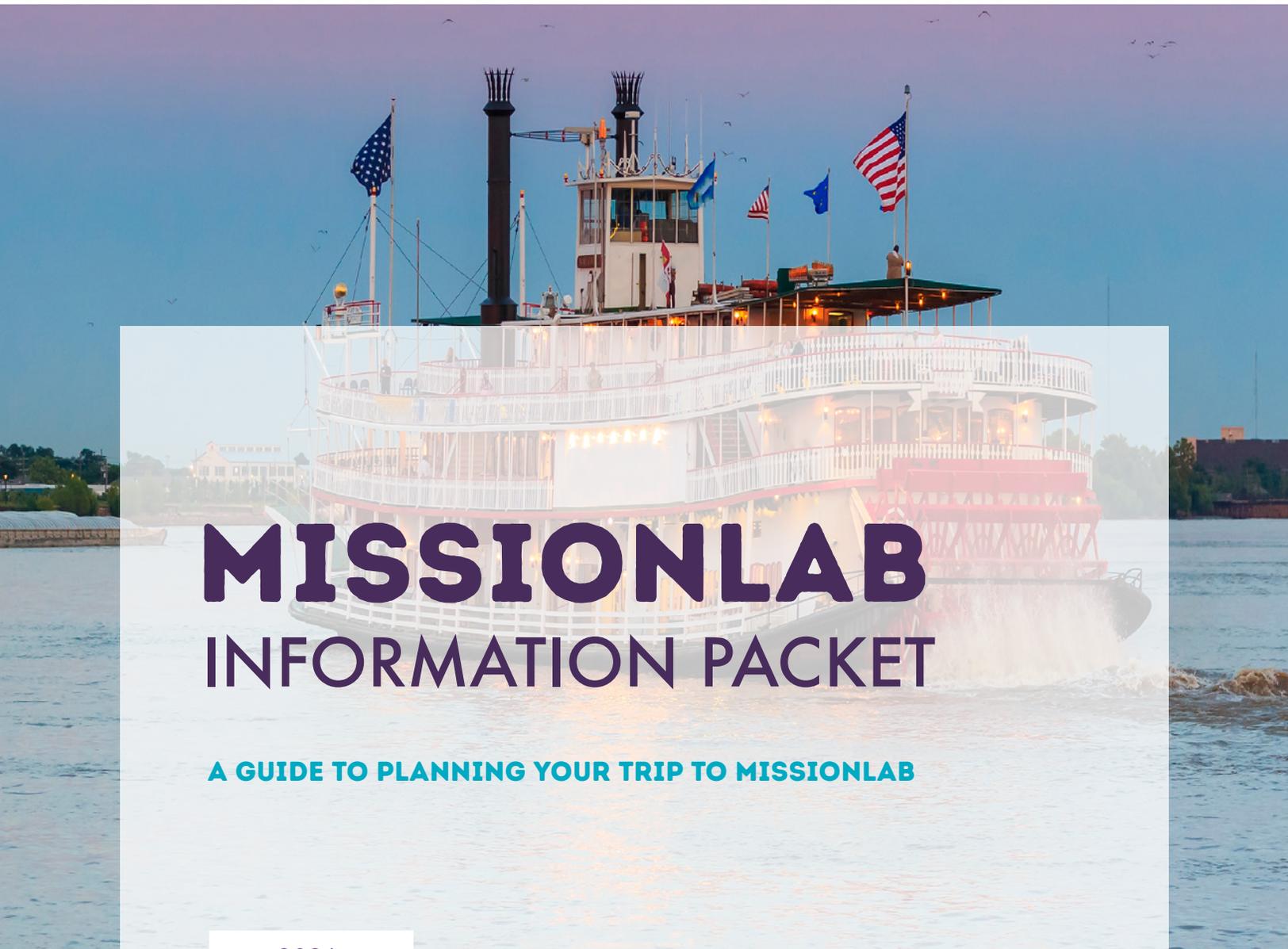


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MISSIONLAB INFORMATION PACKET

