



The journey is the reward

**Hilliard Weaver Middle School – buses 6-8**  
**Gettysburg, PA / Washington, DC tour**  
**October 13-16, 2025**

**Monday, October 13**

6:00 am --- buses arrive at Weaver Middle School, load luggage  
6:30 am --- depart for Gettysburg, PA  
9:15 am --- rest stop – PA Welcome Center  
--- lunch in transit (students to bring sack lunch from home)  
12:45 pm --- rest stop – Sideling Hill Plaza - *depart by 1:15p*  
3:00 pm --- arrive at Gettysburg National Battlefield Visitors Center  
--- self-guided tour of museum & visitors center/use restrooms  
3:30 pm --- **Gettysburg battlefield tour w/step-on guides (incl.)** *confirmed*  
6:00 pm --- **dinner: Mountain Gate Family Restaurant (included)** *confirmed*  
7:15 pm --- depart Gettysburg  
9:00 pm --- **hotel check-in: Hilton Hotel - Fairfax, VA**  
**703/653-6000**  
--- **night security on duty from 10p-6a**

**Tuesday, October 14**

6:00 am --- wake up  
6:30 am --- **buffet breakfast @ hotel (included)**  
7:15 am --- depart hotel  
8:15 am --- WWII Memorial - depart @ 8:45am  
9:15 am --- **Spy Museum (included)** *confirmed*  
11:00 am --- **lunch: Hard Rock Café (selected menu) (included)** *confirmed*  
1:00 pm --- arrive at Capitol Bldg., clear security  
2:20 pm --- U.S. Capitol Bldg. tours - *confirmed (entry 2:20, 2:30)*  
4:15 pm --- depart Capitol Hill from Peace Circle  
4:30 pm --- Vietnam, Lincoln & Korean Memorials - depart Korean Memorial @ 5:45p  
6:00 pm --- **dinner: L'Enfant Plaza food court (\$15 to each)** *depart @*  
7:30 pm --- White House picture stop – Lafayette Park  
8:15 pm --- depart for hotel  
9:00 pm --- arrive back at hotel  
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**Wednesday, October 15**

6:00 am --- wake up  
6:30 am --- **full buffet breakfast @ hotel (included)**  
7:30 am --- depart hotel  
8:00 am --- Arlington National Cemetery walking tour  
9:15 am — **wreath presentation @ Tomb of The Unknowns (incl.) @ 9:15am** - confirmed  
11:00 am --- U.S. Marine Corps Memorial (Iwo Jima Statue)  
11:30 am --- **lunch: Magills/Freshology Subs (included)** eaten near Sculpture Garden  
12:15 pm --- National Archives Building - public line  
1:00 pm — depart Archives  
1:15 pm --- U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum - permanent exhibit – confirmed  
3:15 pm — National Museum of African American History & Culture- *confirmed*  
5:00 pm — depart Museum  
5:15 pm — U.S. Air Force Memorial  
5:45 pm — **dinner: Pentagon City Mall food court (\$15 to each)** - then walk to  
7:15 pm --- Pentagon 9/11 Memorial  
8:00 pm — MLK, FDR & Jefferson Memorials - *depart Jefferson Memorial*  
9:15 pm — depart for hotel  
10:00 pm --- arrive back at hotel  
--- **night chaperone staff on duty**

**Thursday, October 16**

6:45 am --- wake up  
7:15 am --- **buffet breakfast @ hotel (included)**  
8:15 am --- load luggage on buses  
8:45 am --- depart hotel  
9:00 am — National Museum of the United States Army - *confirmed*  
12:00 pm --- depart for home, **lunch: Jimmy John's Subs (incl.)** eaten in-transit  
2:15 pm --- rest stop  
4:00 pm --- approximate time of rest stop  
6:45 pm --- **dinner: Panera Bread boxed meal eaten enroute (included)**  
9:00 pm --- arrive back at Weaver Middle School