

Dear Tina-Avalon High School families,

It has been an unprecedented year that none of us could have ever predicted. A lot has been taken away from us, but one thing we still have that cannot be taken away is **HOPE** – hope for a future where we can continue exploring the amazing things this world has to offer. With that being said, we are pleased to announce that your student has been selected to participate in our educational tour to **Scotland and Ireland** in July 2022 with all Carroll County schools! Your student was nominated by a teacher on behalf of their dedication to academics and outstanding character in the classroom.

These lands were once home to ancient Celtic and Gaelic tribes; today their histories blend comfortably into the modern day. Step into the Middle Ages on Edinburgh's Royal Mile and under the towering spire of St. Patrick's Cathedral in Dublin. In Belfast, old conflicts have given way to an influx of restored 19th-century architecture and a thriving arts scene.

Imagine your child...

- Engaging with a world beyond their classroom and local community
- Stepping outside of their comfort zone and experiencing new foods, cultures and people
- Receiving an experience that will help him/her stand out on college or job applications
- Learning to navigate new situations with confidence and maturity, and appreciating the difference of others
- Experiencing a life changing journey

What are next steps?

We will be hosting an informational meeting via **Zoom on Wednesday, March 10th at 6:30pm**!

<u>All interested parties must register through registration link below by **Tuesday, March 9**th in order to receive the meeting Zoom link. Guardian attendance at the Information Meeting is mandatory for students to be accepted to the trip.</u>

Our goal is to give students something to be excited about again! Attend the meeting and enroll for hope!

Warm regards, Ms. Jeri Burger <u>burger-jeri@trojans.k12.mo.us</u>

------Register for the meeting at the site below------



Registration Link: <u>https://bit.ly/3bkZO9f</u>



Note: This is a non-school sponsored tour through an accredited student travel organization, EF Educational Tours