

Clear Vista
Grade 7 Overnight Field Trip
Tyrrell Museum
March 15 & 16, 2023



Tyrrell Museum Overnight Trip

Grade 7 EDUTOUR



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March 15

9:00 am Depart from Clear Vista School
 11:30 am Lunch at Tyrrell Museum: *Students are required to bring a bagged lunch.*
 12:30 pm EDUTOUR programming begins

March 16

10:00 am Depart from Tyrrell Museum
 11:15 am Lunch in Stettler: Pizza lunch at Boston Pizza
 1:00 pm Depart from Stettler
 2:30 pm Arrive at Clear Vista School



Itinerary



Packing List



Supervisors & Expectations

Group 1 - 7K

Mr. Kaup
 Mr. Menear
 Ms. Frederickson

Group 2 - 7T & LA3

Ms. Thurmeier
 Mr. Doyle
 Ms. Goun

Mrs. Jager - Emergency Transportation

Student
Conduct



Cost Breakdown

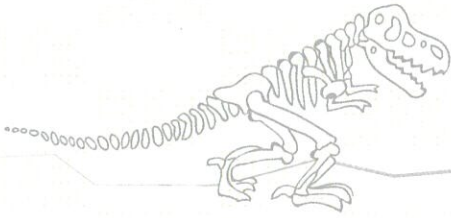
Revenue

School Funds	\$2,601.00
Clear Vista School Parent Fundraising Donation	\$2,700.00
Field Trip Fee (\$30x50 Students)	\$1,500.00
Total	\$6,801.00

Expenses

Edutour (Tyrrell Museum)	\$3,700.00
Transportation (Frontier Bus Lines)	\$2,701.00
Lunch - March 16	\$400.00
Total	\$6,801.00





SUGGESTED PACKING LIST

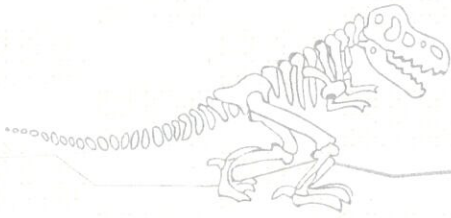
- Twin/double sized foam/air mattress
- Sleeping bag/blankets
- Pillow
- Small flashlight
- Appropriate loose comfortable clothing that can be layered (sleeping attire and outfit for the next day)
- Towel and swimsuit
- Water bottle
- Easy to slip on and off, comfortable footwear, sturdy enough for hiking
(If the weather is poor, a separate pair of indoor shoes)
- Small hand towel
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Toiletries
- Spending money
- Earplugs
- Sunscreen/insect repellent
(weather dependent)

We suggest you keep your indoor shoes, water bottle, sunscreen/insect repellent, swim gear, and pajamas in your day pack for accessibility. It is recommended you change into pajamas at the pool after swimming to speed up the bedtime process.

The Museum does not provide any sleeping material or equipment. As you will be sleeping on the floor in *Dinosaur Hall*, we recommend you bring a small air mattress or foam pad to cushion your sleeping bag. Most of the sleeping areas do not have enough room to accommodate mattresses larger than a double. You must bring your own pump if you are bringing an air mattress.

The galleries are generally warm and dry as this is the best environment for the fossils. The fan system may be kept on to circulate the air, which may result in cool drafts; however, this is an exception. We recommend that you bring sleeping attire and bedding that is suitable for layering, earplugs, and water/water bottle for maximum sleeping comfort.

If your group has a bedwetter, please ensure the camper has an extra layer of padding in the sleeping bag, and a plastic bag to carry soiled garments, etc.



