

# **SAMPLE TRAVEL ITINERARY** Guatemala



# **General Comments**

- School the World will provide students with filtered water in hotels, during transportation, and in the community. STW water bottles will be provided to each traveler prior to departure.
- Students will be transported in vans operated by drivers regularly used and screened by School the World.
- Travel time between Guatemala City and accommodations in Santa Cruz del Quiché is approximately 4 hours. Travel time between accommodations and the communities is 40 minutes on average, depending on community.
- A medical doctor and traveling nurse in Guatemala will be on-call at all times during the trip.



# **Locations Visiting:**

- Santa Cruz del Quiché, Guatemala
- Antigua, Guatemala



\*Please note that this is a sample itinerary used to display how a typical trip is run. Times, dates, and activities are subject to change.

#### <u>Day 1</u>

Travel day and arrival in Guatemala City. Group picked up at airport by staff & drivers. Travel to Antigua and check into hotel.

- 4:30 PM Walk to downtown Antigua as group and explore local sites
- 6:30 PM Dinner at local restaurant

#### <u>Day 2</u>

- 6:30 AM Depart for community in Quiché
- 8:00 AM Breakfast in Tecpán
- 12:00 PM Welcome Ceremony
- 1:30 PM Boxed lunch
- 2:30 PM Begin service work
- 4:30 PM Depart community & check into hotel in Santa Cruz del Quiché
- 7:00 PM Dinner & discussion



## <u>Day 3</u>

- 6:15 AM Breakfast at hotel
- 7:00 AM Depart for community
- 8:00 AM Organization of service work
- 10:00 AM Recess with Guatemalan children
- 11:00 PM Resume service work
- 12:30 PM Lunch
- 1:30 PM Organization of afternoon service work
- 4:30 PM Depart community
- 7:00 PM Dinner & Discussion

#### <u>Day 4</u>

- 6:15 AM Breakfast at hotel
- 7:00 AM Depart for community
- 8:00 AM Organization of service & shadow visits
- 10:00 AM Recess with Guatemalan students
- 1:30 AM Depart for Chichicastenango Market / Boxed Lunch
- 2:30 PM Tour of market & local sites / shopping in Chichi
- 4:00 PM Depart for hotel
- 7:00 PM Dinner & discussion



- <u>Day 5</u>
- 7:00 AM Depart for community
- 8:00 AM Organization of service & teaching in classrooms
- 10:00 AM Recess with Guatemalan students
- 11:00 AM Organization of service & teaching in classrooms
- 1:00 PM Lunch
- 1:30 PM Organization of afternoon service work
- 4:30 PM Depart for hotel
- 6:00 PM Zumba class
- 7:30 PM Dinner & discussion

#### <u>Day 6</u>

- 6:15 AM Breakfast at hotel
- 7:00 AM Depart for community
- 8:00 AM Organization of service work
- 12:30 PM Lunch
- 1:30 PM Organization of afternoon service work
- 3:30 PM Soccer game
- 5:00 PM Depart community
- 7:00 PM Dinner & Discussion











## <u>Day 7</u>

- 7:45 AM Breakfast at hotel
- 8:00 AM Tour local Mayan Ruins
- 9:30 AM Depart for Dedication Ceremony in Community
- 10:30 AM Dedication Ceremony with local Mayor & Ministry of Education
- 12:30 PM Lunch with community
- 3:30 PM Depart Community
- 7:00 PM Dinner & Discussion



#### <u>Day 8</u>

- 6:00 AM Depart for Antigua
- 8:00 AM Breakfast in Tecpán
- 11:00 AM Cultural Activities
- 3:00 PM Check into hotels in Antigua
- 4:30PM Walk around Antigua
- 6:30 PM Dinner at local restaurant
- 8:30 PM Final Discussion



## <u>Day 9</u>

Depart from Guatemala City for flight back home. Parent pick up upon arrival. Return home as an official World changer!

Please reach out to Danielle.adams@schooltheworld.org with any questions.