

Pinellas County Schools  
Approved Field Trip List  
2022-2023

**Please refer to School Board Policy 2340 - Field Trips and Other District Sponsored Trips  
This list is school board approved each July. Additions will be effective the following school year.**

If a field trip is not on this list, please complete the "Application for Field Trip Not On The Approved List" form and forward to your Area Superintendent/Chief Transformation Officer

Overnight trips, even if on this list, require an "Application for Field Trip Not On The Approved List" form, "Field Trip Information Sheet" and a detailed itinerary be forwarded to your Area Superintendent/Chief Transformation Officer for approval.

NO RESTAURANTS ARE ON THE LIST.

Asterisk (\*) denotes a name change.

## **Business - General**

- Airports
- Assisted living facilities
- Banks and other financial institutions
- Bookstores
- Bowling alleys
- Brokerage firms
- Communication oriented businesses
- Daycare / pre-school centers
- Doctors' offices
- Financial institutions
- Florists
- Grocery stores
- Hospital/medical centers
- Laundromats
- Libraries
- Malls
- Newspaper / publishing companies
- Nurseries / garden centers
- Nursing home and retirement centers
- Radio stations
- Television stations
- Travel agencies

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## Public and Government Offices and Sites

### All government departmental offices including, but not limited to:

- Armed Force stations & related offices (including Coastguard)
- Chambers of Commerce
- City Halls
- City, County, Sanitation & Recycling Dept.
- City, County, State Recreation Centers
- Courthouses
- Federal & State government buildings
- Fire departments
- Jails and detention centers
- Law enforcement agencies (including FBI)
- MacDill Air Force Base
- Medical Examiners' offices
- Post Offices
- Power Plants
- Reclamation plants
- Sewage treatment plants
- Water treatment plants

## Aquariums, Zoos and Animal Farms

- Clearwater Marine Aquarium
- Coral Sea Aquarium, Tarpon Springs
- Florida Aquarium, Tampa
- Dakin Dairy Farm
- Horse Power for Kids (District staff shall not sign waiver or participate in pony or horse riding.)
- Zoo Tampa at Lowry Park\* formerly Lowry Park Zoo
- Mixon Fruit Farms
- Old McMicky's Farm
- Bishop Museum of Science and Nature\* formerly Parker Manatee Aquarium, Bradenton
- Retirement Home for Horses, Alachua **(Saturdays only)**
- Saddle Up Ranch **(Approved for EAS Strive Academy Only)**
- Sarasota Jungle Garden
- Suncoast Seabird Sanctuary
- Thunder Ranch, Odessa

## Planetariums, Institutes and Science Centers

### All county, city and state science fairs

- Bishop Planetarium, Bradenton
- Brooker Creek Preserve Environmental Education Center
- Marine Science Station, Crystal River \*formerly Crystal River Marine Science Center
- Rotary Centennial Nature Center\* formerly Dunedin Nature Center
- Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission
- Fish and Wildlife Research Institute\* formerly Florida Marine Research Institute
- Kennedy Space Center

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**Planetariums, Institutes and Science Centers (continued)**

Mote Marine Laboratory  
Museum of Science and Industry (MOSI)  
Nature's Academy, Inc. (no boating or kayaking)  
Newfound Harbor Marine Institute, Sarasota  
Orlando Science Center  
SPC Planetarium, St. Petersburg  
Science Center  
Sea Adventure, Hubbard's  
Seminole Agriculture Farm  
Spongerama Exhibit Center, Tarpon Springs  
New St. Petersburg Innovation District including The Maritime and Defense Technology Hub  
Sunken Gardens, St. Petersburg  
Tampa Bay Watch, Tierra Verde and St. Petersburg Pier  
U.S. Geological Survey and Marine Science Center  
Weedon Island Preserve Cultural and Natural History Center

**Parks and Fields (No swimming, boating or kayaking)**

**All city, county and state parks**

**All preserves in Pinellas County**

Crystal Springs Preserve  
Ellie Schiller Homosassa Springs Wildlife State Park\* Homosassa Springs State Wildlife Park  
Green Swamp Wilderness\* Green Swamp Park, Dade City  
Honeymoon Island State Park  
Jay B. Starkey Wilderness Park, Pasco County\* formerly Starkey Wilderness Preserve  
Moccasin Lake Environmental Educational Center  
Pinellas Cultural Park and related sites  
Selby Botanical Gardens, Sarasota

**Resorts and Theme Parks**

Field trip activity should be in accordance with School Board Policy  
Animal Kingdom  
Busch Gardens  
Dinosaur World  
Disney World  
Epcot  
Florida Botanical Gardens  
Islands of Adventure  
Legoland  
Hollywood Studios\* formerly Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer (MGM) Studios  
Sea World  
Universal Studios  
Weeki Wachee Springs

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**Historical Sites, Museums, and Arts Centers**