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EDUTOUR SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 1 – MAY 14

DAY 1

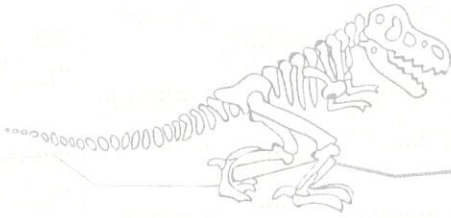
- 12:30 p.m. Arrival: teacher checks in at the Visitor Services Desk, students unload day packs into Learning Centre
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- 12:45 p.m. Orientation in Auditorium with the science educator(s)
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- 1:15 p.m. **Badlands Hike**
Double Edutour Only – Group 2:
Cretaceous Crime Scene
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- 2:15 p.m. Snack break in the Cafeteria
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- 2:45 p.m. **Cretaceous Crime Scene**
Double Edutour Only – Group 2:
Badlands Hike
(or indoor program in case of inclement weather)
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- *3:45 p.m. Unguided gallery walk with chaperones*
(No Museum Shop visit at this time)
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- 4:50 p.m. Orientation in the Auditorium with host
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- 5:00 p.m. Supper in the Cafeteria
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- 5:45 p.m. **Fossil Casting**
Double Edutour Only – Group 2:
Digging Dinos
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- 6:45 p.m. Break
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- 7:00 p.m. **Digging Dinos**
Double Edutour Only – Group 2:
Fossil Casting
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- 8:15 p.m. Departure from Museum, arrival and orientation at Aquaplex
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- 8:30 p.m. Swimming
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- 9:45 p.m. Departure from Aquaplex, return to the Museum, unload overnight gear
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- 10:00 p.m. Snack in the Cafeteria
Bed down in *Dinosaur Hall*
Lights out by 11:00 p.m.

DAY 2

- 7:30 a.m. Rise and shine, pack up your gear, and move gear to Learning Centre lobby
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- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast in the Cafeteria
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- 8:45 a.m. Auditorium presentation
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- 9:30 a.m. Museum Shop time and load gear into vehicles
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- 10:00 a.m. Depart for home or enjoy our exhibits

*If you would like more time to explore the Museum, contact the Edutour Coordinator to arrange early arrival or late departure.

Student Gallery Worksheets are available on our website.



ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE PROCEDURES

OCTOBER 1 – MAY 14

ARRIVAL PROCEDURES: Day 1, 12:30 p.m.

DROP-OFF

- Arrive at the Museum no later than 12:30 p.m. Drop off students and chaperones in the vehicle, or bus, drop-off areas in front of the Museum (see Museum Map).*
- Regular passenger vehicles may unload in the “Public drop-off and pick-up zone” just before the fire lane. Buses should unload in the designated “Buses only drop-off and pick-up zone” past the fire lane. All vehicles should then proceed to the parking lot.
- *Idling or parking in the fire lane is NOT permitted at any time and may result in your vehicle being ticketed or towed.*

CHECK-IN

- The group organizer should enter the Museum first and proceed to the Visitor Services Desk in the main lobby.
- The organizer is responsible for updating group numbers. Refunds are not provided for reduced numbers. The organizer will receive a receipt for the program expense. They should then exit the Museum through the main entrance and meet their group at the Learning Centre entrance.
- All students and remaining chaperones should exit vehicles and enter through the Learning Centre doors with their day packs. Once inside, they will be instructed to drop their day packs off in the designated location and proceed into the Auditorium. Overnight gear should remain in vehicles until after swim time.

ACTIVITIES

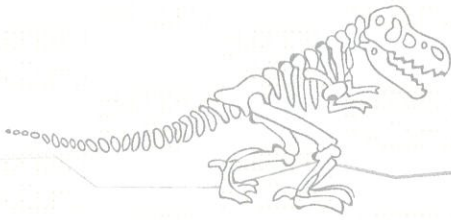
- Once programs start, Science Educators will guide you until the 3:45 p.m. self-guided gallery time. At 4:50 p.m., please meet your Host in the Auditorium where they will review the evening rules and expectations.
- At 10:00 p.m. on arrival back at the Museum from the off-site activity, please unload all of your night gear into the Learning Centre lobby, again unloading in the designated areas for public or buses, NOT in the fire lane.
- The Host will direct you to sleeping areas. Please listen carefully to the instructions of where you can sleep; many walkway areas are used by security and must be kept clear.

