UK Mission Trip 2023



Where: United Kingdom

Who: Students currently in High School

When: March 11-19, 2022



General Info

The Need:

While the UK is not an unreached people group, it is decidedly a "Post Christian" society. There is a void of any knowledge or understanding of the Gospel and the life changing relationship that can be found in Jesus. It's reported that a twenty-something in the UK has a 97 percent chance of having never met a follower of Jesus in their entire life.

The Work:

We will be partnering with missionaries in London and throughout the UK to spread the Gospel in relational ministry. Our work will include evangelism to the people of the UK and working with local partners such as Young Life to help further the mission of the church.

Who is leading this trip?

Sam Midgett - (865) 607-9668 We will maintain a minimum ratio of 1 leader for every 6 students.

Travel Info:

We will be flying out of Atlanta on a direct flight to London on British Airways. We will travel to Atlanta via charter bus. Once in London we will be traveling by public transport and walking.

Food:

Due to the diverse culture of the UK, there is a very wide variety of food. We will be eating mostly quick service type meals.

Weather:

The UK in March will be in the mid-50's. It's the beginning of spring so the weather is improving and plants are beginning to bloom. March is usually cloudy with about 4-5 hours of sunshine a day.

Phones:

Students can sign up for international plans with their carrier. Sam Midgett will have his phone at all times in case of an emergency.







Money:

Meals are covered by the church. Breakfast will be at the loading site. Lunch and Dinner will be at the church, at training, or in a café type restaurant. However we do estimate that students will need the following money while we are on the trip:

4 travel meals - \$50

Admission to tours, sightseeing - \$65

Souvenirs - \$(depends on gender and shopping habits):)

The currency of the UK is the pound. We will stop at London Heathrow to exchange money when we arrive if students would like to. However, please note that the UK is not very cash friendly. It is suggested that you send some type of credit or debit card with your student that is contactless.

Possible Excursions:

Sightseeing in London River Thames tour Big Ben, London Eye, Tower of London, Tower Bridge, etc.

Important Notes

Requirements for Concord Students Missions:

Because a mission trip is an opportunity for us to serve others with the message of Jesus, it is a trip that requires more of those who attend. Therefore there are some basic requirements we ask of every student who is attending a Concord Students Mission Trip. Each of these requirements is designed to prepare students for their experience.

- Students must be actively involved in Bible Study Groups and Midweek, maintaining a 70% attendance level.
- Students must attend Big Weekend.
- Students must attend the 3 training opportunities for their trip.
 - January 22, 2023
 - February 26, 2023
 - YEC March 24-25, 2023 (This is a Friday evening and Saturday morning serving opportunity)
- Parents and students must complete all forms in a timely fashion.
- Students must be consistent in daily devotionals.

Important Dates:

Big Weekend 2023 - January 27-29, 2023 YEC - March 24-25, 2023

Cost:

The cost of this trip is \$1400. A \$300 non-refundable deposit is due to reserve your spot. This price includes all plane tickets, van travel, lodging, food, and fees. The only items not included in this price are travel meals, snacks, and any souvenirs.

We understand this is an expensive trip. However we believe that a mission trip can be one of the most impactful experiences of a student's life. Therefore we are starting

Concord Students

signups early so you have the opportunity to pay the trip out over the course of several months.

Payment deadlines: \$300 deposit is due October 17 (non-refundable) Remainder is due January 22

How to register:

- 1. Students fill out and submit a SLU/Mission Trip application. These are due October 17, 2022.
- 2. The student team will setup your account in Managed Missions and email you the deposit payment link. This website will track all of your completed forms and payments.

In an effort to aid families with the cost of this trip, First Baptist Church has supplemented part of the cost of this trip. Because of this all registrations are due by October 17, 2022