



OBRA D. TOMPKINS HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

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OTHS ORCHESTRA SPRING TRIP 2016 NEW YORK CITY

The Tompkins Orchestra program is excited to announce our 2016 Spring trip to New York on March 11-15. During the trip the orchestra will perform at St. Malachy's Church in NY and spend three days enjoying the sights and sounds of New York City! This is the only chance for each current orchestra member to take a "big" trip out of state with the Tompkins Orchestras, so we hope that everyone will be able to participate. This will definitely be a trip you'll never forget!



Preliminary Itinerary

Friday, March 11 - Flight to New York City, Times Square, Hotel Check-In

Saturday, March 12 - New York Tour, Chinatown/Little Italy, Broadway Show,

Sunday, March 13 - Performance @ St. Malachy's, Central Park, Museum of Art, Dinner Cruise

Monday, March 14 - Check-Out, Rockefeller Plaza, Flight to Houston

**This itinerary is tentative and may change*

Total trip cost is estimated at \$1550-\$1650 per student. This includes:

Tour Inclusions

- Round Trip Flight from Houston
- NYC Deluxe Charter Coach Transportation
- Luggage and Instrument Transportation
- Quad Occupancy Deluxe Hotel Accommodations
- All Attraction Tickets
- All Meals (except traveling meals)
- Performance Venue Fees
- Trip Shirt(s)

Please note that this trip will be taken during one school day (Friday before spring break). This means that students who participate in other activities that require school absences, such as tennis & FFA will need to plan accordingly so that the district allowed ten days aren't used up before the trip.

As per state law and Katy ISD policy, students must be academically eligible to participate in the trip. Refunds will not be given due to ineligibility, although we will be able to give you your attraction tickets and/or coupons for future use.

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2016 New York Trip Contract

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_____, will participate in the OTHS Orchestra Trip to New York in 2016.

I understand the following:

- The trip will cost approximately \$1550-\$1650 per student. Payments may be divided into seven total installments on the following schedule:

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Wednesday, Aug. 5	\$100	
Friday, Sept. 18	\$300	
Friday, Oct. 16	\$300	
Friday, Nov. 13	\$300	
Friday, Jan. 15	\$300	
Friday, Feb. 19	Balance Due (approx. \$150-\$250)	

Checks payable to Tompkins Orchestra Friends

The trip deposit of \$100 is due on Wed, June 3rd, 2015. This deposit is non-refundable

**Final Payment based on full participation & maximizing bus occupancy

- A trip reservation will not be made for my child until this signed Trip Contract is returned and the Trip Deposit has been paid.
- October 1st, 2015 is the last day to withdraw from the trip and receive a refund of payments made**, excluding the trip deposit. The deposit is non-refundable. All requests to withdraw from the trip must be made in writing.
- If my child is unable to participate in the trip for any reason, including academic ineligibility or illness, money that has been paid to the respective organization is non-refundable after **October 1st, 2015**. I am also aware that should my child not withdraw before the deadline, any delinquent or remaining trip payments must be paid in full even if my child is unable to attend the trip. Students must be academically eligible by the Fifth Six Weeks Report Card to participate in the trip.
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Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

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SCHOOL COPY

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