DEPARTURE PROCEDURES: DAY 2

RISE AND SHINE at 7:30 a.m.

- Pack up gear and take to Learning Centre lobby prior to breakfast at 8:00 a.m. Items must be out of the galleries before breakfast!
- Upon completion of your Museum Shop visit at 10:00 a.m., please return to the Learning Centre lobby to exit the Museum and load gear into vehicles in the designated areas previously outlined.
- If you wish to stay longer, the galleries open at 10:00 a.m.

* If arriving before 12:30 p.m. to visit the galleries, please follow the check-in process listed above. At 12:35 p.m. we ask that your group gathers together back in the main lobby of the Museum to meet your Science Educator(s).



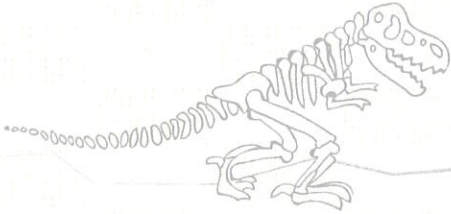
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MENU

DAY 1				DAY 2
AFTERNOON SNACK	SUPPER	DESSERT	EVENING SNACK	BREAKFAST
Granola bar Fresh fruit Juice, milk, water coffee, tea	Only ONE supper selection will be offered per group. Mac & Cheese with ceasar salad or Cheese burger with fries, vegetable sticks or Chicken tenders with fries, vegetable sticks Each meal option comes with jugs of crystal juice, milk, water, coffee, and tea.	Homemade brownie	Yogurt Banana bread Fresh fruit Juice, milk, water	Pancakes, syrup Sausage Scrambled egg Hash brown Cereal Banana Juice, milk, water, coffee, tea

Please ensure that any special dietary needs are noted on the Class Registration Form.



CHAPERONE INFORMATION

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING THE ROYAL TYRRELL MUSEUM EDUTOUR PROGRAM!

We appreciate your help to chaperone this program. Here is an overview of what is expected:

- Chaperones must stay with their group/students at all times.
- While in the programming sessions, assist the Host(ess) and Science Educators by getting the group to and from the activity areas.
- Check that the Cafeteria is cleaned after each snack/meal.
- The Museum is a smoke, drug, and alcohol-free facility.
- Have your students stay on the correct side of barriers. The Museum has sectioned off areas of the Museum not available to the Edutour program.
- Ensure that your students do not climb in, or on the exhibits. It is dangerous for them, as well as damaging to the fragile exhibits. Any damage caused will be charged back to the responsible school/individual.
- Make sure that your students/chaperones have all their belongings prior to leaving the Museum.

We hope that you have as much fun as the students do!

SECURITY & EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

- Museum staff are located in the Learning Centre lobby, at the Visitor Services Desk in the main lobby, and/or in the Security Office, at all times.
- If you have difficulties or problems with your group, please contact the Edutour staff.
- A First-Aid Room is located by the Security Office near the Visitor Services Desk.
- Prior to lights-out, Edutour staff will review emergency exit procedures with chaperones.
- After lights-out, a chaperone must accompany younger students to the bathroom. (Older students need not be chaperoned.) Please use your flashlight. **Hold the beam down to the floor.** Remember to put your shoes back on as footwear must be worn at all times, except when sleeping.
- After lights-out, Security will make rounds through the galleries on a scheduled basis to ensure the safety of all participants. **(Chaperones, however, are still responsible for their group.)**

EMERGENCY EVACUATION PROCEDURES

- At the sound of the alarm, chaperones should remain calm.
- Gather your students and instruct them to pick up their coats and shoes/boots, leaving all other belongings.
- Wait for Edutour staff to lead you to the Learning Centre lobby and then through the front doors. If this is not a safe route, Edutour staff will lead you to the nearest alternate exit, which will be shown to you during the emergency exit procedures review.
- Once outside, put on coats and footwear.
- STAY IN A GROUP. Do a head count.
- Confirm with Edutour staff that everyone is accounted for.
- Wait for the all clear signal. Museum Edutour staff will advise chaperones of next procedures.