



BLOOM-CARROLL HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BULLDOGS FLORIDA TRIP NOVEMBER 21-25, 2025

TRIP RULES/POLICIES

You are representing your band, family, school, community, the State of Ohio and yourself, so the highest degree of good conduct and pride from this group is expected. Always be polite, neat in appearance, punctual, and sincere in your effort to contribute your best.

Illness

In case of illness or injury, proper medical assistance will be sought. If the illness or injury is of a serious nature, your parents will be notified by telephone.

Hotel Rules

The students assigned to the room will be responsible for any property damage. Each room will have a 'captain' that will be responsible for seeing that the room is in presentable condition. The chaperones will coordinate with the room captains when they inspect the rooms before we check out.

1. Boys will not be in girls' rooms; girls will not be in boys' rooms at any time.
NO EXCEPTIONS!!
2. Do not take towels, etc. from your room. This is stealing.
3. You must be in your own room at curfew.
Absolutely no leaving of rooms after curfew.
5. Do not order food to be delivered to the room.

General Conduct

Any misconduct will be reported to Mr. Falvo, and disciplinary action will be taken. Any student found in violation of the district's policy on alcohol, tobacco and controlled substances will be subject to disciplinary procedures as stated in the Student Handbook. Parents and school officials will be called immediately in this instance. If a student is sent home, all costs of transportation will be borne by the suspended student and his/her parents. Serious discipline problems will result in the student having future travel with school groups restricted.

Other rules

1. Be on time! Your schedule shows approximate times. **Exact times will be announced at each location/stop. Early is on time, on time is late!**
2. Be in your assigned bus & seat for attendance purposes.
3. No public displays of affection (PDAs).
4. Must be signed up on the HS Band Remind App.

Remember that your behavior will shape future travel opportunities by the Marching Bulldogs.

Unstructured time

Students **must stay** in groups of three or more. **(The "rule of 3")** Make sure you know where meeting areas are, and be prompt about being there. ***Do not leave general areas as established by Mr. Falvo; tour director & chaperones.***

Equipment Responsibilities

You are responsible for your instrument/s and performance clothing. Be sure that all parts are packed. "If you use it, you load it!" Notify Mr. Deitz immediately if an equipment problem occurs.

Charter Coach Conduct (Travel around Orlando)

1. Dispose of trash correctly.
2. No standing on seats, no shoes on seats or seat backs.
3. No liquids in the overhead racks.
4. Items are left on the bus at your own risk.
5. To avoid injury, please stay in your seats while the bus is in motion.
6. All portable sound devices must have and use **headphones**.
7. Keep your voice in a calm tone. There is no need for yelling.
8. No movies before 8:00 AM and after 11:00 PM.
9. No milk products are allowed on the charter bus.

Schedule of Events

The schedule you have been given shows approximate times of events on our trip. **Be sure to pay attention as exact times will be announced at each location/stop.**

We have a fine organization with a great reputation. This tradition was earned through the hard work and quality performances of previous members of the BC Bands. I know that you are aware of our proud tradition and will do your part to maintain it. This tour will give us the opportunities to learn how to perform better, display our performance abilities and to have some quality social and touring opportunities. I am confident that the pride we have in our Band will allow us to represent our music department, school and community with class.

BLOOM-CARROLL HIGH SCHOOL BAND

2025 FLORIDA TOUR NOVEMBER 21-25 ,2025
WALT DISNEY WORLD/UNIVERSAL STUDIOS
ORLANDO, FLORIDA

******RESPONSIBILITY RELEASE FORM******

This form is in regard to your child's behavior while we travel to Orlando. Due to the fact that this is a school function, all established rules and regulations would be strictly followed. The rules of the Bloom-Carroll Student Handbook and Band Handbook, will be strictly enforced. Any of the following disciplinary infractions will result in the termination of your child's involvement in the trip:

- Misbehavior on the bus which interferes with the driver
- Misbehavior during any scheduled activity, as well as during hotel stays
- Inappropriate school behavior
- Deliberate damage, defacing, or destruction of any property
- Possession of tobacco, alcohol, drugs, or drug paraphernalia

If any of the above actions occur, it is the expectation that a parent/guardian will coordinate with the director to have the student sent home via parent transportation or by coordinating commercial bus or airline.

We do not anticipate any problems or occurrences on this trip; however, our intent is to ensure the well-being of your child, as well as to maintain the quality reputation of the BLOOM-CARROLL BAND as well as the Bloom-Carroll Local School District.

Please complete the form below and return it to Mr. Falvo, along with the other necessary paperwork, by **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH**.

