COLLINGWOOD SCHOOL

Trips & Tours
2026/2027 Calendar

For the upcoming year, we are introducing a range of local and international trips which supports our broader approach to the creation of authentic learning opportunities. Our goal is to balance these opportunities, along with the additional financial implications, so that families can decide how best to enrich their child's learning experience throughout their high school journey.

We are attempting to ensure that students can access high quality learning experiences in each of the four core areas: academics, athletics, arts, and service/leadership.

The following costs include the cost of supervisors as all trips will be an additional expense paid by the student. Please note these costs are based on historical data and may change based on location, number of students (thus supervisors) and inflation. All trips are subject to having adequate student registration in order to run.

Season
Summer Fall Winter Spring

Affiliation
Optional Co-Curricular Trip
Optional Class Trip H H Block Course
Compulsory Class Trip

OUTDOORS/ADVENTURE

H **Explore 9 Trips**	Various (local)	Grade 9	May 17-21,2027 and June 2-4, 2027 (tentative)	$1,800

ARTS & CULTURE

H **Film Adventure Trip**	New York, NY USA	Grade 10-12	June 2-8, 2027	$4,500-$4,700

ACADEMIC PURSUITS

IISPSC 2026	Oakville, ON	Grade 10-12	Oct 14-19, 2026	$1,900
Vancouver Model UN	Vancouver, BC	Grade 9-12	Jan 22-24,2027	$650
Mecha Mayhem Robotics	Calgary, AB	Grade 9-12	February 12-14, 2027	$1,200

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Northwestern Economics Competition	Chicago, IL USA	Grade 10-12	April 2-4, 2027	$2200
DECA Competition	Anaheim, CA USA	Grade 9-12	April 17-20, 2027	$2500
H **Life Sciences Trip**	Gabriola Islands, BC	Grade 11	May 31-June 4, 2027	$1,500-$1750
H **Social Studies Trip**	Ottawa, ON	Grade 10	May 31-June 4, 2027	$3,200

SERVICE & LEADERSHIP

Leadership for Gr.4 & 5 Camps	Local	Grade 10	September 22-25, 2026	$250
Encounter 57	Local	Grade 10-12	November 20-22, 2026	$425
Middle School Global Ed Trip	Japan	Grade 8-9	March 12-20, 2027 (tentative)	Approx. $7000-$8000 (tbd)
Encounter 58	Local	Grade 11-12	April 9-11, 2027	$465

ATHLETICS

Rugby Tour	Italy & France	Grade 10-12	March 10-25, 2027	$8,400
Senior Girls Field Hockey Tour	tba	Grade 10-12	August 2027	$6500-$7100 (approx)
Senior Boys BRIT Basketball Tour	Saskatoon	Grade 10-12	January 2028	$2500 (approx)

Sports Teams (expected/potential trip costs only):
*Fees below cover additional overnight tournaments not covered by the school. *The cost for all these trips is determined and fluctuates by the time/season and location of the tournaments.*

- Junior Field Hockey—----------$350
- Senior Field Hockey—----------$700
- Senior Boys Soccer—----------$400
- Senior Volleyball—----------$400

- Senior Boys Basketball—----------$400
- Senior Girls Basketball—----------$400
- Grade 8 Girls Basketball—--------$300
- Grade 9/10 Boys Basketball—---$400
- Senior Girls Soccer—----------$400
- Senior Golf—----------$400

Important Information Regarding Travel, Costs, and Financial Support

This Trips & Tours document attempts to preview upcoming travel opportunities and estimated costs to help families plan ahead. As a reminder, tuition covers day field trips associated with a course, as well as mandatory overnight trips that are required for all students (such as the annual Grade 4–7 camps at Wentworth and Camp Summit trips at Morven). Optional overnight trips—including international, H-block, out-of-province, and athletics travel—incur separate fees not covered by tuition.

To ensure financial barriers never prevent a student from participating or competing in school programs, financial assistance may be available to cover a portion of trip costs. Because requests require processing time, we encourage families to reach out to Nita Pickering, Director of Enrolment and Financial Assistance, as early as possible to initiate the confidential application process—even if your family does not currently receive financial assistance for tuition.

Importantly, all expenses for teams attending Provincial Athletic Championships <u>are</u> fully covered by Collingwood School.

Please note that precise long-term forecasting for every experience is impossible, as exciting new learning opportunities across academics, leadership, arts, and athletics emerge throughout the school year.