

At a Glance

Who is travelling - Students that will be attending Levey in 2024-2025 and current Levey 8th graders. Parents are not expected to travel, but are welcome to travel , as well.

Rooming - Students will room with students. (from 2-4 students per room depending on hotel) Adults will room with adults, unless upgrade to single room.

Chaperones - Levey staff members will be the chaperones for this Italy Tour. There is 1 chaperone per 6-9 students.

Family rooming option - There is an option to room with your student. If you need more information, please email jennifer.gwilt@southfieldk12.org.

Educational Tour - This is an educational tour geared toward middle school students. There will be hands on activities and busy days.

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Discount - There will be a \$200 discount for those who enroll by May 10th. You, also, have 2 weeks after enrolling to unenroll without penalty if you enroll by May 10th. The initial enrollment payment will be \$95.

Raffle - There will be a raffle for \$100 toward the cost of the trip, if you enroll by 11:59 pm on May 2nd.

Fundraisers - We will be working with parents and students to assist with fundraisers to help Levey students pay for their trip.

Covered in Tour cost - Round trip airfare, transportation for tour events, entrance fees to tour attractions, tour guides for scheduled tours, breakfast and dinner, hotel accommodations and 24/7 tour director on site.

Parent enrollment - Use the enrollment link and based on your birthdate it will know that you are an adult.

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Monthly Student Meetings - We will have monthly student meetings to learn safety protocols, travel procedures, packing, team building, culture, language, etc.

Parent fundraiser meetings - We will start parent fundraiser meetings soon to establish the events and sales that we would like to have. For group fundraisers, parents and students will need to participate in order for the Levey student to share in the proceeds of the fundraiser.

Guarantee enrollment spots - We currently have 20 guaranteed spots for enrollment. We can request more spots if our enrollment is larger. If we are larger than 30 enrollees, we will have a private tour. (meaning that we will not merge with another school that is traveling at the same time)



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TOURS

Hello, Italy.

Let's go to...

Italy



Venice, Florence, Rome – 9 Days

Our agenda

What we are going to cover



1. Introduction
2. Our itinerary
3. What's included
4. Our travel partner
5. Safety and support
6. Price and how to enroll



My name is
Jennifer Gwilt

STEM Teacher
RCA Coordinator
Robotics Coach



Why I travel...





FOUR HOUSES
ONE FAMILY

Why Levey Travels...



Why educational travel

Families want these opportunities for their students!



It introduces
**new ways of
learning**



It provides
**innovative,
hands-on skills**



It gets students off
screens & **interacting
with the world**



It complements
the **academic
curriculum**



It provides
opportunity to
**discover one's
life passion**

EF Educational Tours

Our educational travel and safety partner



- Over 55 years of experience
- Staff on the ground 365 days a year in over 50 countries including an office in Rome, Italy
- World leader in international education
- Accredited, just like our school



Other nearby schools that travel with EF

- Anderson Middle
- Norup International
- Gate Magnet Middle
- Rochester School District



Our Middle School Experience



Hands On Activities

Students will participate in cooking classes, gladiator school, local farm tours, and more to spark excitement in experiential learning.



Same Age Group

Our tour groups will all be middle school aged, so the learning needs, popular interests, and engagement on tour will be catered towards them.



Safety First

Student safety is the number one priority, so itineraries, hotel locations, and pace of the tour are carefully managed.

Middle School: Explore Italy



Venice, Pisa & Florence

Days 1-5

Day 1



Fly overnight to
Italy

Day 2



Meet your Tour
Director & travel to
Venice

Day 3



Explore Venice with
a local guide



Enjoy a gondola
ride

See a
glass-blowing
demonstration



Visit Pisa



Day 4

Take a guided tour
of Florence



Day 5

Explore Florence
with your group



Assisi & Rome

Days 6-9

Day 6



Tour Assisi with a local guide

Day 7



Visit the Basilica of St. Francis



See Vatican City with an expert



Visit the Sistine Chapel & St. Peter's Basilica

Explore Rome with a local expert



Day 8

Visit the Colosseum & Roman Forum



Participate in a gladiator experience



Fly home



Day 9





**Toss a coin in the
Trevi Fountain**

Cross the Rialto Bridge overlooking Venice's Grand Canal





Gaze up at
the Duomo



And don't forget
about the food



Our Travel Dates

****Block off your calendars from the earliest departure to the latest return****



- ✈ Our flexibility with these dates will help EF create the best on-the-ground experience for us
- ✈ We will receive our confirmed dates 2-3 months before tour
- ✈ Our group could be combined with another school, requesting similar dates and destinations, which will be a great opportunity to meet students from another part of the country

What's included in our itinerary



Round-trip airfare on major airline carriers



Hotel stays at quality, clean accommodations



Regional-style meals for breakfast and dinner



Tour Director who will be with us 24/7



Transportation on tour, including a comfortable motorcoach bus



Expert local guides providing cultural insight



Guided sightseeing of all our destination has to offer



Entrances to landmarks & attractions

What you are responsible for

- Passports (and visas, if applicable)
- Baggage fees
- Tips for local guides, bus drivers and your Tour Director
- Snacks and lunch each day





Why I partner with EF...

