



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
8:00 am --- Arlington National Cemetery walking tour
— **wreath presentation @ Tomb of The Unknowns (incl.) @ 9:15am** - confirmed
10:15 am — depart ANC
11:00 am --- **lunch: Hard Rock Café (selected menu) (included)** confirmed
12:30 pm — t-shirt shopping
1:15 pm — Washington Monument - outside photo opportunity
1:45 pm — U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum - permanent exhibition - confirmed
3:45 pm --- Capitol Hill -walk the grounds, photo opportunity - Capitol Bldg.,
Supreme Court, Library of Congress
4:30 pm — White House picture stop - Lafayette Park OR South Portico
5:30 pm --- **dinner: L'Enfant Plaza food court (\$15 to each)** depart @ 6:45p
7:30 pm --- Vietnam, Lincoln & Korean Memorials - depart Korean Memorial @ 9p
9:45 pm --- arrive back at hotel
--- **night chaperone staff on duty**



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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
8:15 am — WWII Memorial - depart @ 8:45am
9:00 am — **Spy Museum (included)** confirmed
11:15 am --- **lunch: Magills/Freshology Subs (included)** eaten near Sculpture Garden
12:00 pm — depart lunch
1:00 pm — arrive @ USNA security check-point, clear security
1:30 pm — **U.S. Naval Academy tour (guided, included)** confirmed
2:45 pm — see museum, gift shop - depart @ 3:45p
4:45 pm — U.S. Marine Corps Memorial (Iwo Jima Statue)
5:30 pm — Pentagon 9/11 Memorial
6:00 pm — **dinner: Pentagon City Mall food court (\$15 to each)** - depart @ 7:15p
7:30 pm — MLK, FDR & Jefferson Memorials - depart Jefferson Memorial
9:00 pm — depart for hotel
9:45 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
9:30 am — drive up Embassy Row
10:00 am — **National Cathedral visit (PST guided, donation included)**
11:15 am — depart for home
12:15 pm — rest stop - South Mountain rest area, use restrooms,
— **lunch: Jimmy John's Subs (incl.)** eaten in-transit - pending
3:00 pm --- rest stop- New Stanton, PA
5:45 pm --- **dinner: Panera Bread boxed meal eaten enroute (included)**
8:00 pm --- arrive back at Weaver Middle School