**All County, City and State Museums and Art Centers including:**

- African American Heritage Trail
- Astronaut Hall of Fame
- New Contemporary Art Museum, USF
- Discover Florida Tours
- New Dr. Carter G. Woodson African American Museum
- Dunedin Fine Arts and Cultural Center
- Dunedin Historical Museum
- Duncan McClellan Glass Gallery
- New Fairgrounds St. Pete
- Florida Craftsmen Gallery
- Florida Gulf Coast Railroad Museum
- New Florida Museum of Photographic Arts
- Gamble Plantation State Historic Museum
- Glazer Children's Museum
- Great Explorations Children's Museum
- Henry B. Plant Museum
- Heritage Village & Historical Museum (Pinewood Cultural Park)
- Hillsborough County Veterans Memorial Museum
- Holocaust Memorial Museum & Educational Center
- Imagine Museum
- James Museum
- Kid City--The Children's Museum of Tampa
- Largo Cultural Center
- Leepa-Rattner Museum of Art
- Lynx Educational Foundation
- Morean Arts Center/Morean Center for Clay/Chihuly Collection
- Museum of African American Art, Tampa
- Museum of Fine Arts
- Pioneer Florida Museum
- Ringling Museum of Art, Sarasota
- St. Augustine (**Overnight trip requires form**)
- New Safety Harbor Art and Music Center
- Safety Harbor Museum of Regional History
- Salvador Dali Museum
- Seminole Historical Museum
- South Florida Museum, Bradenton and Tampa
- Tampa Bay History Center
- Tampa Museum of Art
- Tarpon Springs Area Historical Society and Train Depot
- Tarpon Springs Cultural Center
- Tarpon Springs Historical Society

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**All County, City and State Museums and Art Centers including:**

The Collection on Palmetto  
New The Curtis Museum  
New The Harn Museum of Art, UF  
Thomas Edison House  
Ybor City State Museum

**Performing Art Centers and Theatres**

American Stage  
Bits' Pieces Puppet Theatre  
Florida Orchestra  
Largo Cultural Center  
The Duke Energy Center for the Arts-Mahaffey Theater\* formerly Mahaffey Theater at Progress  
Energy Center for the Arts  
Oakhurst Learning Center  
Palladium Theater  
Puppet Theatres  
Ruth Eckerd Hall (PACT)  
St. Petersburg Clay Company  
St. Petersburg Opera  
Stages Productions Theatre for Children  
Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center  
Tampa Convention Center  
Tampa Theatre  
Tarpon Springs Cultural Center

**Community and Recreational Facilities** *(No Recreational Swimming, Boating or Kayaking)*

**All Pinellas County Schools and Facilities**

**All State Universities in Florida**

Eckerd College  
Florida Metropolitan University  
Florida Southern College  
Gus Stavros Institute  
Hillsborough Community College  
Pinellas County Extension  
Rollins College  
Schiller International University  
St. Petersburg College  
Stetson Law School  
Stetson University  
University of Tampa

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**Fairs, Festivals and Field Days, Theatre and Musical Events**

**Band, orchestra, chorus festivals and competitions**

AECT International Student Media Festival (ISMF)  
Bay Area Renaissance Festival, Tampa  
Construction Career Fair  
Cracker Country, State Fair Grounds  
District and State FVA chorus festivals  
FAME State Jim Harbin Student Media Festival  
FBA, FUA and FOA State Evaluation Festivals  
Festival of States Competitions/Concerts/Parades  
Florida Strawberry Festival Performances  
freeFall Theatre Company  
International Day  
Highland Games  
Northeast Florida Highland Games  
Mathematics Field Day  
Medieval Times  
Officer Friendly Jamboree at the Jack Russell Stadium  
One Act Play Competition  
St. Petersburg International Folk Fair Society (SPIFFS)  
Science Fairs-Annual International  
Science Fairs-Elementary and Secondary  
Science Fairs-Florida State Science Fair  
Science Olympiad

**Conferences, Conventions and Competitions**

Amalie Arena  
American School Health Association Conference, Orlando  
Columbia Scholastic Press Conference  
Congress De La Culture Francoise State Conference, Orlando  
Discover Native America / Pow W ow, St. Petersburg  
District IV Journalism Competition  
Florida Association of Student Councils Conferences  
Florida Braille Challenge  
Florida Chinese Language Teachers Association Student Competition  
Florida Forensics League State Tournament  
Florida Future Educators of America - State Convention  
Florida High School Model United Nations Conference  
Florida National Dental Congress, Orlando  
Florida Scholastic Press Association Convention  
Florida State Fair Competitions  
Florida State German Conference  
Florida State Spanish Conference  
Florida State Thespian Conference, Tampa  
Florida Theatre Conference

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**Conferences, Conventions and Competitions (continued)**

