

**TRIP PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES NAVAJO
MISSION TRIP 2027**

Because our goal is that you and other trip participants have a safe and rewarding experience on this mission adventure, we ask that you agree to follow these supplemental guidelines.

1. Since we will be leaving the day before the official break begins, please inform your teachers if you'll be missing any of their classes.
2. Always be on time. Bring a copy of the itinerary with you and know the schedule so you will not be surprised by the assigned activities.
3. Remain with the group and participate in all planned activities. Do not venture alone from the group unless you have permission from a sponsor.
4. Be responsible for your personal belongings. Keep it simple and limit electronics to your cell phone. We cannot guarantee the security of expensive personal items and will not replace stolen or lost items.
5. Bring along just a little spending money. Although all your meals will be provided, we will be stopping at some great souvenir shops. We discourage your bringing a lot of cash with you, and we are not responsible for lost or stolen money.
6. Bring along and be responsible for your travel documents such as your driver's license and a passport/official papers for those who are not US citizens.
7. Be respectful at all times. Pay careful attention and follow the guidance given by trip leaders about the Navajo culture. Do not create any noise that may disturb your fellow missionaries, especially at night.
8. Keep hydrated as we will be at a higher altitude where dehydration can occur quickly. Also, getting adequate sleep and eating well will allow you to accomplish much.
9. Wear clothing suitable for the weather and for the assignments you've been given while following the dress code listed in the student handbook. Bring clothes for both warm and cold days. The temperature can range anywhere from 35 – 75 degrees. Snow is likely possible.
10. You are bound by the student handbook while on this mission trip, including the no-tolerance policy for the use of drug, alcohol or tobacco. Violators of these policies will be sent home immediately at their own expense.
11. Have fun while serving God and the Navajo people!