

**Shakespeare Festival Ashland,
Oregon Field Trip
April 3 – April 5**

Important Information:

- Arrive at CMP by 6:00 am on Wednesday, April 3. Attendance will be taken at 6:15 am.
- We will leave CMP at 6:30 am. • We plan to return to CMP around 6:00 pm on Friday, April 5, depending on traffic.
- Students will call to provide a more accurate arrival time when we are in the Woodland/Sacramento International Airport area.
- Please bring a disposable lunch on Wednesday, April 3 OR money to purchase lunch on the drive to Ashland, Oregon

Drive and Location:

- Ashland is in the southern part of Oregon. It is located directly off of I-5 and is the first main town in Oregon after leaving California.
- The drive is approximately 5 hours. With two stops on the way, it should take about 5 ½ hours for the trip.
- Our first stop will be in Corning, CA (approx. 2 hours from CMP).
- Our second stop will be in Weed, CA (approx. 1 hour 45 minutes from Corning, CA).

Money:

- Students are allowed to bring money with them on the trip. They are responsible for keeping their money safe.
- There are two souvenir stores that students may purchase items from The Shakespeare store and the Southern Oregon University store (hoodies are always a popular purchase).
- Students are welcome to purchase a small snack at the stops on the drive up or back if they wish. (No energy drinks)

Cell Phone Policy:

- Students can bring their cell phones with restrictions.
- Students will turn in their cell phones to a teacher before 7:00 pm.
- Students will be able to use their phones to take pictures and call home.
- Absolutely no posting pictures on any social media sites.

Lodging

- Students will be staying in dorm rooms at Southern Oregon University
- Students will be rooming with one classmate

Expectations

- All students will be with a buddy and a chaperone at all times. No Exceptions.
- Students not following this procedure will have a call home, be paired with a teacher, and/or have a parent called to pick up their child early.
- As a class motto, we will leave our environments better than we found them. All students will be expected to do some form of community cleanup of dorm spaces, eating spaces, and general environments.
- It is expected that all students will model respect and courtesy with all people they come in contact with, especially chaperones and docent staff.

Medications

- Please put any medication in a clear bag with student name & directions
- Give any medication to the teachers Wednesday morning before we depart CMP

Do Not Bring

- Food (except for a disposable lunch on the first day)
- Tablets or Electronic games
- Sleeping Bag (SOU provides clean bedding)

Food/Meals

- Students will be well fed on this trip
- We will be eating in the Southern Oregon University Dining Hall
- A variety of options will be available for the students
- Meals included in this trip will be dinner on Wednesday, all three meals on Thursday, and breakfast and lunch on Friday
- Students are not allowed to have food or snacks in their dorm rooms

Packing List:

- 2 – 3 Casual Shirts
- Casual Pants
- Comfortable walking shoes
- 1 or 2 Dress Clothes (for the plays)
- Dress shoes
- Jacket and/or Hoodie
- Pajamas
- Flip Flops (to be used in the shower)
- Pillow
- Water Bottle, reusable
- Disposable lunch on Wednesday
- Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, comb/brush, soap, shampoo, etc.)
- Camera (optional)
- Hat (optional)
- Money (optional)
- Football, Frisbee, etc. (optional)
- Playing Cards (optional)

Parent/Chaperones Information Dear Parent/Chaperone,

Thank you for volunteering for this trip. We are looking forward to an amazing field trip. We couldn't do this trip without you.

Driving: If you are driving on this trip, please arrive at school with your vehicle clean and fully gassed up, with coffee, and ready to go on Wednesday, April 3 at 6:00 am. Only make stops at the scheduled places, unless it is an emergency. Check in with a teacher before departing CMP or rest stops.

Breaks: While this trip can be very fun, it can also be very tiring. Please make sure to take care of yourself. Make sure you take breaks when needed. Just check in with Mr. Bryan or Ms. Dawn and let them know when you need a break. All students must be with an adult at all times.

Food: For lunch on Wednesday, you may either bring a lunch with you or you may purchase a meal at one of the rest stops. The rest of the trip meals will be provided for you at the Southern Oregon University cafeteria.

Dress Code: Have comfortable and casual clothes and good walking shoes during the day. We will be attending a play both Wednesday and Thursday night and will be dressing formally for them. For the Thursday afternoon play, the attire will be casual dress.

Lodging: We will be staying in the dorms at Southern Oregon University. Each dorm room has 2 beds and 2 separate closets. You will be rooming with one other parent chaperone. The university will be providing bed sheets, a blanket, and a towel. Feel free to bring your own pillow if you wish, but no sleeping bag is needed.

Thank you for your continued support! We look forward to a wonderful, memorable Oregon field trip.

Sincerely,

the Middle School Team

**In Case of Emergency ONLY, you may call
Mr. Bryan at 916-213-1529 or
Ms. Dawn at 916-698-9687**

Ashland, Oregon April 2019 Itinerary

This is a flexible itinerary.

*SOU = Southern Oregon University
(Theater Area)*

OSF = Oregon Shakespeare Festival

Wednesday, April 3

6:00 am	Meet at CMP
6:15 am	Attendance
6:30 am	Depart CMP
8:30 am	First Rest Stop: Corning, CA (TA Travel Center)
10:30 am	Second Rest Stop: Weed, CA (Pilot Travel Center)
12:30 pm	Arrive at Southern Oregon University Have lunch Meet with SOU Staff (rules and room assignment) Unload Cars SOU Campus Scavenger Hunt (in small groups) Relax Time
5:00 pm	Dinner
5:30 pm	Class Meeting Get Dressed for the Play
6:30 pm	Leave Dorms to go to the play
7:00 pm	Prologue
<u>8:00 pm</u>	<u>PLAY – MOTHER ROAD</u>
11:00 pm	Head back to dorms
11:45 pm	Lights out

Thursday, April 4

7:00 am	Wake up and dress for the day
8:00 am	Breakfast
8:45 am	Class meeting
9:00 am	Walk around downtown Ashland
12:00 pm	Lunch
12:45 pm	Leave for OSF
<u>1:30 pm</u>	<u>PLAY – AS YOU LIKE IT</u>
4:45 pm	Class Meeting
5:00 pm	Dinner
5:45 pm	Get Dressed for the Play
7:00 pm	Leave Dorms to go to the play
<u>8:00 pm</u>	<u>PLAY - HAIRSPRAY</u>
11:00 pm	Head back to dorms
11:45 pm	Lights Out

Friday, April 5

7:30 am	Wake up and dress for the day
8:30 am	Breakfast
	Class Meeting
	Pack-up and load-up cars
	Clean Dorms
	Last chance to shop at OSF School Store
11:00 am	Lunch
12:00 pm	Class Closing Meeting
12:15 pm	Depart Ashland
2:15 pm	First Rest Stop: Weed, CA (Pilot Travel Center)
4:15 pm	Second Rest Stop: Corning, CA (TA Travel Center)
6:15 pm	Arrive at CMP