Walk the Plank '27	Maximum 26 students	$650 depending on number of participants and final itinerary

Overnight Monday March 22 – Friday March 26, 2027

Ahoy, mateys! Join your favorite pirates Ms. Minato *AND* Mr. Hamilton (yarrr!) for a sailing adventure on the Salish Sea. Board the Schooner Zodiac, a 160-foot windjammer with four sails, including the largest working mainsail on the west coast! She is a restored relic from 1924 with a rich history and many original, authentic details. Experience the power of the wind and potentially reach speeds of 13 knots as we cruise around the San Juan Islands.

You will learn how to work as a member of the ship's crew with your fellow students to hoist the sails, navigate by chart, and perform watch-duty. If you're lucky, you can even take the helm! Additionally, we will focus on marine biology, local ecosystems, and local historical legends. We will sail wherever the wind takes us around the San Juan Islands, each day docking somewhere different for a new adventure on shore to play games and explore. For one night, students will embark on a land excursion to enjoy a campfire on the beach and tent-camping.

The 124-foot-long deck offers plenty of places to hang out and soak in your serene week at sea or go below deck to the chart house, galley, and bunkrooms. All meals are provided by the ship's chef and students will each have their own bunk. There are three fully equipped bathrooms on the ship.

Trip fees include all meals, lodging, and activities. A full set of quality rain gear, a warm sleeping bag and a sleeping pad are MUSTS for this trip. ***Students will depart from EAS on Monday morning at 8:00 AM to board the Schooner Zodiac in Bellingham and will return to EAS Friday around 3:00 PM.***

CANoe Island	Maximum 36 students	$1200 – 1300 depending on number of participants

Overnight, Sunday March 21 – Friday March 26, 2027

Get ready for an epic, hands-on journey to Vancouver Island, Canada, on a 6-day, 5-night trip with Mr. Rose, where incredible outdoor adventures and rich cultural discoveries await! Your journey begins tucked away in the beautiful wilderness of Shawnigan Lake, where you'll settle into cozy cabins for three nights of campfires, pizza dinners, canoeing, and an impactful community service project. From there, you'll embark on thrilling day trips to explore the stunning Malahat Skywalk and the world-class Royal BC Museum in Victoria, before heading to Duncan to get up close with magnificent birds of prey at The Raptors and explore the famous City of Totems.

Later in the week we move north to Nanaimo and Ladysmith for a two-night stay packed with regional history at the Nanaimo Museum, interactive wood carving workshops, and high-flying outdoor thrills at WildPlay Element Parks. This is more than just a trip—it's an unforgettable chance to challenge yourself, learn new skills, and make lifelong memories in one of the world's most spectacular natural classrooms!

Trip cost includes water and ground transportation, meals, lodging, and activities. Students will need to bring a sack lunch for the first day and may choose to bring some spending money for souvenirs. ***Students will depart from the Seattle Waterfront Sunday morning on 3/21 and return to the Seattle Waterfront on Friday 3/26.***

Say Cheese! Alpaca the Bus for a Gouda Time!	Maximum 28 students	$1400 - 1500 depending on number of participants and final itinerary

Overnight, Sunday March 21 – Thursday March 25, 2027

Join Ms. Holck on a 5-day/4-night adventure to the Oregon Coast and Willamette Valley! We will travel from EAS down the Oregon Coast to Willamette Valley and explore how environmental changes and human choices can shape the land and the food we enjoy. Traveling on the Green Tortoise Bus, we'll explore coastal, forest, and dune ecosystems and learn how history, geology, and volcanism have shaped the region and our local menus. Card tournaments will keep everyone entertained on the bus throughout the week.

Beginning in Bend, we will visit an alpaca farm to meet and feed the alpacas, and an additional farm in the Willamette Valley to see how sustainable farming connects animals, people, and the land. Trace the journey from ocean to table with a visit to the Leaburg fish hatchery, then adventure through the Mckenzie River, hiking through many waterfalls and experiencing the unique geomorphology.

A highlight of the trip will be a culinary treat at the Tillamook Creamery where you'll tour the facility, watch cheese being made, and sample local cheeses and ice cream while learning the natural and cultural history of dairy farming on the Oregon Coast. Spend a full day on the coast discovering tide pools, beaches, and headlands, and dunes. You'll camp for one night at Twin Rocks Friends Camp along the coast, then use Gnomewood Campground in the Willamette Valley as our camp home base for unwinding and connecting after each day's adventures.

