

# Welcome

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Please pick up your child's packet  
on the tables

Students' names are on a label in the top  
right corner of each packet

# Educational Discovery Tours

Presents

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Rossmoor  
Elementary

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4<sup>th</sup> Grade  
**Sacramento  
Excursion**

# BACKGROUND

- Rossmoor's first year for Sacramento field trip with EDT was Spring 2017.
- Annually hold parent meeting to survey parent interest.
- At this point the Sacramento Excursion is in the INTENT phase and would be an OPTIONAL field-trip for 4th grade students and parent chaperones.

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# PROS

- Once in a lifetime opportunity to learn CA History with classmates in a structured learning environment. *(VALUE)*
- Could never visit and see the places in one trip on your own.
- Enriches the lives of students.  
*(Socially/Academically)*

# CONS

- Cost to families monetarily.
- Fundraising so every child could participate. (Variety Show- January)

# Educational Discovery Tours

Student travel company that has been traveling students for 47 years. They provide 24-7 support while we are traveling.

EDT's goal is to create educational tours that provide interactive learning situations for students and parents. Their mission is to create an educational memory that will leave a lasting impression on a student's mind.

[www.educationaldiscoverytours.com](http://www.educationaldiscoverytours.com)

# One Day Trip

## Sacramento & Gold Country

- March 6th, 2020
- Student Trip \$443.00
- Chaperone Trip \$443.00
- Trips are ALL INCLUSIVE and include airport transfers, round-trip airfare, meals, travel in luxury motorcoach with 24-7 tour guide, and all activity admissions.

# One Day

We  Southwest

Long Beach to  
Sacramento

Starts at about 5:00 am

- *Time will be confirmed when we get closer to date at  
Traveler's meeting*

# Greeted at Airport by EDT Tour Bus and Trip Guides



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HISTORIC BRIDGE

COLOMA BRIDGE  
1915

AMERICAN RIVER

SOUTH FORK

# Entering the Gold Country



# Panning for Gold





Gov. STANFORD.

**TRANSCONTINENTAL  
RAILROAD**  
*Wilderness and Nature tested the skill  
and resolve of railroaders as they  
EDGED AMERICA'S FRONTIER.*

Meet Here  
For Tour  
at  
12:30





RONALD REAGAN  
GOVERNOR  
JANUARY 8, 1967 TO JANUARY 8, 1975

# 1-Day Sacramento Excursion

## Possible Itinerary

- California State Capitol Tour
- Railroad Museum
- Picnic Lunch in Old Town
- Marshall Gold Discovery Park where gold was first found
- Gold Diggings' Dinner- Pasta buffet
- Mountain Man Presentation
- Gold Panning
- Luxury Motorcoach Transportation with 24-Hour Tour Guide
- 1 Lunches, 1 Dinner

# PRICELESS

- Experienced 24-Hour tour guide that is filling all down-time and travel time with historical context.
- Structured learning environments with hands-on experience at all trip venues.
- Interaction with peers, parents and teachers. *(Home School Connectedness)*
- All INCLUSIVE – everything is included: meals, travel plans, admissions, and transportation.

# Payment Options

- Full payment is an option anytime.
- Monthly Payments (Online directly to EDT. Can be with any major credit or debit card.)
  - \$100 Deposit by September 13th, Monthly payments listed in packet as well as detailed payment schedule)
- Scholarships available
  - Only for student travelers
  - Not for students whose parents are chaperoning
  - Indicate on the Intent to Participate Form- work with Ms. Belsha directly

# Possible Flights

## **March 6, 2020**

- Southwest Airlines Flight- Departs Long Beach (LGB) at 7:05 am and arrives at Sacramento (SMF) at 8:30 am
- Southwest Airlines Flight - Departs Sacramento (SMF) at 7:25 pm and arrives at Los Angeles (LAX) at 8:50 pm (A motor coach will be there to transport you back to the school at this time)

Adults please make sure to carry a valid picture ID. Everyone will meet around 5:00am at Rossmoor to meet your class and head to the airport!

# NEXT STEPS

- Gather Information - Every parent needs to complete the *Intent to Participate Form* to give the school site the needed information to make the decision on this year's trip (DUE by Friday, September 13th)
- Communicate Trip Decision - By Friday, September 13th Rossmoor will communicate trip status with parents
  - Registration is ONLINE also intent forms due back with deposit or full payment by September 13th.
  - Every traveler NEEDS their own registration form (done online).

Sacramento Experience - Intent to Participate Form

This Form is due FROM ALL STUDENTS on Friday, September 13, 2019

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

(Please Check One)

<input type="checkbox"/>	My child <u>WILL</u> participate in the 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Sacramento Experience.
<input type="checkbox"/>	My child <u>WILL NOT</u> participate in the 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Sacramento Experience.

(Please Check One if Participating)

<input type="checkbox"/>	One/Two parent(s) plan on chaperoning the trip* Please circle one:      1 Parent      2 Parents  Parent(s) Name:
<input type="checkbox"/>	I/We don't plan on attending as a chaperone(s).

(Please Check One if Participating)

<input type="checkbox"/>	I will not require financial assistance to send my child on the trip.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I will need a partial scholarship in the amount of \$ _____ to help cover the cost of my child's trip.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I will need a full scholarship to cover the cost of my child's trip.

(Please Check One if Participating)

<input type="checkbox"/>	I am interested in participating in fundraising opportunities to take down the cost of the trip.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I prefer not to participate in fundraising to reduce the cost of the trip.

(Please Check One if Participating)

<input type="checkbox"/>	I am interested in helping to sponsor a student who might be in need of financial assistance in order for them to participate in this trip.
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\*Scholarships are not available for chaperones or students whose parents are attending as chaperones.

# REVIEW INTENT TO PARTICIPATE FORM- Need from Every Child

[https://res.educationaldiscoveryto  
urs.com/](https://res.educationaldiscoveryto<br/>urs.com/)

Reservations Website

Enter Tour Code

View/Book Tour

## Tour Code: ROSS20SG

Needed from every student

# Rossmoor Elementary School - Sacramento & Gold Country

## Select Traveler Type

Select the type of traveler you wish to book:

\* If you are booking more than one traveler, you will have an option to add another traveler after the first traveler has been booked.

### Student Trip

☐ STUDENT TRIP

\$443.00 per Person

 Available

### Adult Trip

☐ ADULT TRIP

\$443.00 per Person

 Available

### Land Only Traveler Student (Includes everything but airfare to and from Sacramento)

☐ LAND ONLY TRAVELER STUDENT (INCLUDES EVERYTHING BUT  
AIRFARE TO AND FROM SACRAMENTO)

\$243.00 per Person

 Available

### Land Only Traveler Adult (Includes everything but airfare to and from Sacramento)

☒ LAND ONLY TRAVELER ADULT (INCLUDES EVERYTHING BUT  
AIRFARE TO AND FROM SACRAMENTO)

\$243.00 per Person

 Available

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QUESTIONS