

# Montréal / Québec 2019

The World Language department will be sponsoring its fifth trip to Quebec City and Montreal, Canada in the spring of 2019. The students will travel by motor coach and will **leave the morning of May 16<sup>th</sup> and return the afternoon of May 20<sup>th</sup>**. The company that we will travel with, Jump Street Tours, offers the students a multilingual experience, conducting half the trip with a Spanish focus and half with a French focus. We feel that our students would greatly benefit from this opportunity to experience a culture different from their own, and the opportunity to put the language skills they have learned into practice in the real world.



- > This trip is open to 2<sup>nd</sup> through 5th year language students, French, Spanish, and German who are in grades 9 thru 12.
- > Our tentative itinerary for 2019 is attached.
- Passports are **not** required for U.S. students under the age of 19 traveling with a school group. An original copy of their birth certificate and picture/school ID is all that is required. (Adult chaperones and non-U.S. citizens would require a passport.)
- ➤ The approximate cost including: accommodation, luxury motor-coach transportation, breakfast and dinner, gratuities, private night security guard, bilingual tour guide, and all activities will range from \$700-\$1100 depending on the number of students (min. 30, max 49).
- > Students will have the opportunity to participate in several fundraisers during the school year in an effort to defray the cost of the trip.
- As spaces are limited, students will be accepted on a first come, first served basis as deposits are made. The registration deadline is Thursday October 18<sup>th</sup>, and deposits in the amount of \$200 are due on or before October 25<sup>th</sup>.
- ➤ Once your deposit has been made to Jumpstreet, all payments are non-refundable, unless cancelation insurance has been purchased through Jumpstreet (RGP--Refund Guarantee Protection). RGP would cost \$115 for this trip and must be purchased with the deposit. See attached information.
- > Parent chaperones are welcome (if bus seating available) with an additional fee charged for single or double occupancy rooms.

Please contact Leesa Wright 439-7348, or leesa.wright@fraserk12.org with any questions or concerns.



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### 4.5 Days Montreal & Quebec City May 16 to 20, 2019

### Thursday, May 16, 2019

06:00 AM The day has arrived! The trip you've been waiting for is finally here!! Hop aboard your locally chartered luxury motorcoach, get comfortable and get ready for your adventure!

Stops and lunch en route (at Individual expense).

05:00 PM Hooray! You've arrived in Montreal! Meet your tour leader and check in to the hotel to relax and unwind before dinner.

The fun starts now:)

06:30 PM Enjoy a typical mexican meal at El Rey del Taco!

> After the driver drops you off at the restaurant, he will be off duty for the rest of the day. Don't forget any of tonight's

essentials on the bus!

08:00 PM Departure for your next activity. Get into the groove of things and travel all day like a true Montrealer...by metro (aka: the

subway)! Who needs a car anyway? (A 2-way ticket is included per participant.)

08:30 PM Between its rich Latin heritage and penchant for a good music festival, Montreal loves to dance. We're going to show you

just how much at your very own salsa dance lesson, featuring a live band of top Montreal musicians!

> Workshop will be held at Centre Père Sablon (4265 Avenue Papineau, Montreal).

10:00 PM Departure for the hotel (travel by public transportation).

10:30 PM Arrive at the hotel for a good night's rest. Hang in there a few more minutes as your tour leader gives you instructions for

proper hotel conduct and for the next day full of exciting activities!

Spend the night at the Sandman Hotel 999 De Sérigny St - Longueuil QC PH: (450) 670-3030

### Friday, Nay 17, 2019

08:00 AM Everybody ready? Time to leave the hotel with your luggage for your activities! Your tour leader will fill you in on all the fun that's in store.

08:30 AM Let's start the day with a breakfast of champions at La Petite Marche, a quaint French restaurant in the Plateau Mont Royal.

10:00 AM Let the rhythm guide you during your hands-on Latin American percussion workshop.

> Workshop will be held at Espaces des Arts - Studio MAC (9 rue Ste-Catherine Est, Montréal).

12:00 PM Become familiar with Old Montreal during some free time! Here's your chance to explore with your friends, grab lunch (at individual expense), and practice your conversational French. Your tour leader will give you a meeting place and time.

Enjoy!

02:00 PM All aboard! Next stop: Quebec City. Your tour leader will fill you in on what to expect from this magnificent city. You'll

have some time to recharge your batteries before arrival.

05:00 PM Arrive in Quebec City and check in at the hotel to relax and unwind before dinner.

