



FIELD TRIP APPLICATION AND OVERVIEW

Thank you for your interest in visiting The Hall as part of a school field trip. The Hall's popular education program offers several relevant, curriculum-based, grade-level education modules in different disciplines but with a particular focus on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math). Students will typically work in groups on real-life projects related to football.

THE HALL'S EDUCATION MISSION

The Hall at Patriot Place presented by Raytheon implements a real and relevant education enrichment program that touches several disciplines with a specific focus on math and science. Using on-site modules and education programs tailored for grade specific levels, The Hall augments classroom instruction in an entertaining environment that promotes teamwork and learning.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Because of increased demand, The Hall has implemented an application process to book field trip reservations for the 2018-2019 school year. This will allow us to manage requests and expectations effectively to ensure all field trip guests continue to enjoy a positive experience.

Please complete this application to request a field trip visit to The Hall for your students. Submitting the application does not guarantee a field trip reservation as demand currently exceeds availability, but The Hall will do its best to accommodate as many schools/students as possible. When you submit an application, you will receive an email confirming your submission. If we are able to book your field trip, a Hall staff person will reach out to confirm the date for your trip and provide details and instructions for your visit.

Once a date has been secured, you will be sent an invoice that will serve as your field trip confirmation. Final student count is due two weeks before your scheduled trip and The Hall will not issue refunds for student counts below your two-week level as staffing and support is determined based on that number. Please note that if your trip is confirmed, we will send you lunch options for Patriot Place restaurants and you will need to select an education module, which are included within this application.

The priority deadline for submitting an application is May, 15, 2018 for the 2018-2019 school year. Applications received by this date will receive priority, but are not guaranteed a reservation. If, after booking those schools, we still have dates available, we will continue to fill in available dates so do not hesitate to submit after May 15.

If we cannot accommodate your school, we will add you to a waiting list. We also understand that since this is our first year utilizing an application process that some schools might not be aware and may submit after May 15. We encourage you to submit this year even if you have missed that deadline. We will try to contact all school contacts that have submitted by June 15 to make them aware of the application status. Please complete the entire application.

Contact name: _____ Today's date: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact position at school: _____ Contact phone number: _____

Name of school: _____

School address: _____ Phone number: _____

Best time to contact: _____ Best way to contact: email phone

Number of students/chaperones attending: _____ Grade Level: _____

(Please note that we understand this number could change. The Hall will need a final number 2 weeks before your visit. We will not issue refunds if your group includes fewer students than what you provide two weeks before your trip as staffing levels and support are based on this number. Please be as accurate as possible as we make field trip reservations based on the number of students we can efficiently accommodate to ensure a positive experience.)

Please list, in priority order, the months you are able to visit. **Please note that May and June are in extremely high demand and will fill quickly. We recommend listing multiple months.**

__ January __ February __ March __ April __ May __ June
__ July __ August __ September __ October __ November __ December

Number of days you wish to attend: 1 2 3 4 5

Please note if you intend to bring more than 130 students, you will likely require multiple days.

Day of the week preference: M Tu W Th F Any

Blackout dates: _____

Please list any dates (i.e. MCAS testing days) on which you cannot attend.

Has your school visited The Hall in the past? No Yes Date(s): _____

The Hall may take photos of the group during its trip for use in educational literature and on its website and social media pages or to send to your local newspaper. It will not identify the students in the photos. If a newspaper requests names of students in a picture, we will refer the paper to the school's contact. If you have students on your trip that are NOT permitted to be photographed, please make us aware so that we do not include those students in any photos.

This application can be submitted online. We encourage you to print it for your records. Please email any questions to education@patriots.com.

LUNCH

The Hall does not have a lunch room. It has lunch deals for school groups with CBS Scene Restaurant, Skipjacks, Red Robin, Capriotti's, Moe's, and Five Guys. Lunch menus/pricing will be sent to you with your field trip confirmation. All lunch reservations have to be made directly with the restaurant.

MODULE SELECTION (PLEASE INDICATE YOUR FIRST AND SECOND CHOICE)

_____ **Hands Down (3rd or 4th grade)** - In this engineering activity students are asked to evaluate the pros and cons of integrating hand recognition biometric technology into the security system for Gillette Stadium. They assess hand geometry codes and the technology required to interpret the code to determine whether those codes would be the right choice for a new security system. As engineers they make their recommendations about the new system.

_____ **How does the Equipment Ship (3rd -5th grade)** - In this math focused program students work on teams to ship authentic player equipment to various locations. Students are asked to gather items from a checklist and select a box for their items. They are then responsible for estimating their shipping weight and determining the best shipping method for their box.

_____ **Build an NFL Football Team (5th - 8th grade)** - In this math focused program students are asked to join their classmates and serve as the management team for a new NFL franchise. Using budgets and statistics from the NFL, students analyze players' strengths, weaknesses and salaries to assemble the best offensive unit. They are also asked to design a team logo and present their proposal in a press conference.

_____ **Helmet Design Challenge (5th - 8th grade)** - In this engineering design challenge students explore, select and arrange materials they feel provide the necessary structure or cushioning for a model helmet. After discussing how concussions occur, and learning about helmet technology the students use their materials to design their own helmet prototypes. The students then test their designs and report on their results using the engineering design process.

_____ **Let's Have a Ball (5th - 8th grade)** - Students are presented with a sports related technological problem. A game manufacturer needs help in choosing the correct sports ball for its new game. Students are given specific criteria regarding the ball's performance requirements. They are asked to test several different sports balls for specific measurements and use the data they gather to make a recommendation to the manufacturer.

_____ **Nutrition and Performance (5th-8th grade)** - Students step into the role of a sports nutritionist as they learn how nutrition affects performance in this STEM-focused module. As small student groups "meet" a client with a unique set of physical traits, evaluate the clients' daily eating pattern, and make suggestions about how to better align it with the latest in nutrition science-based recommendations, they find out the two critical roles food plays in athletic (and other types of) performance, learn to think about the human body as a system, and consider how some of this system's inputs impact the output (performance) of the athlete. In highly accessible ways, students even get a taste of how scientific observation, mathematical modelling, and an understanding of the nature of variables come into play in the field of nutrition science.

_____ **Marketing and the Hall (9th - 12th grade)** - This program offers high school students an opportunity to utilize the Four P's of marketing. Students are given different scenarios before they arrive and are asked to present their marketing strategy approach to one of the given scenarios. They receive professional feedback from our marketing team following their presentations.

**The Hall can tailor a field trip to meet your educational needs
and also offers professional speakers.**

Thank you for interest in a Hall Field Trip. If we are able to accommodate your field trip, a Hall representative will contact you to discuss confirm your date and to ensure you have all relevant information for a successful education visit to The Hall.

Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____

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Received: __/__/__

By: _____

Reply sent: __/__/__

Confirmed: Yes No

Order number: _____