



Dear Parents and Students,

We are so excited about hosting your group for the upcoming trip to the Great Smoky Mountains! Please read through this information carefully to find out everything you need to know about your adventure.

Please arrive at school no later than 7:00 AM on Wednesday, February 23. We will be departing promptly at 7:30 AM. You will meet your trip leaders at the designated drop-off point.

Behavior Contract & Medical Release

- Parents should have received an email from us with a link to your student's account requesting medical information and a signed behavior agreement. If you have not yet completed these forms, please sign into your account at www.grandclassroom.com, click the "Additional Traveler Information" button on your My Trips page. Please click the "Medical Form" and "Behavior Form" buttons and fill in your information. Next check the box to confirm your e-signature and hit "Save".
- If your student has dietary restrictions, please fill these out in the provided space with the specifics and we will work to accommodate the student when at all possible.

Enclosed you will find the following:

Waivers

- In order to participate in all of the activities, please print, complete, and return to your trip leader the following waivers included in this Parent Pack.
 - ☐ Grand Classroom COVID 19 Waiver
 - ☐ Ijams Nature Center Service Project Agreement - (updated 2/8/2022)
 - ☐ GSM Service Project Agreement
 - ☐ Ober Gatlinburg Tubing Participation Waiver

Packing List

- Please read through this carefully to ensure proper clothing for this outdoor adventure.
- *VERY IMPORTANT: When packing your backpack, make sure to include any medications, money and change of clothes you may need during the day. Your luggage will be stored under the bus and you will not have access until you check in at the hotel!*
- We highly recommend that your student leave all valuables at home. Grand Classroom is not responsible for lost or stolen items while on the tour, including money.

Itinerary - (updated 2/8/2022)

- This includes all of your activity and hotel information.
- Students will be involved in activities throughout most of the days and evenings (please see itinerary). They will be difficult to reach by phone during the day, and you should arrange for them to call you in the evenings if you would like to check in.

Please also refer to the terms and conditions of travel as outlined in the registration brochure and on our website at www.grandclassroom.com.

Contact us at 434-975-2629 or email your Grand Classroom representative, Alex Mondello, at alexandra@grandclassroom.com with any questions or concerns. Thank you for traveling with Grand Classroom!

Sincerely,

The Grand Classroom Team