A GUIDE TO PLANNING YOUR TRIP TO MISSIONLAB

2026



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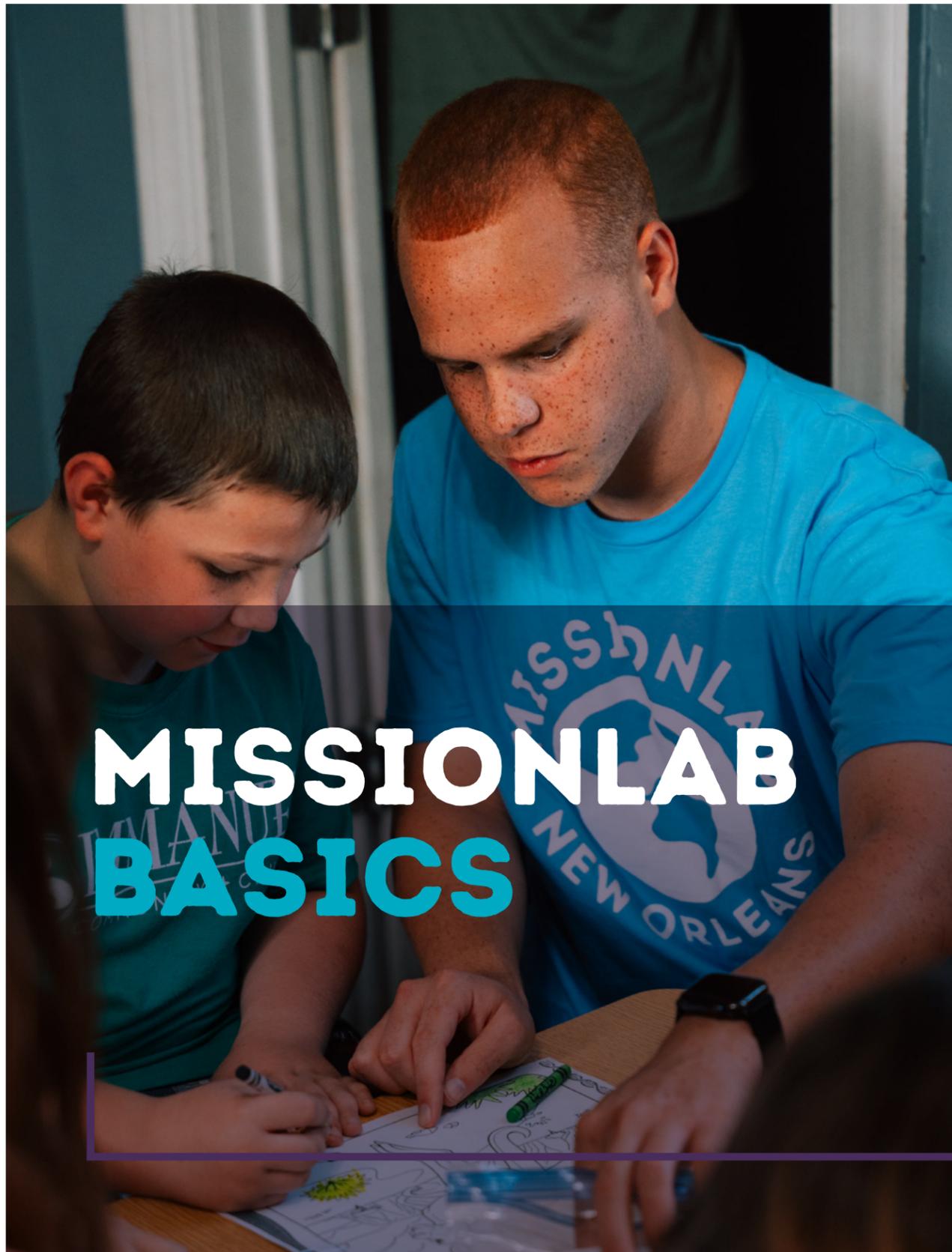
Thank you for your interest in serving with MissionLab in the city of New Orleans! We are excited about the possibility of partnering with your group to proclaim the gospel in a city that desperately needs it. Our goal is to facilitate meaningful mission opportunities for your group, equip you with world-class training from our faculty and staff at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary and Leavell College, and provide you with the highest level of customer service on our campus for the course of your stay.