FMEA State Conference, Tampa  
French Congress  
FSMA Sanctioned District and State Music Performances  
Interact District Convention  
JEA / NSPA Spring National High School Journalism Conference  
Latin Forum  
Mu Alpha Theta Invitational, Regional and State Competition  
National Conference of Community Justice (NCCJ)  
National Scholastic Press Association Convention  
New SKILLS USA Competitions  
Society for Health and Physical Education (SHAPE Florida) Conference  
Southeastern Theatre Conference  
Southern Interscholastic Press Association Convention  
Special Olympics  
Student Council, District IV Rally  
Suncoast Young Authors' Conference  
Tampa Convention Center  
The Scholastic Art & Writing National Awards  
Individual Events Competition  
United States Tennis Assn. Jamboree at East Lake Woodlands  
Very Special Arts Festival, Largo  
Youth in Government/Mock Legislative Session

**Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps.**

**All Official ROTC Sponsored Events in the State of Florida**

6th Marine Corps District Field Meet, Atlanta, GA  
Festival of States Parade, St. Petersburg  
Fun 'N' Sun Parade, Clearwater  
Gasparilla Parade, Tampa  
Memorial Day Activities--various areas, Pinellas County  
NJROTC Leadership Academy, Kings Bay, GA  
Orientation Trip, Quantico, VA  
Orientation Trip, Norfolk, VA; Camp Blanding, Starke  
Parades, Pinellas County  
Safety Harbor Spring Parade, Safety Harbor  
Toys for Tots Activities, Clearwater

**Career, Technical and Adult Education Student Organizations**

**Cooperative Education Clubs of Florida**

Countywide VSO Office Leadership Workshops  
District Leadership Training Workshop  
District Performance Contests  
District Rally  
District Written Contests

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**Cooperative Education Clubs of Florida (continued)**

Employer Recognition Banquet  
Leadership Council Meetings

**Distributive Education Clubs of America**

Chapter Elections and Installation of Officers  
Competitions--Written Test  
Employer Recognition Banquet  
Spring Rally

**Family, Career & Community Leaders of America**

Countywide VSO Office Leadership Workshops  
District Conference  
State Conference  
National Conference  
Countywide VSO Office Leadership Workshops

**Future Business Leaders of America**

District XII Officer Training  
District XII Rally  
District XII Community Service Project  
District XII Advisor and Executive Council Meetings  
District XII Competitions  
District XII Awards Banquet  
State Leadership Conference including Fall  
National Leadership Conference  
Employer Recognition Banquet  
Countywide VSO Office Leadership Workshops  
New Pre-NLC Training

**Future Educators of America**

National Convention  
Future Farmers of America  
Countywide VSO Office Leadership Workshops  
National Convention  
State Convention

**Health Occupations Students of America**

Countywide/District VSO Office Leadership Workshops  
District Conference  
National Conference  
State Conference  
ProStart Culinary Competitions  
Local & District Competitions/Conferences  
State Competitions/Conferences

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**Career, Technical and Adult Education Student Organizations (continued)**

**Technology Students Association**

National Competitions/Conferences  
Advisors Leadership Workshop  
Countywide VSO Office Leadership Workshops

**Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (SKILLSUSA)**

New SKILLS USA Competitions  
Construction Career Days  
Countywide VSO Office Leadership Workshops  
Executive Council Meeting  
FATIE Workshop (VICA - SKILLSUSA Workshop)  
Regional Office Training Workshop  
State Officer Training Workshop

**Other requests by name**

AAA  
Al Lang Field, St. Petersburg  
Amalie Arena  
Astro Skate  
Bama Sea Products  
Baycare Ballpark formerly Bright House Field  
Blackhawk Color Corp.  
Bright House  
Captain Bligh's Landing  
Celebration Station (no rides during school hours)  
Ceridian (formerly ABR)  
Clearwater Ice Arena  
Fantasy of Flight  
Gateway Organic Farms  
GENCA  
H & S Swanson's Tool Company  
Home Shopping Network  
Honeywell  
Humane Society  
Jack Russell Stadium  
Linvatec, Inc.  
Melitta North America, Inc., Clearwater  
Nielson - **High School Students Only**  
Norris Precision Machine  
Pinellas County Extension  
Prima Die Casting  
Raymond James Stadium  
Raytheon Companies  
Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA)  
Southeastern Guide Dogs, Inc.

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**Other requests by name (continued)**

New St. Pete Youth Farm  
Sweetwater Organic Community Farm, Tampa, FL  
Sunstar Ambulance  
Tech Data  
Time Warner  
Tropicana Field, St. Petersburg  
Victor Distributing Co.  
We Rock the Spectrum-Clearwater

**Note: This list is School Board approved and will be in place through the 2022-23 school year.**

Please email corrections, suggestions or requests for additions to the 2023-24 list to:

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If you have questions, please call 727-588-6121.