

## Executive Summary Fayette County Public Schools Board Meeting Agenda Item

MEETING: Regular DATE: 10/27/2025

**TOPIC:** Requests from Principals for extended field trips

PREPARED BY: Chiefs of Schools

**Recommended Action on:** 

Action Item for Vote (REGULAR MEETING)

Superintendent Prior Approval: No

**Recommendation/Motion:** A motion is in order to approve the requests for extended field trips as listed.

**Background/Rationale:** These trips have been planned to enhance the education of participating students. Some of the trips involve educational projects while some are performance or competition events. All of the trips assist the students in dealing with people and events outside the ordinary realm of home and school. Each extended trip has been pre-planned and will be properly supervised. The itinerary for each trip, in addition to a list of participating students, has been included. Any trip taken during the school day must be educationally justified.

## **Strategic Priority:**

☑ Student Achievement
 ☑ Unity, Belonging & Student Efficacy
 ☐ Highly Effective, Culturally Responsive Workforce

☑ Outreach & Engagement ☐ Organizational Health & Effectiveness

**Data Considerations:** N/A

**Policy:** 09.36 School related student trips

Fiscal Impact: N/A

**Attachments(s):** Field Trips 102725

## REQUESTS FROM PRINCIPALS FOR EXTENDED TRIPS

School/Organization	<b>Destination/Purpose</b>	<b>Inclusive Dates</b>

		High Schools	
****	Bryan Station High School	Georgetown, KY	11/6/2025
	EMR/IT	Toyota of Georgetown	(1 School Day)
	Sponsor's name: Rebecca Shearer Additional Chaperones: 6 Students: 66	Factory Tour	
****	Bryan Station High School	Lexington, KY	11/13/2025
	Freshmen	Tates Creek High School	(1 School Day)
	Sponsor's name: Rebecca Shearer Additional Chaperones: 54 Students: 550	Career Expo	
*	Bryan Station High School	Louisville, KY	2/3-7/2026
	Music Department	Galt House	(3 School Days)
	Sponsor's name: Nathan Bailey Additional Chaperones: 5 Students: 40	KMEA All State Ensembles	
****	Bryan Station High School	Louisville, KY	2/6/2026
	Chamber Orchestra	Galt House	(1 School Day)
	Sponsor's name: Kelly Mayes Additional Chaperones: 3 Students: 34	KMEA Performance	
***	Henry Clay High School	Louisville, KY	11/16-18/2025
	Student Y	Crowne Plaza Hotel	(2 School Days)
	Sponsor's name: Elise Perry Additional Chaperones: 2	KUNA	

Students: 30

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\*\*\* Ashland, KY 12/27-29/2025 Henry Clay High School **Boys Basketball** Ashland High School (0 School Days) Sponsor's name: Daniel Brown Ashland Christmas Tournament Additional Chaperones: 5 Students: 16 \*\*\* 2/4-9/2026 Henry Clay High School Orlando, FL Cheer Walt Disney World (3 School Days) Sponsor's name: Alexa Wingate **Cheer Nationals** Additional Chaperones: 2 Students: 25 Henry Clay High School Vero Beach, FL 4/3-10/2026 Baseball Jackie Robinson Athletic Complex (1 School Day) Sponsor's name: Jordan Tarrence **Baseball Tournament** Additional Chaperones: 4 Students: 28 \*\*\*\* 5/1-2/2026 Henry Clay High School Paducah, KY Baseball McCracken County High School (1 School Day) Sponsor's name: Jordan Tarrence Baseball Game Additional Chaperones: 4 Students: 24 Lafayette High School Bowling Green, KY 10/23-25/2025 Post Approval Theatre Western Kentucky University (2 School Days) Sponsor's name: Amie Kisling Theatre Workshop Additional Chaperones: 4 Students: 40 \*\*\*\* Lafayette High School Louisville, KY 2/4-7/2026 **Band** Galt House (3 School Days) Sponsor's name: Robert Bishop KMEA All State Conference Additional Chaperones: 4 Students: 30

> Locust Trace Louisville, KY

Pre-Vet Kentucky Expo Center (1 School Day)