Our hope is that as a result of your MissionLab experience, the members of your group will return home with an urgency to fulfill the Great Commission in your hometown, and ultimately all nations. We want your group to take what they learn in New Orleans with them and put it to use in their daily lives.

If there is any way that we can serve you, please don't hesitate to reach out to us! Our hope and prayer is that you would join us in the work God is doing in New Orleans and that the word of God would be "increased and multiplied" in our city through the work that you do!

MISSIONLAB TEAM

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MISSIONLAB BASICS

ABOUT

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2026 PROGRAM DATES

All program weeks are \$379 a person and have a Sunday-Friday schedule.

SPRING 2026

- March 1-6
- March 8-13
- March 15-20
- March 22-27

SUMMER 2026

- May 31 - June 5
- June 7-12
- June 14-19
- June 21-26
- June 28 - July 3
- July 5-10
- July 12-17
- July 19-24
- July 26-31

SERVE HERE. SERVE NOW.

MissionLab is a life-changing, action-packed week where your church group will grow spiritually, do hands-on ministry, and live on mission alongside leaders from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary in the remarkable city of New Orleans.

CUSTOM DATES

Looking for a trip outside of our program dates? Our team would love to facilitate a mission trip to New Orleans any time of the year!

While not every date or trip option is available, we do our best to accommodate your needs and offer custom rates to help make your trip a success.

A few helpful details to consider ahead of time: preferred check-in and check-out days, whether you'd like dorm-style or hotel-style housing, the types of ministry sites your team is interested in, and which meals you'd like us to provide.

02



TYPICAL WEEKLY SCHEDULE

This is what a typical week-long schedule looks like for our Spring and Summer program weeks. Shorter stays or non-program weeks may look a bit different, but this gives a rough overview of how your time will be allotted.

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
BREAKFAST		BREAKFAST/ DEVO TIME				
MORNING	CHECK-IN BY 5PM	MORNING MINISTRY SITES				CHECK-OUT BY 8AM
AFTERNOON		AFTERNOON MINISTRY SITES				
DINNER	DINNER AT 5PM					
EVENING	EVANGELISM TRAINING	WORSHIP	WORSHIP	FREE TIME	WORSHIP	



MINISTRY SITE PLANNING

According to a group's preference, we line up sites that will be spiritually impactful and plays into how God is moving in New Orleans long term.



BREAKFAST, LUNCH, & DINNER

Breakfast and dinner are provided in the River City Cafeteria on the NOBTS Campus. Lunch will be a sack lunch provided for you to take with you. Any allergies can be accommodated.



WORSHIP & PREACHING

During our listed program weeks, our large group gatherings are led by a worship band and speaker that create an exciting environment where we can hear from and worship the Lord.



DORM OR HOTEL HOUSING

Our program features housing on the NOBTS campus in either dormitory or hotel-style accommodations which are both clean and safe.



PREPARATION MATERIALS

We send out pre-trip materials designed to spiritually prepare your group for missions in our city as well as prepare them for the practical side of ministry here and back home.

03

HANDS-ON MINISTRY



**SERVE
PEOPLE AND
COMMUNITIES
IN NEW
ORLEANS,
SHARING
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01 LOCAL CHURCH PARTNERSHIP

Assisting local churches in their outreach and community engagement efforts by supporting events, facility projects, and ministry programs. Teams come alongside churches to help strengthen their presence and impact within their neighborhoods.

02 HOMELESS MINISTRY

Building relationships with individuals experiencing homelessness by providing essential supplies and encouragement through personal conversations and prayer. This ministry focuses on treating people with dignity while connecting them with local resources and long-term support.

