

North Oconee High School Band Spring Trip Rules for Students

1. Oconee County Schools and North Oconee High School rules and policies are in effect for this trip. This is a school related function so while we are traveling, you are considered “in school”. These rules include the possession of alcohol, tobacco, or drugs. Violation of these or any other major offenses will result in being sent home immediately at the parent’s expense and school disciplinary action will be taken.
2. A student’s conduct is extremely important. Whether it is on the bus, in the parks, at a restaurant, or at the hotel, your behavior and attitude reflect on the reputation of our band. You will be expected to act maturely in many different types of situations while you are on this trip. How you interact with our chaperones and each other will be a big reflection on you.
3. I Pods, phones, I Pads, and other audio equipment will allowed on the bus and at the hotel, but can only be used with headphones. Please be careful with your personal items, the school is not responsible for these items if they were to be lost on the trip. The buses will have a DVD player. Only movies rated G or PG will be shown and that is at the discretion of the chaperones on each bus.
4. Personal food and drinks may be brought on the bus, but drinks must have a cap and be able to be resealed. We must keep the buses clean. This includes picking up all trash, yours or otherwise.
5. Students are allowed one medium suitcase and one small carry-on.
6. Hotel rooms and the buses are to be kept as neat as possible. If anything is damaged please notify a chaperone immediately. Damage will need to be paid for but we don’t want an extra fee charged for unreported damage.
7. Absolutely no boys in girl’s rooms or vice versa.
8. You must follow curfew at night and be in your room on time. Chaperones will check rooms at the assigned time. You may not leave your room after room check for any reason. If an emergency comes up during the night, contact your room chaperone by phone. Your chaperone’s cell phone number should be saved in your phone.
9. In order to keep everyone on schedule and happy as well as getting to everything included in our itinerary, everyone must be at the right place at the right time. Please bring a watch and pay close attention to our itinerary.
10. Students are to be in your groups at all times. This includes parks and meals. (Everywhere!) You should never be alone. All students will be assigned a specific chaperone to check in with for attendance purposes at various times throughout the trip. If you are separated from your group, call someone!
11. Please keep careful watch of your possessions during the trip. The parks will be crowded and you need to keep up with all of your belongings.
12. The success of this trip is directly related to your maturity and ability to follow directions with a good attitude. Any infractions of the rules WILL result in some type of disciplinary action including room change, in-room suspension, assignment to a chaperone during all free time, referral to the NOHS administration upon return (goes on school record/suspension), being sent home at parent’s expense, or expulsion from the band. This trip is a reward for your hard work during marching and concert season and should be considered what it is – an honor and privilege.