

SAMPLE TRAVEL ITINERARY GUATEMALA



General Comments

- School the World will provide students with filtered water in hotels, during transportation, and in the community. STW water bottles will be provided to each traveler prior to departure.
- Students stay in hotels fully vetted by our local staff.
- Students will be transported in vans operated by drivers regularly used and screened by School the World.
- Travel time between accommodations and the communities varies, but is 1 hour on average.
- All trips will be accompanied by either a U.S. or local nurse and a medical doctor will be on-call at all times during the trip.

*Please note that this is a sample itinerary used to display how a typical trip is run. Times, dates, and activities are subject to change.

Please reach out to meg.gilman@schooltheworld.org with any questions.

Locations Visiting:

Guatemala City (Airport) Santa Cruz del Quiché, Guatemala Antigua, Guatemala

Day 1

Travel day and arrival in Guatemala City. Group picked up at airport by local staff & drivers. Travel to Antigua. and check into hotel.

4:30 PM Welcome activity as a group

6:30 PM Dinner at local restaurant

Day 2

6:30 AM Depart for community in Quiché

8:00 AM Breakfast in Tecpán

11:00 AM Welcome Ceremony

1:30 PM Boxed lunch

2:30 PM Begin service work

4:30 PM Depart community & check into hotel in Santa Cruz del Quiché

7:00 PM Dinner & discussion









Day 3

7:00 AM Breakfast at hotel

8:00 AM Depart for community

9:00 AM Organization of service work

10:30 AM Recess with Guatemalan children

11:00 AM Resume service work

12:30 PM Lunch

1:30 PM Organization of afternoon service work

4:30 PM Depart community

7:00 PM Dinner & Discussion

Day 4

7:00 AM Breakfast at hotel

8:00 AM Depart for community

9:00 AM Organization of service & home visits

10:30 AM Recess with Guatemalan students

11:00 AM Resume service work

12:30 PM Lunch

1:30 PM Afternoon service work & home visits

4:00 PM Depart for hotel

7:00 PM Dinner & discussion









Day 5

7:00 AM Breakfast at hotel

8:00 AM Depart for community

9:00 AM Organization of service & teaching in classrooms

10:30 AM Recess with Guatemalan students

11:00 AM Organization of service & teaching in classrooms

1:00 PM Lunch

1:30 PM Organization of afternoon service work

4:30 PM Depart for hotel

6:00 PM Zumba class

7:30 PM Dinner & discussion

Day 6

7:00 AM Breakfast at hotel

8:00 AM Depart for community

9:00 AM Organization of service work

1:00 PM Depart community for shopping in Chichicastenango open air market (lunch on road)

4:00 PM Depart market for hotel

7:00 PM Dinner & Discussion







Day 7

7:00 AM Breakfast at hotel

8:00 AM Depart for Dedication Ceremony

9:30 AM Dedication Ceremony with local Mayor & Ministry of Education

12:30 PM Lunch with community

2:30 PM Soccer game

3:30 PM Depart Community

7:00 PM Dinner & Discussion

Day 8

6:00 AM Depart for Antigua

8:00 AM Breakfast in Tecpán

11:00 AM Volcano hike or zipline activity

3:00 PM Check into hotels in Antigua

6:30 PM Dinner at local restaurant

8:30 PM Final Discussion

Day 9

Depart from Guatemala City for flight back home. Parent pick up upon arrival. Return home as an official World changer!

4:30 PM Shopping & walking tour of Antigua