I understand and agree to comply with the stated rules for the trip

Student: _____

I have read and agree with the rules and regulations that will be maintained on the trip.

Parent: _____

Please Sign Via Link: <https://forms.gle/3EzXiY1WpjJwJGMW9>



PRE-TRIP/POST-TRIP INFO

We will be sending a truck down ahead of time with our instruments, uniforms, hats & luggage. Students are limited to one carry-on (on flight) & one suitcase under 40 pounds. We will be loading the trailer a couple days early so the trailer can meet us at our resort upon arrival.

The Pre-Trip/Post-Trip schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, November 19th – All instruments, medications (MAR), garment bags, hats & luggage (under 40lbs.) need to be in the middle school auditorium ready to load into the truck by **6pm**.

Friday, November 21st – Everyone traveling with the BCMB will need to meet in the MS auditorium with their carry-on at 3:30am. The school district will transport the entire group to the airport for a quick and easy check-in. We need to plan enough time to get through security, so the buses will promptly leave at 3:45am.

Tuesday, November 25th – Any student not traveling back to Ohio with the band will need to be signed out by a parent/guardian at our hotel, Universal's Dockside Inn & Suites at 8am. School policy requires that Mr. Falvo have a letter on file stating this **PRIOR** to the trip! (Please see End of Trip Student Release Form). Please be on time as the BCMB will be traveling to the airport shortly after 9am. School buses will pick us up at the airport upon arrival back in Columbus. Parents should meet the buses back at school at 6:30pm.

Wednesday, November 26th – Please be at the school at 6pm as this is when our trailer will arrive back at BC to be unloaded.

ADDITIONAL TRIP INFO:

- **ALL STUDENTS NEED TO BE SIGNED UP ON THE BAND REMIND SYSTEM FOR IMPORTANT INFO WHILE ON OUR TRIP!**

<https://www.tsa.gov/travel/security-screening/whatcanibring/all>

You are allowed to bring a quart-sized bag of liquids, aerosols, gels, creams and pastes in your carry-on bag and through the checkpoint. These are limited to travel-sized containers that are 3.4 ounces (100 milliliters) or less per item. Placing these items in the small bag and separating from your carry-on baggage facilitates the screening process. Pack items that are in containers larger than 3.4 ounces

or 100 milliliters in checked baggage.

Any liquid, aerosol, gel, cream or paste those alarms during screening will require additional screening.

- Southwest Airlines currently prohibits self-defense sprays on any flight regardless if it is checked or carried on.

Adult passengers 18 and over must show valid identification at the airport checkpoint in order to travel.

*Anyone 18 years and older will be required to show a valid government issued photo ID. Acceptable forms include REAL ID and US Passport. Reminder that as of May 2025 state issued drivers licenses and IDs are **NOT** REAL ID compliant and are no longer accepted as valid forms of identification at the airport.*

If they are under 18, no ID is required. An adult/staff will have to be with them and show their ID at TSA. Bringing an ID, like a student ID, is never a bad idea however. Only reasoning is if some teenagers look like an adult, sometimes the TSA agent will question them a little longer.

How much money should I bring?

Spending money should be at your discretion. You will need to pay for any souvenirs, etc. as well as a couple of meals (fast food) to and from Florida. The tour company suggests \$100-\$200.

How much luggage can we have?

Luggage is limited to one carry-on and one suitcase (40lb. limit). We are only in a hotel for four nights and we need room for our marching band instruments and uniforms. Please travel light and watch forecast to pack appropriately.

What should I pack?

COMFORTABLE SHOES! We will be doing a lot of walking. Also regular, comfortable clothes and DEODORANT! ☺ The average temperature for Florida in November is 75°, so bring shorts and jeans. You should bring a jacket – especially for the evenings in the park.

***BAND GARMENT BAGS SHOULD
ONLY INCLUDE UNIFORM, MARCHING BAND SHOES, SOCKS, & GLOVES!***



BCMB Florida Tour 2025 FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Will the itinerary change?

More than likely. Several items on the itinerary are time-specific, but much of the itinerary is flexible to suit time and weather.

How much money should I bring?

Spending money should be at your discretion. You will need to pay for any souvenirs, etc. as well as a couple of meals (fast food) to and from Florida. The tour company suggests \$100-\$200.

Can we have food on the bus (around Orlando)?

YES! But, drinks must be in bottles with caps and everyone should clean up after themselves. Remember no milk products on the bus!

How much luggage can we have?

Luggage is limited to one carry-on and one suitcase (40lb. limit). We are only in a hotel for four nights.

What should I pack?

