

Make a Memory with a Summer Fieldtrip!

Many of the students in our program have limited opportunities and finances to participate in an activity outside of their normal routine of home and school. Summer is great time to supplement your student's tutoring sessions with a hands-on learning experience. A fieldtrip can be as simple as taking a trip to a bookstore and treating your student to lunch, or it can be as elaborate as a day-long trip to Disneyland.

Below is a list of attractions around the Los Angeles area to help you decide on places to take your student. The best experience you can provide is to connect your fieldtrip with something you are currently studying with the student. Possible examples include a trip to Six Flags to study the laws of physical sciences, or a trip to Moorpark Farms as a follow up on agriculture's role in US history compared with current agricultural trends. Show your student that education and fun are harmonious!

No matter where you decide to take your student, please remember the following guidelines:

1. Before you begin to discuss a trip with your student, talk to his/her parent about the idea.
2. Strictly follow the School on Wheels Field Trip Policy
(<http://www.schoolonwheels.org/tools/software/original/public/fileforward.php?Id=4633>)

Fieldtrip List:

Aquarium of the Pacific in Long Beach

<http://www.aquariumofpacific.org/>

Autry National Center Museum of the American West

<http://www.autry-museum.org/>

Cabrillo Marine Aquarium in San Pedro

<http://www.cabrilloaq.org/>

California Science Center

<http://www.californiasciencecenter.org/>

Chinese American Museum of Los Angeles

<http://www.camla.org/>

College campuses

<http://usc.edu/>

<http://www.ucla.edu/>

<http://www.caltech.edu/>

<http://www.jpl.gov/>

Descanso Gardens in La Canada Flintridge

<http://www.descansogardens.org/site/>

Discovery Science Center in Santa Ana

<http://www.discoverycube.org/>

Griffith Observatory

<http://www.griffithobs.org/>

Guinness World Records Museum in Hollywood

<http://www.guinnessworldrecords.com/>

Heritage Square Museum

www.heritagesquare.org

Huntington Library, Art Collections and Botanical Gardens in Pasadena

<http://www.huntington.org/>

Japanese American National Museum

<http://www.janm.org/>

Kidspace Children's Museum in Pasadena

<http://www.kidspacemuseum.org>

Knott's Berry Farm in Anaheim

<http://www.knotts.com/>

La Brea Tarpits

<http://www.tarpits.org/>

LEGOLAND

<http://www.halftondesign.com/legoland/legolandca/>

Long Beach Museum of Art

lbma.org

Los Angeles Beaches

Los Angeles County Museum of Art

<http://www.lacma.org/>

Los Angeles Zoo and Botanical Gardens

<http://www.lazoo.org/>

MOCA at the Geffen Contemporary

<http://www.moca.org/>

Moorpark Farm Center

<http://www.underwoodfamilyfarms.com/Moorpark.htm>

Museum of Latin American Art

<http://www.molaa.com/>

Museum of Tolerance

<http://www.museumoftolerance.com/>

Natural History Museum

<http://www.nhm.org/>

Norton Simon Museum

<http://www.nortonsimon.org/>

Olvera Street Downtown and the Avila Adobe Museum

www.olvera-street.com/

Pacific Park on the Santa Monica Pier

<http://www.pacpark.com/>

Petersen Automotive Museum

<http://www.petersen.org/>

Queen Mary in Long Beach

<http://www.queenmary.com/>

Six Flags Magic Mountain

<http://www.sixflags.com/magicMountain/>

Skirball Museum and Noah's Ark in Los Angeles

<http://www.skirball.org/>

Southwest Museum

<http://www.southwestmuseum.org/>

The Gamble House

<http://www.gamblehouse.org/>

The Getty Museum and Getty Villa

<http://www.getty.edu/museum/>

Travel Town in Griffith Park

<http://www.lacity.org/RAP/grifmet/tt/information.htm>

Universal Studios Hollywood

<http://www.universalstudioshollywood.com/>

Zimmer Children's Museum

<http://www.zimmermuseum.org/>