06:00 PM All aboard! It's time to head off to the Village Huron in Wendake!

06:30 PM Located in the heart of Wendake just north of Quebec City, Village Huron is a portrait of First Nations life past, present

and future. You'll explore the site with a guide, tuck into an amazing authentic meal, and partake in traditional dances

and legends, Onhoùa Chetek8el

09:00 PM Departure for the hotel.

09:30 PM Spend the night at the Hotel Must 1345 Route de l'Aéroport - Quebec QC

PH: (418) 380-6878

### Saturday, May 18, 2019

08:00 AM	Everybody ready? Time to head out for your activities! Your tour leader will fill you in on all the fun that's in store.
08:30 AM	Enjoy croissants and a bowl of chocolat chaud at le Cochon Dingue, a quaint café on rue René Lévesque.
09:30 AM	Let's explore this beautiful city with a local guide. Your sightseeing tour will feature all of Quebec's greatest hits, including the Plains of Abraham, Parliament, Grande Allée, Quartier Petit Champlain, Place Royale and Château Frontenac, a.k.a. the most photographed hotel in the world!
11:30 AM	Let's go to the mall, the Galeries de la Capitale! This is an awesome place to practice your French. You'll order lunch (at individual expense), maybe buy a souvenir or three
01:30 PM	The Côte-de-Beaupré, also referred to as Québec's breadbasket, has deep agricultural roots running back to the First Nations and New France's earliest settlers. Time to discover another part of Quebec and head out there for your next activity!
02:00 PM	Observe beautiful mosaics and a replica of Michelangelo's Pieta during your visit of the Ste-Anne de Beaupré shrine.
03:30 PM	Meet Marie, the bread lady, in her family's homestead built in 1652 as you stop by for a snack. (Scoop: it will consist of fresh bread and maple butter! Yum!)
04:15 PM	The Montmorency Falls is a true Quebec icon. They're the tallest waterfalls in the Province, the site of historic battles and legends, and John Keats even references them in his poetry. Keats! Plus, there's also a sweet suspended bridge that spans the top and you're about to walk across it. Acrophobics: prepare to conquer your fear!
05:15 PM	All aboard! Next stop: the SUGAR SHACK!  Discover how the people of Quebec managed to brave the difficult winters through the tradition of maple syrup production as your tour leader shares his/her Sugar Shack story.
06:30 PM	Let's party like it's 1699! At Cabane à Pierre, an authentic cabane à sucre, you'll feast on a 17th Century meal and get down to traditional songs and dances. Don't forget to pour syrup in your pea soup (no joke).
09:00 PM	Departure for the hotel.

Sunday	, May 19, 2019
07;30 AM	Breakfast and orientation at the hotel with your tour leader.
09:00 AM	You won't believe it, but the time has comefor your last day of this fantastic journeyl Time to leave the hotel with your luggage and take advantage of today to say goodbye to these foreign lands.
09:30 AM	Put on your thinking caps! You're about to embark on our legendary Fact Finding Mission in Old Quebec. It's like a scavenger hunt on steroids, where your history, language and cardio skills are put to the test.
	> After the driver drops you off in Old Quebec, he will be off duty until 9:30 PM. Wear proper footwear, you will be hoofing it all day!
11:00 AM	Are you ready to get witty and laugh your socks off?! We sure hope so because soon, you'll become the star in an Improv Game Show - à la Québécoise!!
12:30 PM	Now that you're familiar with Old Quebec, let's enjoy some free time! Here's your chance to explore with your friends, grab lunch (at individual expense), and practice your conversational French. Your tour leader will give you a meeting place and time. Enjoy!
03:30 PM	Meet Le Marquis de Montcalm and General Wolfe during your military training for the 1759 Battle of the Plains of Abraham at the Plains of Abraham Museum.
05:30 PM	Let's try something new and discover the flavors of Basque cuisine during tonight's dinner at Copas, located on beautiful Grande-Allée.
08:30 PM	Okay party people, time to sail away aboard the S.S. Louis Jolliet for a dance boat cruise on the Saint-Lawrence River. Your DJ will play all the latest and greatest hits; you'll bust a move, you'll make new friends, and you'll admire the Quebec City coastline in all its glory (pending confirmation of the cruise's schedule to be released in February).
10:30 PM	Meet back with your well-rested driver, it's already time to say "aurevoir" to Quebec City. You've seen and done so much, yet you've only scratched the surface. This is definitely a city that's best experienced over many, many visits. Until next timel

### Monday, May 20, 2019

Stops and breakfast en route (at individual expense).

