covered. Any charges not covered are the responsibility of the participant. Other limitations may apply. Full details are available upon request.

Participants are solely responsible for their pre-program, program, and post-program medical care in all respects, including, but not limited to, obtaining and taking necessary medication(s), vaccinations, and any other medical care and treatment.

Travel Documentation

The price quoted is based upon a minimum number of travelers, the content of the program as outlined in your trip information. Every participant must have the required documentation necessary to participate in the trip prior to the date of departure, including date of birth and necessary identification that fully matches the name provided to WorldStrides for inclusion on travel documentation and airline tickets, and must meet any other applicable compliance requirements issued by the Transportation Security Administration or related agencies.

WorldStrides provides online and customer service to keep the program participant's information current and it is the participant's sole responsibility to assure that this information is fully up to date no later than 60 days prior to the group's departure date. If changes occur after that date, the participant must contact customer service and additional change fees may apply. Visit the Transportation Security Administration website at www.tsa.gov for more information.

If a participant is unable to travel due to the lack of a proper identification, passport or visa, or necessary inoculations, the standard cancellation policy will apply. Reservations are not transferable at any time.

Course Credit

Because WorldStrides holds various accreditations, participants in a WorldStrides program may qualify for course credit. Schools, colleges, and universities hold varying policies regarding a student's eligibility to earn or redeem course credit from other accredited institutions. Students should consult their school guidance counselors and/or school policy handbooks to determine their eligibility. WorldStrides is not responsible for the approval or issuance of course credit.

Personal Property

Participants are fully responsible for any costs arising from the damage, loss, or theft of any personal property during the program.

Travelers with Disabilities

WorldStrides happily welcomes all travelers on our tours. However, the trips are fast paced, require a great deal of walking, and can be physically demanding. Due to these restrictions, you may not be able to fully participate in the tour. Furthermore, WorldStrides is not responsible for any denial of service by carriers, hotels, restaurants, and other independent suppliers, and cannot refund the cost of any activity in which you were unable to participate. We encourage that any disability requiring special attention be reported to the Program Leader and WorldStrides at the time you make your reservation. WorldStrides will make reasonable attempts to accommodate special needs. Travelers requiring extraordinary assistance must be accompanied by a paying companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the necessary assistance.

Special Dietary Requirements

WorldStrides cannot be responsible for accommodating any food allergies, or dietary requirements and restrictions, and is not responsible for any problems associated with the same. All issues regarding food and drink, including allergies, or dietary requirements and restrictions, are the sole responsibility of the participant.

Supervision/Behavior

WorldStrides, the Program Leader, and chaperones establish behavior rules and directions for all student participants. Failure to abide by the rules or directions may result in the student being sent home at the parents' expense without any right to a refund. All program participants will be responsible for their own actions at all times. Participants will be required to sign a behavior contract prior to departure.

On occasion, program participants may be allowed by the Program Leader to leave the group and to explore on their own. WorldStrides has no responsibility for participants when they are on their own and it is the sole responsibility of those participants to take whatever actions are necessary to rejoin the group, at their own cost. If a program participant is late in appearing for a scheduled departure, the Program Leader has no duty to delay the Program to wait for the participant.

What happens if your program changes after registration?

Program Changes Made by WorldStrides: Changes or substitutions in hotels, itinerary, inclusions, or airports may be made depending on your travel dates, arrival and departure times, national holidays, and events beyond WorldStrides's control at the discretion of WorldStrides as it deems necessary or desirable. On certain dates some attractions or activities may be closed. Whenever possible, suitable alternatives will be provided.

WorldStrides reserves the right to change the date of departure due to heavy demand on certain peak travel dates by no more than two days from the original departure date. These changes are not grounds for cancellation without penalty or for refunds after the tour. On occasion, WorldStrides must change dates of a scheduled program by 3 days or more as the result of operational challenges, including without limitation, travel restrictions, event cancellations, facility closures, government-imposed restrictions/closures, or other reasons beyond the control of WorldStrides. Should WorldStrides need to change the dates of a scheduled program by 3 days or more, we will work with your group's Program Leader to reschedule or postpone your trip to dates that work for your group. If you find it necessary to cancel because your program dates are changed by 3 days or more the WorldClass Flex Policy will apply.