03 KIDS MINISTRY

Engaging children in fun and faith-filled activities such as Bible stories, games, crafts, and mentorship in after-school programs or summer camps. Volunteers serve as positive role models, sharing the love of Christ in a safe and nurturing environment.

04 OUTREACH MINISTRY

Actively sharing the gospel and serving the community through creative evangelism, service projects, and acts of compassion. This ministry provides opportunities for direct engagement with people in need, meeting both physical and spiritual needs.

05 FOOD BANK MINISTRY

Partnering with food banks and pantries to help organize, pack, and distribute food to families experiencing food insecurity. Volunteers play a vital role in ensuring that struggling individuals receive nourishment and encouragement.

06 HOMEOWNER MINISTRY

Helping homeowners in need through repair projects, painting, yard work, and other practical services that restore dignity and improve living conditions. This ministry focuses on assisting elderly, disabled, or low-income homeowners who may struggle to maintain their homes.

07 LOCAL COMMUNITY MINISTRIES

Partnering with various local organizations to serve and support the unique needs of the community. This ministry may include mentoring, social services, neighborhood projects, or other outreach efforts that build relationships and create lasting impact.

08 COMMUNITY GARDENS

Creating and maintaining garden spaces that provide fresh produce for local neighborhoods while fostering community engagement. These gardens serve as a means to promote sustainability, educate residents, and offer a space for connection and discipleship.

04

HOUSING

DORM // HOTEL



Our program features on-campus housing in either dormitory or hotel-style accommodations on the campus of New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.



A HOME BASE FOR YOUR MISSION TRIP

SAFE AND CONVENIENT

Housing is on campus which is both gated and has 24-hour security. Meals, worship, and gospel training are also on campus for your convenience.



FREETIME FUN

We build in a few free evenings for groups to spend either relaxing on campus or site-seeing in the city. During your free time you can enjoy the campus gym, pool, disc golf course, and more.

CENTRALLY LOCATED

The Campus is located less than 15 minutes from the French Quarter, City Park, and more attractions in New Orleans.

TOUR THE CAMPUS

MissionLab attendees have the opportunity of touring our beautiful campus to know more about degrees opportunities.



BEDS: 4-6 beds per room
BATHROOMS: Bathroom and Shower in Room

01 PRICE BUILDING DORMS

The Price dorms are our main housing for MissionLab teams. They have 4-6 bunk beds plus a bathroom and shower in each room.

Note: attendants must bring their own bedding and towels.

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02 DODD AND SPURGEON DORMS

Right next to the Price dorm, these dorms offer rooms with 4-6 beds each while having community style bathrooms on each floor.

Note: Participants must bring their own bedding and towels.

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BEDS: 4-6 beds per room
BATHROOMS: Community Bathroom and Shower