12:00 PM This is when you're expected to arrive back at your school, where your family and friends will be eager to hear all about your adventure!

## **Payment Procedure and Enrollment Form**

We are in the planning stages of a trip to Montreal and Quebec City, Canada. Please find in this initial packet a preliminary schedule of activities, and a summary of optional cancellation insurance.

The price of the trip is determined by the number of paying participants. The total price of this tour will be approximately \$700-\$1100 per student. The registration deadline is Thursday October 18<sup>th</sup>, and deposits in the amount of \$200 are due on or before October 25<sup>th</sup>. See attached for additional payment deadlines.

~ The cost of the trip is based on 4 students staying in a room.

The cost of individual cancellation insurance for this trip is \$115/145, in addition to the tour cost. Also, the payment must be made with your initial deposit.

### **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- 1. Registration for trip must be done in two parts:
  - a. Complete attached permission slip and return to Ms. Wright in rm. 1108.
  - b. Register on the Jumpstreet website: <a href="https://portal.jumpstreet.com/log-in">https://portal.jumpstreet.com/log-in</a> TOUR CODE: TX5GZLT
- 2. Deposit will not be paid until a week after the registration deadline in order to be sure that we have the minimum number of students necessary to run the trip.
- 3. Please be prompt with paperwork & payments.
- 4. It is strongly suggested that you photocopy all forms as a back-up.

If you would like to have more information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at this number, (586) 439-7348 or email: leesa.wright@fraserk12.org

# Québec Trip Deadlines 2018-2019 1. Registration Deadline -- Thursday, October 18<sup>th</sup> 2. Deposit Due (\$200) -- Thursday, October 25<sup>th</sup> (will be listed as 2<sup>nd</sup> payment) 3. January payment (\$200) -- Monday, January 15<sup>th</sup> (will be listed as 3<sup>rd</sup> payment) 4. March payment (TBD) -- Friday, March 15<sup>th</sup> (will be listed as 4<sup>th</sup> payment)

- This payment amount will be determined by the cost of the trip and the amount subtracted according to how much you have fundraised. If you have done no fundraising, it will probably be around \$300/\$400.
- 5. April payment (final 10%) -- Monday, April 15th (will be listed as 5th payment)

### **REGISTRATION DEADLINE: OCTOBER 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2018**

NOTE: You must complete steps 1 through 3 in order to be officially registered for the trip.

1. Go to the website below to register with our official tour company Jumpstreet tours:

https://portal.jumpstreet.com/log-in

Tour Code: TX5GZLT

\*NOTE: No payment is made at this time. Deposits may not be made until after the registration deadline to ensure we have a large enough group to run the trip.

2. Turn in the attached Fraser Public Schools Field trip permission form to Ms. Wright in rm. 1108.

Once we are sure that there are enough students to run the trip (shouldn't be a worry, we filled the bus the last time we went<sup>3</sup>), I will email all registrants to let you know to go ahead and submit your deposit.

- 3. Submit deposits of \$200 to the same Jumpstreet website above, by **October 25<sup>th</sup>**, **2018**. Optional: If you want cancellation insurance or medical insurance you must purchase it at this time.
- 4. Make payments to the Jumpstreet website according to the following schedule:
  - ➤ January payment (\$200) Monday, January 15<sup>th</sup> (will be listed as 3<sup>rd</sup> payment on website)
  - ➤ March payment (TBD) Friday, March 15<sup>th</sup> (will be listed as 4<sup>th</sup> payment on website)
    - This payment amount will be determined by the cost of the trip and the amount subtracted according to how much you have fundraised. If you have done no fundraising, it will probably be around \$300/\$400.
  - > April payment (final 10%) -- Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup> (will be listed as 5<sup>th</sup> payment on website)
- 5. We will have two evening planning meetings:

Tuesday, February 5<sup>th</sup>—March payment updates with fundraising amounts

Paperwork packet: Border crossing document

Behavior compliance agreement

Medical/health form

Emergency contact form

(These forms are posted on the website flasworldlanguage.weebly.com if you are curious©)

Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>— Final questions and concerns Spending money exchange

### Cancellation Insurance and Medical Insurance

There are two OPTIONAL products that Jumpstreet tours offers with this trip. These insurances must be purchased with your initial deposit.

