



ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION & LEADERSHIP

This trip is a chance to venture deep into the wilds of Patagonia, visiting the Balmaceda and Serrano Glaciers, and learning about how climate change is impacting these important icecaps. Students will spend 4-5 days trekking and backpacking across the famous Torres del Paine National Park, experiencing an incredible natural landscape and learning about conservation in this unique part of the world.

Students do not need extensive experience backpacking, but must be ready to embrace the experience of trekking and camping.



TIMING & COST

Travel Provider: ARCC

February 17-26

Cost: \$5500



LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- **RESPECT:** learning about conservation and stewardship of the natural world
- **INTEGRITY:** embracing the joys and challenges of trekking & outdoor education
- **INCLUSION:** good citizenship in group travel
- **CURIOSITY:** hands-on learning about the impact of climate change
- **COLLABORATION:** working together on travel and service

Travel with a passion for...
OUTDOOR EXPLORATION

PATAGONIA

**OUTDOOR TREKKING TO
EXPLORE CLIMATE
CHANGE**





LOGISTICS

- **Visas:** Not required for US citizens
- **Passports:** must be valid for 6 months from entry
- **Paperwork:** must complete required medical paperwork and permission to travel forms



ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- Balmaceda and Serrano Glaciers
- Trekking Torres del Paines
- Leadership and outdoor adventure curriculum
- Learning about conservation and the impact of climate change

QUESTIONS?

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BE READY FOR...

- The joys and challenges of trekking: hiking with weight (40-50 lbs), camping, weather variability
- Gear: you will need clothing and gear for hiking & camping -- some basic gear is provided but be ready for the cost of buying personal gear (clothing, shoes, sleeping bags) if you do not already own it
- Sunscreen will be especially important but weather is temperate