COMFORTABLE SHOES! We will be doing a lot of walking. Also regular, comfortable clothes and DEODORANT! — It's a long bus ride! The average temperature for Florida in November is 75°, so bring shorts and jeans. I would bring a jacket – especially for the evenings in the park.

DON'T FORGET UNIFORMS, HATS, MARCHING BAND SHOES, SOCKS, GLOVES, ETC.

What goes on at the hotel?

Sleep! We will be in the hotel four nights, and all four nights are late arrivals. Everyone will be expected to report to their rooms and be checked-in by Mr. Falvo. **YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE YOUR ROOM AFTER CURFEW.** There will be night security monitoring the hallways.

Can we swim?

There isn't any built in time in the itinerary for swimming.

Can we order food at the hotel?

No. Hotel options such as movies, room service, and telephone calls outside of the hotel will be disabled. No one is to order outside food. **Plan accordingly each night before leaving the park.**



***Itinerary for
Bloom Carroll High School Marching Band
Trip to Orlando
11/21/2025 - 11/25/2025***

Friday, November 21, 2025

- Depart for the airport. *(All transportation arrangements to be made by the group leader)*
- 4:00 AM Arrive at the John Glenn Columbus International Airport and check-in.
- 5:50 AM Depart on **Southwest Flight #2016** from Columbus to Orlando. *(92 seats held)*
- 8:15 AM Arrive at the Orlando International Airport and meet your **Tour Manager**, who will accompany the group exclusively throughout the tour.
- 9:15 AM Transfer by motor coach provided by **MCA Transportation** (407-226-2256 x9)
- 9:45 AM Arrive at **Universal Dockside Inn**, 7125 Universal Blvd, Orlando, FL 32819 (407-503-8000) to store luggage and grab a quick breakfast *(by own expense)*
- 11:00 AM Transfer by motor coach
- 11:30 AM Experience **Walt Disney World's EPCOT**.
Enjoy lunch in the park with your **Disney Dining Card**. *(\$20.00 value)*
Take time for dinner in the park with your **Disney Dining Card**. *(\$20.00 value)*
- 9:00 PM Enjoy **EPCOT Forever**. *(Weather permitting)*
- 10:00 PM Transfer by motor coach to the hotel.
- 10:30 PM Check into the **Universal Dockside Inn**.
Private hotel security will be provided.

Saturday, November 22, 2025

- 8:00 AM Transfer by local motor coach.
- 8:30 AM Enjoy a breakfast buffet at **Rainforest Cafe Disney's Animal Kingdom**, 505 Rain Forest Rd., Lake Buena Vista FL (407-938-9100)
- 9:30 AM Enjoy a day at **Walt Disney World's Disney's Animal Kingdom**.
Enjoy lunch in the park with your **Disney Dining Card**. *(\$20.00 value)*
- 1:00 PM Use **Disney Transportation** to hop to Magic Kingdom.
- 1:30 PM Enjoy a day at **Walt Disney World's Magic Kingdom®**.
Take time for dinner in the park with your **Disney Dining Card**. *(\$20.00 value)*
- 9:00 PM Enjoy **Happily Ever After**. *(Weather permitting)*



10:30 PM Transfer by local motor coach to the hotel.
Private hotel security will be provided.

Sunday, November 23, 2025

6:30 AM Enjoy breakfast at the resort using your **Breakfast Coupon**.
7:30 AM Transfer on **Universal Orlando Transportation**.
8:00 AM Meet your STARS Event Coordinator
8:30 AM Participate in a **Universal Band Workshop** called "Sound Design: Music and the Art of Foley."
10:30 AM Enjoy a day at **Universal Orlando Resort** and visit both **Universal's Islands of Adventure** and **Universal Studios Florida**. Take the **Hogwarts Express** to transfer between the parks.
Free time included for lunch. *(by own expense)*
6:30 PM Meet for dinner at the **Hard Rock Cafe Orlando**, 6050 Universal Blvd., Orlando, FL 32819 (407-351-7625).
8:00 PM Enjoy free time at **Universal CityWalk**.
9:00 PM Transfer on **Universal Orlando Transportation**.
Private hotel security will be provided.

Monday, November 24, 2025

7:00 AM Enjoy breakfast at the resort using your **Breakfast Coupon**.
8:00 AM Transfer on **Universal Orlando Transportation**.
8:30 AM Enjoy another day at **Universal Orlando Resort** and visit both **Universal's Islands of Adventure** and **Universal Studios Florida**. Take the **Hogwarts Express** to transfer between the parks. *(Subject to opening on time, the new park called Epic Universe may also be an option)*
Free time included for lunch. *(by own expense)*
TBD The marching band will participate in a **Parade Performance**. *(Approved by Universal Orlando Youth Programs, your performance will be scheduled closer to your travel dates)*
Take time to grab dinner in the park with your **Universal Orlando Gift Card**. *(\$20.00 value)*
9:00 PM Transfer on **Universal Orlando Transportation**.
Private hotel security will be provided.

