

# **CHEROKEE, NC TRIP 2019**

## ***Information Sheet***

### **General Information**

- 8 day trip, 7 nights – Tentative Dates – June 7-14
- Travel by carpool – volunteer student drivers are paid for gas and use of their vehicle
- Estimated cost: \$850– includes all lodging, transportation fees, meals, and activity fees
  - \$250 deposit by March 22
- Additional cost: \$100 for credit hour (\$160 total if taking no other summer classes)
- GNST 250 Cross-Cultural Experience credit for 1 hour (all that is required)
- Stay in Hotel in Cherokee, NC – Suites with 2 Queen Beds (most likely 2-3 per room)

### **Housing & Packing**

- There will be plenty of towels, bed linens and pillows, but if you prefer your own pillow, feel free to bring it with you.
- All paper products and cabin cleaning supplies will be supplied by the GP Office including plates, napkins, etc.
- Hotel will have refrigerators and microwaves in each room.
- Hotel will provide small travel toiletries, but you might want to bring your own.
- Bring any medications you may need if you want to save on costs. They are more expensive there. (allergy meds, stomach meds, car sickness meds)
- There is a river that runs across the street from the hotel and goes through town so bring water gear, clothing, sunscreen, etc. if you want to participate in those activities.
- We will provide bug spray, but you may want to bring your own as well. There will definitely be bugs.

### **Meals**

- Money for all meals has been covered in your trip costs. We also send you with snack bags for the road trip.
- Some meals will be eaten out, and others will be eaten at the hotel. For most of the meals to be eaten out, you will be given cash to purchase your own food.
- Hotel provides a hot breakfast buffet included with each night stay.
- You will be given grocery money to shop for your room for snacks and drinks for the week.
- Small groups of students will be responsible for hosting one meal for the whole group. You will be given separate money to buy food for the meal.

### **Activities**

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| • Traditional Cherokee Dinner hosted by Museum | • Nature walk with Cherokee guide             |
| • Tour of Cherokee Museum                      | • Guest lecture from Cherokee Museum Employee |
| • Oconaluftee Village                          | • Unto These Hills outdoor drama              |
| • Storytelling Workshop                        | • Local church service                        |
| • Craftmaking workshop                         |                                               |
| • Music and Dance workshop                     |                                               |