BEDS: 2 Twins or 1 Queen
BATHROOMS: Bathroom and Shower in Room

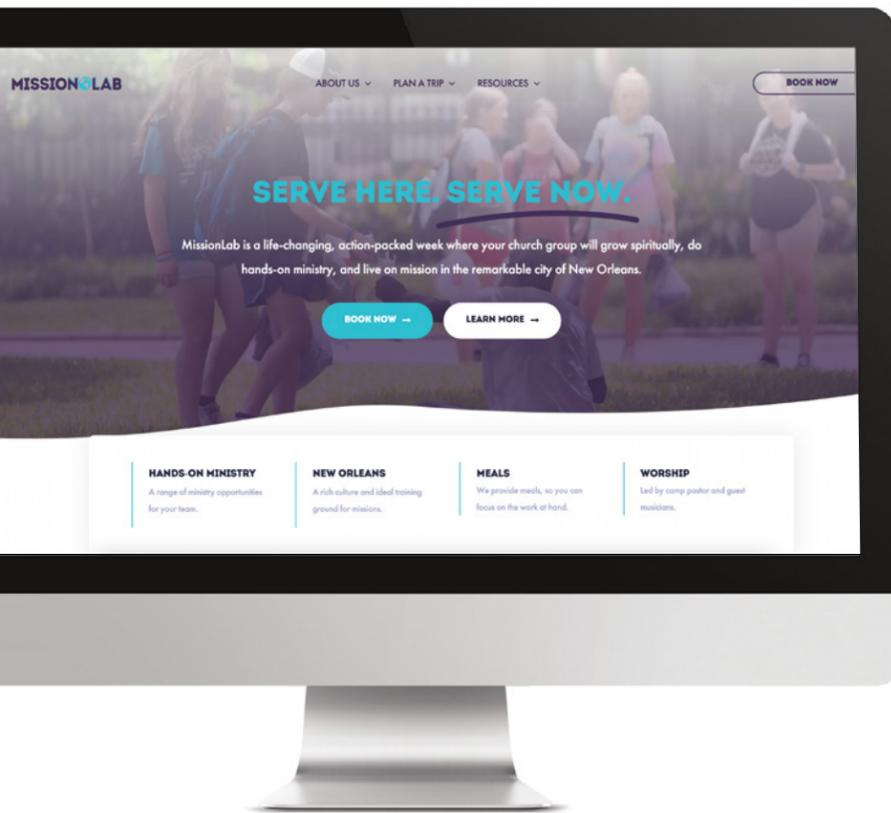
03 PROVIDENCE GUEST HOUSE

Providence Guest House is located across the street from the main NOBTS campus. It is a hotel style housing that you would expect at any other hotel with linens, pillows, and towels provided. There are rooms with two twin beds or a king bed to choose from.

Note: There is an extra cost per person to stay at the Providence Guest House.

05

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▼ **MISSIONS TRAINING**

In the months leading up to your trip, we will have our training curriculum made available to you to help get your group ready for their time in New Orleans.

▼ **BE IN TOUCH**

Our staff is available during regular office hours to assist you, so feel free to give us a call at 504-816-8060 when you have questions. Additionally, please stay in contact with us regarding deadlines—it's essential for helping things run smoothly as we plan the logistics of your group's trip.

06



MLAB GUIDELINES

01 CONDUCT

Christian conduct is expected at all times. Threatening or demeaning behavior toward others will not be tolerated. This includes, but is not limited to, fighting, cursing, and harassing and/or making negative comments about others.

02 CHAPERONES

Campers should be with chaperones at all times. The students will be under your care for the entirety of their trip to New Orleans. Whether on campus or off, students must be with chaperones. This includes gym and pool time. Also, campers may not leave campus without a chaperone from their group.

03 HOUSING

No guys are permitted in girls' rooms. No girls are permitted in guys' rooms. In the case of groups staying in Dodd and Spurgeon Halls, members of the opposite sex are not allowed in the buildings. If your church requires chaperones to be in a separate room from students, please let us know ahead of time.

04 WHAT TO BRING

Everyone in your group should bring linens, towels, pillows, blankets (if you are staying in the dorms), toiletries (toothbrush, soap, deodorant, etc.), clothing for ministry sites, clothing for worship/free time, sun protection, bug spray, rain jacket, and a refillable water bottle

05 WHAT NOT TO BRING

Your group should not bring alcohol; tobacco; illegal substances; firearms; fireworks; inappropriate, explicit, or hateful clothing; Items that may be used for pranks.

06 PAYMENT POLICIES

A 10% non-refundable deposit is required to reserve your team's spots; this deposit may be transferred as a credit for up to one year. Final numbers and payment (remaining 90%) are due 30 days prior to arrival and is non-refundable, even if your team size decreases. Any additional participants beyond the 90% payment must be paid for upon arrival by check.

PAYMENT AND FORMS



DEPOSIT TO BOOK:
10% OF YOUR TRIP



30 DAYS BEFORE ARRIVAL:
90% OF YOUR TRIP



60 DAYS BEFORE ARRIVAL
ALL FORMS SUBMITTED



UPON ARRIVAL
PAYMENT FOR ANY ADDITIONS TO YOUR GROUP AND YOUR \$250 DAMAGE DEPOSIT



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