PRELIMINARY ITINERARY

Colonel By Secondary School - Music Ottawa-Carleton District School Board Tour ID: 23-36820/1, Toronto May 25 to 28, 2023 BUS 1, BUS 2

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Day One - Thursday May 25, 2023

En route your Tour Director will get to know the students on a first name basis and lead discussions.

11:30 AM Coach transportation

Arrival at your school of a washroom equipped, climate controlled, highway motor coach.

- 12:00 PM Board your motor coach and depart. Appropriate rest and meal stops will be made. Take Highway #407 to and from your destination.
- 5:30 PM **Rehearsal** Rehearse at your residence for your upcoming performance at Canada's Wonderland
- 7:00 PM **Medieval Times Dinner and Tournament** Embark on an 11th century adventure as you enjoy a Medieval Feast and cheer on your knight during an epic competition at Medieval Times.
- 8:00 PM Board your motor coach and transfer to your accommodations.
- 9:00 PM **Check In** Approximate arrival at The George - Student Residence.

Day Two - Friday May 26, 2023

- 8:00 AM Hot Breakfast at the George Residence.
- 9:00 AM **Rehearsal** Morning rehearsal before the group heads to Wonderland!
- 9:45 AM Board your motor coach and depart for your next activity.
- 10:30 AM **Canada's Wonderland Festival of Music** Your group performs at Canada's Wonderland. After your performance, the adjudicator will present your group with comments from your performance recorded onto a CD. Included in this performance package is admission to the amusement park with over 200 attractions, 60 rides and a 20-acre water park. Lunch, dinner and access to the park's attractions will be in supervised groups.

Day Three - Saturday May 27, 2023

8:00 AM Hot Breakfast at the George Residence.

9:30 AM Board your motor coach and depart for your next activity.

10:00 AM Visit the CN Tower

Ride the elevator 342 m (1,122 ft) to the observation deck of the CN Tower. Enjoy the awe-inspiring views of the city. NOTE: Due to renovations of the Outdoor Terrace Level, the outdoor terrace and original glass floor are not open. The new glass floor on the Tower's Main Observation Level remains open, letting you "dare to walk on air" and enjoy the thrill of seeing straight down to the ground, 114 storeys below.

11:30 AM Visit Ripley's Aquarium

Ripley's Aquarium of Canada is a 135,000 square feet world-class family attraction with more than 1.5 million gallons of water depicting marine and freshwater habitats from around the world.

1:00 PM Toronto Eaton Centre

Enjoy lunch in supervised groups before heading over the "Graffiti Alley" to learn about Toronto's vibrant street art and mural culture. Lunch at your own cost.

2:00 PM Long and McQuade

Opportunity to check out the famous Long and McQuade music store in Toronto.

- 3:00 PM Visit Harbourfront Music Garden Designed by internationally renowned cellist Yo-Yo Ma and landscape designer Julie Moir Messervy, the garden is a reflection in landscape of Bach's First Suite for Unaccompanied Cello, with each dance movement within the suite corresponding to a different section of the garden. Two Canadian artists created special features for the Music Garden. Tom Tollefson, architectural blacksmith, fabricated the Music Pavilion, and the late Anne Roberts of Feir Mill Design Inc., designed the Maypole.
- 5:15 PM Dinner at Old Spaghetti Factory (MENU E: Meat Sauce Menu)
- 8:00 PM **Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto or similar** Opportunity to see an instrumental concert at the Toronto Symphony Orchestra.
- Day Four Sunday May 28, 2023
- 8:00 AM Hot Breakfast at the George Residence.

9:00 AM Hotel Check Out

Check out of your accommodations and load your luggage onto the motor coach.



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10:30 AM Explore Queen Street West

Your Tour Guide will take you to explore the trendy district of Queen Street West. Filled with unique shops, cafés & restaurants, small art galleries and street merchants, there is something for everyone. Lunch in supervised groups.

1:30 PM **Board your motor coach and depart for home** Board your motor coach and depart for home. Appropriate rest and meal stops will be made en route.

6:30 PM Welcome Home!

Approximate time of arrival at your school.

This is your preliminary itinerary. The order of activities on your actual tour may vary based on availability of attractions and restaurants at time of booking. In keeping with Brightspark's commitment to safety and security, all our itineraries are designed to comply with the Department of Transportation's rules and regulations for maximum hours of service for motor coach drivers.