Changes Made by Your Group: Plan your trip with confidence. We understand your group may need to change your trip due to unforeseen circumstances. If your group decides they are not comfortable traveling, you can move your trip to an alternative destination or move to a new future date up until 45 days before departure. Changing the destination or date of the trip will be determined based on availability of trip components including, but not limited to, accommodations, venues, attractions, content, meals, and transportation. We will work with your program leader to find an alternative date no less than 1 day later from your originally scheduled departure date up until 24 months later. Your group will be able to adjust your trip with no additional fees, just the difference (if applicable) in the price of the new trip.

If your group is unable to reschedule your trip to a new destination or date or your program is canceled due to exceptional circumstances, as outlined in the Exceptional Circumstances section, your group will have the flexibility to cancel. Standard cancellation fees will apply to all travelers if the trip is canceled more than 75 days. For trips canceled with less than 74 days, travelers who did not purchase FRP (who are eligible for a full refund on all monies paid in less non-refundable fees), will be covered under our Flex Program and be refunded all monies paid in, less non-refundable fees and the Flex Program fee of \$399 for international air travel, \$289 for domestic air travel or \$149 for domestic bus travel.

For International travelers and travelers from Mexico, the following schedule applies: For cancellations occurring within 24 hours following receipt of registration confirmation you are entitled to a full refund. Beyond the 24-hour grace period, WorldStrides retains 25% of the base trip price* (minimum charge of \$120 if the base trip price is \$400 or more) for cancellation letters postmarked more than 110 days to departure, 50% of the base trip price for cancellation letters postmarked 45-109 days prior to departure, or 100% of base trip price for cancellation letters postmarked 44 days or less to departure. In the event that your group size falls below 10 participants and you cancel or are canceled, your entire airfare amount may become non-refundable.

What if you have to cancel your registration?

All cancellations must be made in writing by the person listed on the registration form to customerservice@worldstrides.org or via mail to WorldStrides, P.O. Box 9033, Charlottesville, VA 22906-9033, must be postmarked prior to the group's departure, and must include account number, registrant's name, and complete address. Alternatively, the Program Leader may cancel the program on behalf of the entire group, or any individual participant. Within 24 hours following receipt of your registration confirmation or initial payment invoice (whichever is first), you may cancel your WorldStrides program and receive a full refund. After 24 hours, the Standard Cancellation Policy applies unless the Full Refund Program (FRP) option is purchased.

All refunds are issued using the original form of payment on the account. Check refunds are only issued to the primary responsible party listed on the account.

Full Refund Program (FRP) FOR US DOMESTIC AND CANADIAN DESTINATIONS ONLY

WorldStrides offers a cancellation protection program that covers Tour payments should the passenger not be able participate for any reason. FRP is a highly recommended optional program at an additional charge. FRP must be paid at the time of the initial Tour registration. The price of FRP can be found on the Tour Agreement and the Parent Letter.

If you have purchased FRP and cancel, all payments made by you over and above the cost of the protection are 100% refunded.

Standard Cancellation Policy: The services and value we provide begin long before your date of departure, and there are significant unrecoverable costs as your departure date approaches. Therefore, if you do not enroll in the FRP program and you, the Program Leader, school, or school administration must cancel beyond the 24-hour grace period, WorldStrides must retain (in addition to the Non-Refundable Fees):

- 25% of the base trip price (minimum charge of \$120 if base trip price is \$400 or more) if your cancellation letter is postmarked more than 75 days prior to the group's departure,
- 50% of the base trip price if your cancellation letter is postmarked 45 to 74 days prior to group's departure, or
- 100% of the base trip price if your cancellation letter is postmarked 44 days or fewer prior to group's departure.

Cancellation due to Exceptional Circumstances: If your group is unable to reschedule your trip to a new destination or date, and your program is canceled or cannot be delivered due to Exceptional Circumstances (explained below), travelers who did not purchase the Full Refund Program plan, will be refunded all monies paid less Non-Refundable Fees and any additional cancellation fee of \$399 for trips involving international air travel, \$289 for trips involving domestic air travel, or \$149 for trips involving domestic bus travel. After August 2021, cancellation fees for non-purchasers of the Full Refund Program plan will be \$499 for international air travel, \$389 for domestic air travel, and \$189 for domestic bus travel. Please note – these fees are not intended to be a penalty, but rather a fair estimation of a portion of the unrecoverable internal and external costs related to planning, managing, and administering a full-service group travel program, that are incurred by WorldStrides prior to the date of departure.

