Students from [School] to Bring Learning to Life [School] Planning trip to [Destination]

[LOCAL CITY, STATE]—Students from [School Name] will be traveling on an educational tour to [Cities/Countries] in [Month/Year] with teacher, [Teacher Name], who teaches [subject] at [School]. This experience will allow students to see many of the things they study in action, [practice Spanish/French/German if applicable], and engage with the culture of the region.

A parent-teacher meeting will be held [Date] at [Location]. Through the teacher-led program, students will also have to opportunity to earn college preparatory credit through online coursework after travel, as the trip is designed as an extension of the in-classroom experience. This credit is a unique distinction that will distinguish students who complete the coursework on their college applications.

While in [Cities/Countries], students will explore [Insert notable stops on itinerary].

"We are so excited to offer this opportunity to our students," said [Teacher Name, Position]. "We are hoping that they not only have fun, but learn new life skills, add to their cultural competency, and gain a deeper understanding of how classroom learning connects to the world."

According to the <u>Association of American Colleges and Universities</u>, experiential education has value far beyond building the kind of social skills, work ethic, and practical expertise that are important in professionally oriented programs.

The tour is operated by WorldStrides, the nation's largest accredited travel organization, and has been in business for more than 50 years. You can learn more at www.worldstrides.org. Financial assistance is available through WorldStrides.

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