THE KING'S ACADEMY

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Belize Service Trip: March 21-29, 2027

Mission
We will be serving with PathLight International and Jaguar Creek, Christian organizations committed to the transformation of Belize through faith and learning. We will be the hands and feet of Jesus while participating in local school/community projects, and we will experience the adventure of learning about God's creation in the rain forest.

Goals
- Share the love of Christ while building relationships with underserved students and their families.
- Build, paint or repair school classrooms, rainwater collection system, etc
- Conduct hands-on art, science and sports day camps for local elementary students, assist Belizean teachers and principal with special class projects as needed.

Itinerary

March 21	Travel to Belize, drive to Jaguar Creek
March 22	Visit local churches, families and soccer field
March 23-27	Elementary school and community service projects
March 28	Guided excursion to Mayan archeological sites
March 29	Return to California

Trip Cost: $2,625

Travel Protection

Cost: $161.37 Purchase via the link or QR code: Purchase Now
(incl. cancel for any reason - for full details please review the attachments)

Travel Protection Instructions and Resources:
(1) Travel Protection Brochure, (2) Steps to purchase, (3) Video with purchase steps

Accommodations/Food
Each screened cabana at Jaguar Creek houses 4–5 students and includes hot-water showers, mosquito-netted beds, and fans for cooling. Meals feature a mix of Belizean and American dishes, prepared by Jaguar Creek staff. Filtered and chlorinated drinking water is available, with bottled water available for purchase.

Who is going?
The team will consist of up to 40 students and 8 adult chaperones.

Medical:

We have an UPDATED MEDICATION POLICY for Service Trips!

- All prescription medications will require a Doctor's note (preferably our TKA Medication Authorization Form) and be in the original and appropriately labeled container.
- Students may self carry prescribed medication only with Doctor's written approval.
- Students may not self carry controlled substances and instead will need to be submitted with the exact amount required for the trip for the TKA staff to administer.
- TKA will provide the following medications but permission must be given prior to the Service Trip (Tylenol, Advil, Zyrtec, Claritin, Benadryl, Peptobismal, Dramamine, Tums,

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Chewable Melatonin, Hydrocortisone Cream and Cough Drops). Students must take the initiative to request these over the counter medications from TKA staff.

- If parents prefer students to self carry personal over-the-counter medications (OTC) and vitamins, **Medication Authorization Form must be turned in at least two weeks prior to the trip departure date (only parental permission needs to be completed for OTC medications).**
- Medications will need to be dropped off 2 weeks prior to the trip, on one of the below dates and times:

Monday, March 1st 7:30 am to 9 am

OR

Wednesday, March 3rd from 7:30 am to 9 am

- **NO MEDICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON DEPARTURE DAY.**

Questions?
Email service@tka.org, and our team will respond as soon as possible. Please note that we are currently experiencing a high volume of service-related emails, so we ask that you allow 3–4 business days for a response.

Leaders: Scott Smithson and Kevin Johnson ***Please Note:*** *Information is subject to change.*