Exceptional Circumstances: Without limitation, WorldStrides, including its affiliates, owners, officers, agents, employees or any associated organization, is not responsible for any injury, loss, or damage to person or property, death, delay, overbooking or downgrading of accommodations, mechanical or other failure of airplanes or other means of transportation or for any failure of any transportation mechanism to arrive or depart timely, dangers associated with animals, sanitation problems, food poisoning, lack of or quality of medical care, illness or disease, difficulty in evacuation in case of a medical or other emergency, or for any other inconvenience beyond the direct control of WorldStrides in connection with the provision of any goods or services whether occasioned by or resulting from, but not limited to, Exceptional Circumstances, which include, but are not limited to, acts of force majeure, war (whether declared or not), criminal or terrorist activities of any kind or the threat thereof, or civil unrest, strikes or other restrictive labor activities, illness or disease, actual, perceived or threatened epidemics or pandemics, government-imposed travel restrictions or closures.

PROTECTING YOUR INVESTMENT

USTOA Membership Means You're Protected: WorldStrides, as an Active Member of USTOA, is required to post \$1 million with USTOA to be used to reimburse, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the USTOA Travelers Assistance Program, the advance payments of WorldStrides' customers in the unlikely event of WorldStrides' bankruptcy, insolvency, or cessation of business. Further, you should understand that the \$1 million posted by WorldStrides may be sufficient to provide only a partial recovery of the advance payments received by WorldStrides. Complete details of the USTOA Travelers Assistance Program may be obtained by writing to USTOA at 275 Madison Avenue, Suite 2014, New York, New York 10016, or by e-mail to information@ustoa.com or by visiting their website at www.ustoa.com.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Third-Party Providers: WorldStrides Inc., its employees, shareholders, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, successors, agents, and assigns (collectively, "WorldStrides") does not own, operate or control any person or entity which is contracted to or does provide goods or services for your trip, including, for example, lodging facilities, airline, vessel or other transportation companies, guides or guide services, local ground operators, entertainment or sightseeing operators, providers or organizers of optional excursions, food service providers, etc. All such persons and entities are independent contractors. As a result, WorldStrides is not liable for any negligent or willful act or failure to act of any such person or entity, or of any third party. Further, WorldStrides is not liable for any inconvenience, costs, losses, or damages associated with the denial of services or special requirements of services imposed by such person or entity, or of any third party.

Arbitration: Any dispute concerning these Terms & Conditions and/or any other matter concerning the trip, including, but not limited to, any events and circumstances occurring during the trip, shall be resolved solely and exclusively by binding arbitration in Charlottesville, Virginia pursuant to the then existing commercial rules of the American Arbitration Association. In any such arbitration, the substantive (but not procedural) law of the Commonwealth of Virginia shall apply. By accepting these Terms and Conditions, you are irrevocably, unconditionally, and expressly submitting to binding arbitration, in lieu of having any such dispute decided in a court of law before a jury.

Privacy: Because the nature of our business requires coordination with various providers who deliver the travel services, it is necessary to share some personal information from time to time.

Seller of Travel Registrations:

- Hawaii TARS-5388; IA 568; and WA 601 887 646, 602 011 744.
- California Seller of Travel Registration No: 2041618-20. Note: Registration as a seller of travel does not constitute approval by the state of California. WorldStrides' principal office is located in Charlottesville, VA. This transaction is not covered by the California Travel Consumer Restitution Fund. You are not eligible to file a claim against that Fund in the event of WorldStrides' default.

Please note: A participant will not be allowed to travel on a WorldStrides tour if his/her name does not appear on the travel roster on the day of departure, or if he/she has not submitted a signed waiver and release form, emergency medical release form, or personal behavior contract. By registering for a WorldStrides trip, and making an initial deposit, participants and/or persons listed on the account are agreeing to and consenting to these Terms and Conditions. If you do not understand any of the foregoing Terms and Conditions, or if you have any questions or comments, please contact WorldStrides Customer Support at 1-800-468-5899.