

MISSION TRIP CHECKLIST 2017-18

Call Ashley Kendall. Give me a ring at 404-358-6766 or email at ashleyackendall@gmail.com and let me tell you why this is the best mission trip EVER!

Cut a date. Pick a date on the Team Assignments page at teamwhirlwind.com. Chose a time when there are the least amount of people in town, that way YOUR team gets the most attention. Most teams come Monday-Thursday and have Friday as an excursion day to Six Flags, White Water, Stone Mountain or the Aquarium.

Fill out the Team Contact. Once you know your date and a rough estimate of how many students your bringing, fill out the Contract at teamwhirlwind.com to reserve your dates.

Send in Your Support: Before your mission trip please send in half of your support to Whirlwind Missions 5935 New Peachtree Rd Doraville, Ga 30340. The \$25 per person/ per day covers the logistics, cultural safaris, ethnic samples, photo galleries each day, your team's video and helps pay for the liability insurance. It does not induce lodging, transportation, or supplies. Final half is due upon arrival.

Transportation. How are you going to get to Atlanta? Most teams come in their church vans, Greyhound busses or fly into Hartsfield Jackson International Airport and then rent vehicles.

Settle lodging. Now that you have a date and group size, book out lodging. Depending on your budget, you can stay at a partnering church for about \$25 per person/ week or stay at Comfort Inn for \$65 a night in a room with two double beds, continental breakfast and a pool. Find more information under Lodging at teamwhirlwind.com.

Plan Meals! Most teams get groceries for the week and cook. Cereal and fruit for breakfast, then we can eat out at an ethnic food fave including Mexican, Indian, Malaysian and African for about \$10 a person. Packed lunches are also easy. Dinner could include spaghetti, ordering pizza, catering from Chickfila or other home cooked recipes. Check out Meal Ideas at the Team Whirlwind Website.

Plan the Bible Stories! We're here to train your students to be missionaries! Elect group leaders within your youth group. Have them pick 4 Bible Stories from the Old Testament. Encourage them to practice telling the stories and also plan an easy craft to go along with the story. Crafts can be simple coloring sheets and popsicle crafts to foam hats and picture frames. (Picture crafts are the most popular!) Get more ideas at teamwhirlwind.com.

Purchase Supplies Your team is responsible for the Bible Story, craft supplies, snacks, balls, jump ropes and chalk during the Backyard Bible Club at the missions. Plan for about 30-40 children at each site, and remember your group will be split into teams of 10 and each team covers the same 2 mission sites for 4 days.



Mission Trip Schedule

Day One

10:00 AM Briefing at First Baptist Doraville with missionaries Tim and Ashley on how we do what we do and Power Prayer with Tim Cummins.

12 Prayer walk the World Farmer's Market, practice greetings in Spanish, Swahili, Russian, and Japanese. Try samples from around the world!

1 Lunch at Farmer's Market Buffet \$8 OR packed lunches

3-4:30 Missions at the Apartments. Loving on immigrants and refugees from Mexico, Honduras, Guatemala and Bangladesh in the name of Jesus!

4:40-6 Missions at Second Sites!

Day Two

10:00 AM Briefing at First Baptist Doraville on Hinduism and Buddhism. Explain the difference between Works religions and Grace religion.

Power Prayer- Developing a deeper relationship with Jesus

12 Cultural Safari to CD Tower, Vietnames Pharmacy, Hong Kong Bakery and Asian Language study.

1:30 Lunch at Penang's Malaysian for \$8 or Packed Lunches

3-4:30 Missions at the same apartments.

4:40-6 Missions

Day Three

10:00 AM Briefing at First Baptist Doraville on Judaism and Islam. Power Prayer and Rachel's Tree of Love Ceremony

12 Explore Al Madian, Islamic Grocery Store. Sample Samosas(meat patty), Visit Hindu temple at Global Mall.

1:30 Indian Lunch at Calcutta Palate for \$8 or Packed Lunches

3-4:30 Missions

4:40-6 Missions

Day Four

10:00 AM Briefing at First Baptist Doraville on Catholicism. Dedication Day and Power Prayer

11:30 Explore Plaza Fiesta
12 Lunch at Plaza Fiesta or Packed lunches

3-4:30 Missions

4:40-6 Missions