Tuesday, November 25, 2025

7:00 AM Enjoy breakfast at the resort using your **Breakfast Coupon**.
8:00 AM Store the luggage at the hotel and load your instrument trailer.
8:30 AM Check-out of the hotel.



- 9:00 AM Transfer on **Universal Orlando Transportation**.
- 9:30 AM Enjoy free time at **Universal CityWalk**.
- 11:30 AM Transfer on **Universal Orlando Transportation**.
- 12:00 PM Load the motor coaches and transfer by local motor coach to the airport.
- 12:30 PM Arrive at the Orlando International airport and check-in.
Free time included for lunch. *(by own expense)*
- 3:10 PM Depart on **Southwest Flight #2930** from Orlando to Columbus. *(80 seats held)*
- 5:35 PM Arrive at the airport and collect the luggage.
Depart from the airport and return to the school. *(Transportation arrangements to be made by the group leader)*

PLEASE NOTE: *In keeping with Educational Tours, Inc.'s commitment to safety and security, we prepare each itinerary in accordance with the DOT rules and regulations, giving drivers a minimum of 9 hours off each night and a maximum of 15 hours on duty during any 24-hour period. We reserve the right to revise the itinerary, at any time, due to unforeseen circumstances such as traffic, road closures, site closures, weather, etc. Your Tour Manager will consult with the Group Leader and drivers on any changes.*

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY OR TO LEAVE A MESSAGE, PLEASE CALL 1-800-654-4560. PLEASE LEAVE ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION INCLUDING NAMES AND PHONE NUMBERS

ADMINISTERING MEDICINES TO STUDENTS

File: JHCD-E

Medication Administration Record (MAR)

General Medication Form (Including Asthma Inhaler and Epinephrine Autoinjector Use)

Student Information

Student Name		Date of Birth	
Student Address			
School	Grade/Class	Teacher	School Year
List any known drug allergies/reactions		Height	Weight

Medicine Information

Name of Medication	Circumstance for use	
Dosage	Route	Time/Interval
Date to begin medication	Date to end medication	

PRESCRIBER INFORMATION / AUTHORIZATION

Special Instructions			
Treatment in the event of an adverse reaction			
Epinephrine Autoinjector	☐ Not Applicable ☐ Yes as the prescriber I have determined that this student is capable of possessing and using this autoinjector and have provided the student with training on the proper use of the autoinjector		
Procedures for school employees if the student is unable to administer the medication or if it does not produce the expected relief			
Possible Severe Adverse Reaction(s) per ORC3317.716 and 3317.718 to the student for whom it is prescribed (that should be reported to the prescriber)			
Other medication instructions			
Does medication require refrigeration? ☐ Yes ☐ No		Is the medication a controlled substance? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
Prescriber's Signature:	Date:	Phone:	Fax:
Prescriber's Name (Print)			
Reminder note for prescriber: ORC 3313.718 requires backup epinephrine autoinjector and a best practice recommends backup asthma inhaler			

PARENT/GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION

☐ I authorize an employee of the school board to administer the above medication, ☐ I understand that additional parent/prescriber signed statements will be necessary (if the dosage of medication is changed); ☐ I also authorize the licensed healthcare professional to talk with the prescriber or pharmacist to clarify medication order.			
☐ Medication form must be received by the principal, his/her designee, and/or the school nurse; ☐ I understand that the medication must be in the original container and must be properly labeled with the student's name, prescriber's name, date of prescription, name of medication, dosage, strength, time interval, route of administration and the date of drug expiration.			
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date	#1 Contact Phone	# 2 Contact Phone

PARENT/GUARDIAN SELF-CARRY AUTHORIZATION

☐ For Epinephrine Autoinjector: As parent/guardian of this student, I authorize my child to possess and use an epinephrine autoinjector as prescribed, at the school and any activity, event, or program sponsored by or in which the student's school is a participant. I understand that a school employee will immediately request assistance from an emergency medical service provider if this medication is administered. I will provide a backup dose of the medication to the school or nurse as required by law.			
☐ For Asthma Inhaler: As the parent/guardian of this student, I authorize my child to possess and use an asthma inhaler as prescribed, at the school and any activity, event, or program sponsored by or in which the student's school is a participant.			
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date	#1 Contact Phone	# 2 Contact Phone