Trip fees cover food, lodging, and activities for the trip. To fully participate, students must be comfortable hiking up to 5 miles and must wear appropriate gear *(e.g. hiking boots not Crocs, rain gear not sweatshirts etc.)*. ***Students will depart from EAS on the morning of 3/21 and return to EAS the evening of 3/25.***

Bay by Bay: a Northern California Adventure	Maximum 26 Students	$2100-2300; initial deposit of $550; cost depending on transportation

Overnight, Sunday March 21 – Thursday March 25, 2027

Get ready for an unforgettable adventure by land and by sea with Mr. Miller! On this 5-day/4-night trip we'll experience some of Northern California's most iconic destinations along the stunning Pacific coastline. Paddle through coastal waterways alongside sea otters and harbor seals, observing elephant seals in their natural habitat, and hiking through the breathtaking landscapes of Big Sur before visiting the world-renowned Monterey Bay Aquarium, where you'll discover mesmerizing jellyfish, towering kelp forests, and amazing ocean creatures. In Santa Cruz you'll enjoy the thrills of the historic Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk amusement park, where you can ride classic attractions overlooking the Pacific Ocean and its beautiful sandy beaches!

Later in the week our adventure continues in downtown San Francisco, where we'll explore the best the city has to offer, including Chinatown, Alcatraz, the Exploratorium, and the California Academy of Sciences. If the fog allows it, we'll take in spectacular views of the Golden Gate Bridge and enjoy the iconic waterfront destinations like Fisherman's Wharf, the Embarcadero, and Pier 39. Along the way, we'll get a taste of Northern California's local food scene, sampling local restaurants and eateries and enjoying the unique flavors that make up the character of each city.

Every evening, you'll return to hotel/hostel accommodations, giving you a comfortable place to recharge, relax with friends, and get ready for the next day's adventures. This trip is the perfect combination of beach-focused outdoor adventure, marine biology, science, history, amusement park thrills, local eats, and city exploration, with incredible experiences, new discoveries, and memories you'll be talking about long after you return home.

Trip cost includes airfare, ground transportation, activities, and some meals. Students will need to bring spending money for dining out in Monterey, Santa Cruz, and San Francisco. ***Students will depart early from SeaTac for SFO on 3/21 and return to SeaTac in the evening on 3/25.***

Buddies in the Boat: a Southern California Adventure	Maximum 30 students	$2000-2200, depending on final itinerary and transportation costs

Sunday March 21 – Thursday March 25, 2027

Join Ms. Andrada on a 5-day/4-night aquatic adventure to Channel Islands National Park in Southern California, where we will explore the eastern half of Santa Cruz Island by land and by sea. Over the course of the trip we'll explore sea caves via kayak (weather/conditions permitting), explore kelp forests via snorkel, help out in the camp kitchen, sleep in tents, and take in all the natural history of the island and the marine ecology of the sea caves and surrounding waters. Later in the week we'll return to the mainland and try not to wipeout while learning how to surf. Prior to the trip, trip participants will read and discuss the Newberry Award winning novel, *The Island of the Blue Dolphins* by Scott O'Dell to learn about one of the indigenous cultures of the Channel Islands.

Students will need to be able to comfortably paddle a tandem ocean kayak for up to 4 hours at a time to participate fully. *(If you've been on a summer canoe trip with Mr. Hamilton, this will be no problem for you!)* As is the nature of water activities in the ocean, the continuous motion of the waves can be challenging for those who are prone to seasickness — be advised that students will be spending multiple hours on the water at a time, including time on kayaks, on surfboards, and on the boat crossing from the mainland to the Channel Islands. Participants will be given a safety orientation for all water activities and will be provided with all necessary gear for kayaking, snorkeling, and surfing including PFDs, helmets, snorkels, flippers, and/or wetsuits.

Trip cost includes round trip airfare, charter bus transportation in California, round trip water taxi to the Channel Islands, all camp meals, activities, equipment rentals, and kayak/snorkeling/surfing instruction and guides for the duration of the trip. Specific gear and packing restrictions will be reviewed prior to the trip. Students will need to bring a sack lunch for the first day and some spending money for an airport meal on the last day. ***Students will depart from SeaTac very early Sunday morning for LAX on 3/21, and return to SeaTac at night on 3/25.***