


"The Dominican Republic trip was the BEST week of my life." - Emily Crawford

"Their outlook on life was changed forever."
- Jennifer Crawford, Emily's Mom



"Jackie came back and the first words out of her mouth as she hugged me was, 'Thank you for letting me go. It was the most amazing experience.'" - Ed Moyer, Jackie's Dad

Service Learning in the Dominican Republic













OUR MEETING WILL COVER



Why Travel



Our Trip



Our Partner



Safety First



What is Included



How to reserve your spot

WHY TRAVEL?

- Why I'm passionate about travel and service learning
- Why this tour is great for our group
- Helping students become global citizens



WHAT TO EXPECT ON A SERVICE LEARNING TOUR



**Making a
Difference**

**Crossing
Cultures**

**Leadership
Development**

- Fair Trade Wages
- Economic Sustainability
- Educational Sustainability
- Environmental Sustainability
- *Locally-identified needs*



CURRENT PROGRAMS



- Child Support and Empowerment
- Light Construction (e.g., painting, mixing cement)
- Community Walks
- Sports with Youth
- Gardening and Agricultural Work

A SERVICE DAY IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Sample Itinerary



6 – 6:30 Wake up

7:00 Group breakfast at the resort

8:45 Travel to project site/orphanage

12:00 Lunch

3:00 Head back to resort/beach/break/free time

6:00 Dinner

7:00 Evening debrief with local educator

SAFETY FIRST

- 24/7 Field Director
- Security Guards at the hotel
- Chaperones
- 24-Hour emergency on-call service
- My approach to safety





WHY GROUP TRAVEL?

*Group travel keeps tours affordable,
allowing more students to see the world*

- Experience the Dominican Republic as you could never experience on your own
- Combined groups get the best value.
- This trip is a classroom – the coolest classroom you will probably ever be in

WHAT ARE YOU RESPONSIBLE FOR?

These are all necessities each traveler will be responsible for.

Entrance Fees Spending money

Students should bring spending money for food in airports, money and supermarkets, and shopping. \$100 is enough for most students.

Tips

\$6 per day for the Field Director. \$3 per day for the bus driver. If applicable, \$2 for the boat driver and \$2 for the snorkeling instructor. Total minimum is \$76.

Appropriate clothing for service project work

Passport and/or visa fees

Baggage fees and Travel to and from the Philadelphia airport



PASSPORTS AND VISAS

All travelers are responsible for securing necessary documentation

Passports

Valid passports are required for all travelers.
Passports may take up to 14 weeks to process.

Important Note: *Passports must be valid for at least six months after our return date.*











Visas

Non-U.S. citizens may require special visas or other travel documents.



EVERYTHING YOU GET

Program price includes:

-  Round-trip flights on major carriers
-  Accommodations
-  Ground transportation
-  Educational itinerary
-  Sightseeing led by local guides
-  Full-time Field Director
-  Service hours that count toward academic credit
-  Sustainable service project with local organization
-  Leadership-building activities and workshops
-  Global Travel Protection Plan

PAYING FOR YOUR TOUR

Once enrolled, price will not go up

PRICE DETAILS

Program Price: \$2,850

Installment Payments Available

\$159 deposit reserves your spot

Includes:

Round-trip airfare

Hotels with private bathrooms

All meals in the Dominican Republic

Full-time Tour Director

Daily Activities

NO EXTRA FEES

\$100 is non-refundable.



Flexible Payment

1) Pay in Full at Enrollment

Pay your entire balance at the time you enroll.

2) Pay in 3 Installments

Deposit	\$171
after 1 month	\$883.50
after 3 months	\$883.50
after 5 months	\$912

3) Pay in 9 Monthly Installments

Deposit	\$171
after 1 month	\$285
after 2 months	\$285
after 3 months	\$285
after 4 months	\$285
after 5 months	\$285
after 6 months	\$313.50
after 7 months	\$313.50
after 8 months	\$313.50
after 9 months	\$313.50

PAYPAL CREDIT

**No Payments + No Interest
if paid in full in 6 months**

on purchases of \$99 + or more

Check out with PayPal
& choose PayPal Credit



SHOP
SECURELY

Reimbursement

\$100 is non-refundable

Beginning January 1, 2019, \$300 PLUS expenditures is non-refundable

Individual Fundraising

- Wawa - Sell coupons for hoagies
- Rita's - Sell discount cards
- Donations from family/friends
- Go Fund Me

Enrollment Updates

- Group email correspondence will not begin until AFTER registration when we have your preferred methods of contact.
- Enrollment can fill quickly. Updates will be posted on Facebook and Instagram:
 - <https://www.facebook.com/ilitravel/>.
 - ILI Tours on Instagram

READY TO SERVE ABROAD?

Space is limited. Reserve your spot now!

Online:

litravel.org

Phone: 215-527-9366

Spots Available:

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Application Deadline:

Friday, October 5, 2018



RESERVING A SPOT

Go to <http://ilitravel.org/register/>

There is required information starred regarding the student's name and contact information as well as the parent/guardian name/contact information. Then it will take you to paying by credit card.