

PMCA Ninth Grade Class Trip to Philadelphia  
November 3, 2017

The 9<sup>th</sup> grade trip to Philadelphia will take place on Friday, November 3. The trip is a great opportunity for the students to see some places not normally visited as well as to have a great time together. The day will start with a tour of City Hall. With its famous sculpture of William Penn on the top of the building, it is not only a historic and architecturally significant building, but also the functioning home of Philadelphia's city and county offices and courts. Lunch will be at the Reading Terminal Market. Later we will be visiting some other sites in the Center City area - all 19<sup>th</sup> C. era landmarks. Our final stop of the day will be just a short distance away at the ruins of Eastern State Penitentiary – another 19<sup>th</sup> C. edifice. This has been a popular stop for our students over the years. The day will end with the students returning to the school between 4:15 and 4:30 p.m. (**Please note that we will not be back in time for the buses. Please be sure to have a ride waiting for your child upon our return to the school.**) We are asking students to bring money for lunch at the Reading Terminal Market. Any questions, please call the school. We're looking forward to a great day.

7:45 a.m. – Gather in auditorium for roll and instructions for the day.

8:00 a.m. – Board bus for Philly

9:00 a.m. – City Hall Tour

11:30 a.m. – Reading Terminal Market and Other Sites (We will eat lunch at the Market)

2:00 p.m. – Eastern State Penitentiary Tour

4:15 p.m. – Arrive at PMCA (approx.)

Sincerely,

Tom Sorkness  
High School History Teacher and Trip Coordinator

PHILADELPHIA-MONTGOMERY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY  
35 Hillcrest Avenue  
Erdenheim, PA 19038

Who: GRADE 9

Where: PHILADELPHIA

When: Friday, November 3, 2017

Arrive at School: 7:45 AM (Meet in the Auditorium)

Depart Hillcrest: 8:00 AM

Return Phil-Mont: 4:00 PM (approx.)

How: Bus

Cost: Lunch, \$10/\$15, at the Reading Terminal Market

Questions: Call the school office at 215-233-0782.

Please **complete** the form below and return to the School Office on MONDAY.

Cut below and return bottom portion. Keep the top for your information.

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Parents must sign Part 2.

1. Student name.....Section.....

Medical information we need to know.....  
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2. Statement of Consent:

I give my child.....my consent to participate in the 9th grade class trip to Philadelphia. In doing so, I agree to the following:

1. In case of a medical emergency, I grant the chaperones the right to authorize medical care if I can not be reached.
2. I agree to pay the expense of returning my child home before termination of the event if he or she does not adhere to established standards of conduct.
3. The school is not responsible for damage or loss of property personally owned by my child.

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(Signature of parent or guardian) (Date)

Emergency Phone Number(s).....  
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