Our safety partner



Local support and insight worldwide



EF's Safety and Incident Response Team



Rigorous health standards

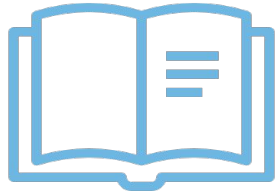


24/7 Tour Director and chaperone team support



Our education partner

The best way to help students gain new perspectives and build skills for the future is through experiential learning



EF's Personalized Learning Guide

Students can earn 0.5 high school credits (included) by using this guide. This guide puts a more personal lens on their tour by tapping into their own interests and passions.



College Credit

Students can earn 3 college credits by taking a 16-week, tuition-based, course related to their tour experience post-tour.



College essay help

EF's college essay guide helps students use their tour as inspiration for a personal essay that admissions officers can't resist.

Come home changed

EF's learning outcomes continue to impact students for the rest of their lives



Growth Mindset

Students will learn to embrace new challenges



Global Perspective

Students will expand their world view



Personal Development

Students will discover more about themselves



Action & Impact

Students will gain necessary skills to make an impact

Learn more at eftours.com/education

Our support partner



Travel Team

My Travel Team helps me, your Group Leader, every step of the way from planning our tour all the way until we depart for our tour



Traveler Support Team

This team works with all of you, parents and students, to answer any possible questions from payments to dietary needs and more, including all the what-if's and how-to's

SAVE THEIR NUMBER: 800-665-5364



Tour Director

Our Tour Director is our 24/7, bilingual guide who will be leading our tour, handling all of the logistics, and exposing us to local history and culture



Group Leader

That's me! I'll be here to support all of you as well, along with my chaperone team

Book with confidence

For our group:

Peace of Mind Program

This program provides our group with flexibility to change our trip during uncertain times and for unforeseen circumstances.

**We will provide more information about all these benefits after this info session.*

For each traveler:

Global Travel Protection (included)

This plan provides coverage for baggage and property, trip cancellation and interruption, and more.

Global Travel Protection Plus (+\$400)

Available to all travelers upon enrollment, this plan has all of the benefits above and **allows for cancellation for any reason up to 24 hours prior to departure.**

Risk-free enrollment period

Travelers who enroll by our deadline can cancel for any reason up to 14 days after enrollment for a full refund of 100% of the money paid to EF.

Making it happen



Global Citizen Scholarship

This scholarship is designed to help students discover the world—and their place in it.

- EF awards up to \$100,000 in scholarships each year
- Needs- and merit-based
- Any enrolled traveler may apply

***Our due date is August 13, 2024**



Customizable Tour Fundraising Page

Every traveler who enrolls will receive an individual tour fundraising page.

- Anyone can contribute! Send your fundraising page to friends, family, and loved ones
- 100% of all contributions made will go directly toward your tour balance

Levey Student Fundraising



Student Fundraising

- Levey students will have an opportunity to fundraise individually
- Funds raised will go to the individual Levey student travel account.



Group Fundraising

Levey Students and Families.

- Levey students and families will be required to participate in order to receive a portion of funds.
- Funds will be applied to the Levey students travel account.

Everything we get



Itinerary & logistics

- ✓ Everything we talked about getting on tour!



Payments & protection

- ✓ Flexible payment options
- ✓ Personal Tour Fundraising Page
- ✓ Global Travel Protection Plan Included



Safety & support

- ✓ Personal traveler account online
- ✓ Traveler Support Team
- ✓ 24/7 Safety & Incident Response Team
- ✓ Peace of Mind Program



Personalized learning

- ✓ Project-based learning guide
- ✓ High school and college credit options available
- ✓ College essay help



Everything we get

Student Monthly Meetings

- ✓ Safety Protocols
- ✓ Travel Procedures
- ✓ Packing
- ✓ Customs
- ✓ Language
- ✓ Team building
- ✓ and more...



Making it happen

Flexible payment options

You can earn a \$200 discount & qualify for Risk-Free Enrollment too!

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| \$189 BI-WEEKLY <i>(includes \$95 enrollment fee)</i> | \$378 MONTHLY <i>(includes \$95 enrollment fee)</i> | \$4,449 IN FULL \$5,179 for adults | \$4,249 WITH DISCOUNT \$4,979 for adults |
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**Manual payment options available: pay in larger, less frequent installments for a small fee
(Manual payment options are not valid for the risk-free enrollment period)*

Time to enroll!

GUARANTEED SPOTS AVAILABLE:

20

ENROLLMENT DEADLINE:

May 10, 2024



Secure your spot with a \$95 enrollment fee.

Enroll now to earn a \$200 discount & qualify for Risk-Free enrollment!

Enroll tonight to be entered in raffle for an additional \$100 off!!

Enrollment is open!

OUR ENROLLMENT PAGE

www.eftours.com/2697136MH



SIGN-IN FORM

<https://tinyurl.com/26ne9a77>