- 1. REFUND GUARANTEE PROTECTION (RPG)
  This insurance allows you to get a refund for your trip at any time for any reason. See attached sheet for details.
- COMPREHENSIVE MEDICAL/TRIP INSURANCE
   This insurance provides trip/medical insurance for the 4 days of the trip according to the attached sheet.

Please contact me directly with additional questions: leesa.wright@fraserk12.org or (586) 439-7348

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# Exclusive Product: Our Refund Guarantee Protection (RGP)

Available to groups of 30 paying participants or more.

This is not an insurance product. The RGP is exclusive to Jumpstreet Tours and offers individuals travelling to Canada and/or the United States a refund for any reason and at any time!

### Some Simple Terms Apply:

- You must purchase RGP at the same time as your initial deposit
- RGP does not cover airfare
- If you have purchased RGP and wish to drop out of your trip, simply send us a short note explaining
  why you're dropping out and we will reimburse you within 10 business days
- 100% of trip price (minus airfare, if applicable) is reimbursed if dropping out at least 48 hours before trip start date
- 50% of trip value (minus airfare, if applicable) is reimbursed if dropping out within 48 hours of trip start date
- No refund if dropping out after trip start date
- Cost of RGP and/or insurance premiums is not reimbursed

### Cost:

Your Trip Cost (before airfare, if applicable)	Cost of RGP
\$250 or less	\$30
\$251 - \$500	\$60
\$501 - \$750	\$90
\$751 - \$1,000	\$115
\$1,001 - \$1,250	\$145
\$1,251 - \$1,500	\$165
\$1,501 - \$1,750	\$190
\$1,751 - \$2,000	\$220
\$2,001 - \$2,500	\$275
\$2,501 - \$2,750	\$300
\$2,751 - \$3,000	\$330

If you wish to purchase addition insurance coverage for your trip, such as Medical and/or Trip Cancellation/Interruption, please contact us.



### **USA Groups: Your Insurance Options**

We are required by law to inform you of our various insurance options. We strongly recommend that you distribute this information at your first parent meeting. Full policy details are available upon request.

### **Option 1: Comprehensive**

### Must be purchased at the same time as your initial deposit.

Student Participants		Adult Participants		
Trip Duration	Rate	Trip Duration	Rate	
Up to Four Days	\$22.00	Up to Four Days	\$30.00	
Each Additional Day \$6.00 per day		Each Additional Day	\$8.00 per day	
What's Covered				
Deductible		Zero		
Benefit Maximum		\$150,000 at 100%		
Emergency Medical Reunion		\$5,000 (includes hotels/meals, max \$300 per day)		
Trip Cancellation		\$5,000		
Trip Cancellation – t	errorism	\$5,000		
Trip Delay		\$1,000 (\$200/day)		
Trip Interruption		\$1,000		
Baggage Delay		(\$100/item) \$500		
Personal Property		(\$50 deductible, max \$500/item) \$1,000		
Team Assist Plan (TAP)		24/7 medical, travel, technical assistance		
Emergency Medical Evacuation		\$100,000		

780 Brewster avenue, Suite 02-300, Montréal, QC, H4C 2K1 t. 514-954-9990 | t. 800-663-4956 | f. 514-954-9664

### Fraser Public Schools Field Trip Permission Form

### Dear Parent:

The purpose of this form is to provide information concerning trips, which are made under the direction of the Fraser Public School District. STUDENTS MAY NOT PARTICIPATE IN ANY FIELD TRIP WITHOUT A SIGNED PERMISSION SLIP ON FILE. It is important that parents know about these trips and give permission for their student to participate.

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Date of Trip: May 16-20, 2019 Lead Chaperone Contact	ct Number: (586) 439-7348
Destination: Place: Québec, Canada	Phone:
Time Scheduled at Site: May 16 -20, 20	
Leaving From: Fraser High School	
Time Leaving: <u>leam (May 16)</u>	
Time Returning: <u>noon (May 20)</u>	
Transportation will be provided by:	
	ents will drive themselves (please provide specs below)
Students will travel by charter	red motorcoach
(DETACH)	
Return at least 1 week prior to trip date to: Due	by Oct 18th to heesa Wright rm 1108
I grant permission for	J
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To participate in the field trip to Quebe Location of Tri	c, Canada
Parent/Guardian Signature	Home Phone Number
Parent Designated Emergency Contact Person	Phone Number
Date Approval Given	Additional Information from Teacher  Must allow register on
Field Trip Perm 09/13	~Must allow register on website Iumpotreet.com

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