3/12/2026

Sponsor's name: Kathleen Magsam **AKC Dog Show** 

	Additional Chaperones: 4 Students: 55		
****	Paul Laurence Dunbar High School Educators Rising Sponsor's name: Andy Smith Additional Chaperones: 1 Students: 11	Highland Heights, KY Northern Kentucky University Educators Rising Regional Conference	11/21/2025 (1 School Day)
****	Paul Laurence Dunbar High School DECA Sponsor's name: Cathy Crump Additional Chaperones: 4 Students: 54	Richmond, KY Eastern Kentucky University Regional Career Development Conference	1/15/2026 (1 School Day)
****	Paul Laurence Dunbar High School WPLD Sponsor's name: Wendy Turner Additional Chaperones: 1 Students: 20	Tampa, FL Tampa Convention Center Student Television Network Convention	2/27-3/4/2026 (3 School Days)
****	Paul Laurence Dunbar High School DECA Sponsor's name: Cathy Crump Additional Chaperones: 4 Students: 54	Louisville, KY Hyatt Regency State Career Development Conference	3/1-3/2026 (3 School Days)
****	Paul Laurence Dunbar High School Leaders in the Making and BSU Sponsor's name: Earline Jackson Additional Chaperones: 3 Students: 40	Bowling Green, KY & Nashville, TN WKU, TSU, MTSU, Belmont, Fisk College Visits	3/17-20/2026 (0 School Days)
****	The Stables All Students Sponsor's name: Kevin Farris Additional Chaperones: 11 Students: 37	Cincinnati, OH Freedom Center Museum tour	2/13/2026 (1 School Day)

## **Middle Schools**

****	Crawford Middle	Louisville, KY	11/7/2025		
	6th Grade	Louisville Zoo	(1 School Day)		
	Sponsor's name: Jacqulyn Parsons Additional Chaperones: 9 Students: 100	Observing animal behaviors & habitats			
*	EJ Hayes Middle	Orlando, FL	2/5-9/2026		
	Dance	Walt Disney World	(3 School Days)		
	Sponsor's name: Taylor Adams Additional Chaperones: 19 Students: 18	UDA Nationals			
****	SCAPA	Gatlinburg, TN	11/20-21/2025		
	6th Grade	Aquarium of the Smokies	(2 School Days)		
	Sponsor's name: Macy Reed	6th Grade Trip			
	Additional Chaperones: 14				
	Students: 60				
****	Tates Creek Middle	Indianapolis, IN	10/30/2025		
	TCMS Ag Club	Indianapolis Convention Center	(1 School Day)		
	Sponsor's name: Elijah Parham Additional Chaperones: 1	National FFA Convention			
	Students: 12				
	Elementary Schools				
***	Cardinal Valley Elementary	Carlisle, KY	4/14-15/2026		
	4th Grade	4-H Camp	(2 School Days)		
	Sponsor's name: Hannah McClenahan	Students will experience a variety of lessons			
	Additional Chaperones: 12 Students: 102	that align with KY science and social studies standards			
****	Meadowthorpe Elementary	Carlisle, KY	11/3/2025		
	5th Grade	4-H Camp	(1 School Day)		
	Sponsor's name: Madison Wallace	Students will experience a variety of lessons	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
	Additional Chaperones: 8	that align with KY science and social studies			
	Students: 45	standards			
****	Meadowthorpe Elementary	Carlisle, KY	11/6-7/2025		
	4th Grade	4-H Camp	(1 School Day)		

Sponsor's name: Rachel Farmer Additional Chaperones: 21

Students: 60

that align with KY science and social studies standards

\*\*\*\* Rosa Parks Elementary

5th Grade

Washington, DC Various Monuments & Landmarks

(3 School Days)

4/19-22/2026

Sponsor's name: Emily Franklin Additional Chaperones: 40

Students: 100

Students will learn life key concepts from the 5th grade curriculum, such as STEM, civis,

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democracy, and national heritage

Transportation by Parents and/or Sponsor

\*\* Transportation by Rental Van/Car

\*\*\* Transportation by Fayette County School Transportation by Commercial Airlines Transportation by Commercial Bus

Fayette County School Bus Unavailable Α

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Instructional Extended Trip

**RATIONALE:** These trips have been planned to enhance the education of participating students. Some of the trips involve

09.36 (School Related Student Trips) POLICY REFERENCE:

**RECOMMENDATION:** A motion is in order to: approve the

Approve the extended trip requests as