

DeSana Middle School

6th Grade Field Trip

TELLUS Museum in Cartersville, GA

May 15, 2017



6th Grade students at DeSana Middle School have the opportunity to attend a memorable field trip to the TELLUS Science Museum in Cartersville, Georgia on May 15th.

The museum's exhibits open minds and ignite a passion for science. Students will have the opportunity to:

- See minerals from all over the world, including some that glow!
- Stand under a massive *T-Rex*
- Imagine what it was like when the Wright brothers took their first flight next to a full-size replica of their flyer
- Interact and learn in the Collins Family "My Big Back Yard"
- Pan for gems and dig up fossils to take home.
- Have an experience that is "Out of this World!" in the planetarium

All of these exhibits reinforce the 6th Grade Georgia Performance Content Standards for Science.

Cost & Payment

The cost of this trip, including transportation by school bus, admission to the museum and planetarium, is **\$30.00**. The permission form and payment should be turned in together to your child's science teacher. Checks can be made out to DeSana Middle School.

Lunch

Students may order a sack lunch from the DeSana café or they may bring their own sack lunch.

Transportation

Students will begin boarding the Forsyth County school buses at approximately 9:00 a.m. Please plan to be at school no later than 8:45 a.m. Students will arrive back at DeSana between 3:30 p.m. and 4:00 p.m., just in time for our usual 4:15 p.m. dismissal.

*This is a wonderful opportunity for students at DeSana, and we hope your son or daughter can join us!
If you have any questions, please email your child's science teacher.*

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Permission Form



To register your student for our trip, send in your completed permission form and behavior agreement, along with the full payment of \$30 to your child's Science teacher.

Student Name _____

Parent Name _____ Phone (Between 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.): _____

Parent Name _____ Phone (Between 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.): _____

Email address: _____

****In addition to my payment, I am including a sponsorship donation in the amount of _____.**

Does your child have special medical needs (medication, allergies, etc?) Please use the space below to explain in detail or attach additional information.

PLEASE READ AND SIGN IN THE TWO (2) APPROPRIATE PLACES

I give permission for my child to participate on DeSana Middle School's 6th grade field trip to the TELLUS Museum in Cartersville, Georgia, on May 15th, 2017. I understand that once I commit to this field trip no refunds can be made until after all trip expenses have been met. I also understand that DeSana Middle School acts as an agent for this activity and shall not be liable for any injury, damage, loss, delay, or any other irregularities that occur as the fault of service providers on this trip.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

I give permission for my child to be treated by medical personnel and/or transported by DeSana Middle School staff if deemed necessary for medical treatment. I agree to pay for any and all treatment, even if it is not covered by my insurance program, should the need arise.

Health Insurance Company _____ Policy Number _____

Group Number _____ Provider Phone _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Parent Phone #1 _____ Parent Phone #2 _____

DeSana Middle School 6th Grade Field Trip TELLUS Museum in Cartersville, GA Behavior Agreement



Dear 6th Grade Student and Parent:

Students traveling on the DeSana 6th Grade field trip to TELLUS Museum in Cartersville, Georgia are expected to display a high caliber of well-mannered behavior at all times. Because our 6th grade students are representing DeSana Middle School as a whole, and because we are asking DeSana faculty, staff and parent chaperones to be responsible for students, our behavioral expectations are set at a high standard. Thus, any 6th grade student who:

- Commits any two (2) discipline infractions that result in In-School Suspensions/Saturday School between January 30, 2017 and May 14, 2017, will not be allowed to attend the 6th Grade field trip on May 15, 2017 (on the 2nd ISS assignment/Saturday School the student becomes ineligible for the trip).
- Commits any discipline infraction that results in Out-of-School Suspension between January 30, 2017 and May 14, 2017 will not be allowed to attend the 6th Grade Field Trip.
- Commits any act that is deemed egregious by the administration will not be allowed to attend the 6th Grade Field Trip.

If a student has made payments toward the trip and then loses the privilege of traveling on this trip because of inappropriate behavior, no refunds can be made by DeSana Middle School or *TELLUS Museum* until all trip expenses have been met and a cancellation fee is applied.

All students are expected to adhere to the 2016-17 Forsyth County Schools Code of Conduct and all policies and procedures as stated in the DeSana Middle School 2016-17 Student/Parent Handbook. Any discipline issue that occurs on the trip will be handled by the administrator(s) chaperoning the trip.

Please sign and return this form along with your application and payment. Forms must be submitted and completed in full for a child to attend.

I understand the above information and I am willing to follow the behavior guidelines set by the DeSana Middle School faculty and administration.

Student Name: _____
(Please Print)

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____