

To the Board of ED Members,

Alexis, Carolyn and I would like to thank you all for your time and allowing us to present this amazing opportunity for Union High School students. In lieu of your questions and concerns, we would more than willing to have an alternative name for the program, and we completely understand your concerns on this issue. We do not want our students to believe or get the impression that financial success is directly related to overall success in society, because as educators, we know that is not true. We will change the name of this particular program to "**Healthy Mind & Body Teen Retreat**," which we will encompass our goal and aligns with our districts mission statement. Along those lines, we also agree that the phrase "at risk" is so broad and can something different to everyone, we are going to remove it from our mission statement. Every student, from every walk of life, is dealing with something that could make them "at risk," and therefore we agree that this phrasing will be removed. We hope that these adjustments will be satisfactory and that you feel as strongly about this incredible program as much as we do, and know that our students, both present and future, will benefit greatly from it.

Below are a few articles that may help with understanding how our program will impact our students.

Wed, Mar 13, 8:07 PM (15 hours ago)

Why most students lack vision and direction: <https://edsource.org/2015/survey-most-high-school-students-feel-unprepared-for-college-careers/83752>



Survey: Most high school students feel unprepared for college, careers | EdSource

Fewer than half of high school students across the country feel they're ready for college and careers, even though these remain top goals for students, according to a survey released Thursday.

edsource.org

Mindfulness Proven to Benefit Students of All Ages: <https://www.vox.com/science-and-health/2017/5/22/13768406/mindfulness-meditation-good-for-kids-evidence>

Is mindfulness meditation good for kids? Here's what the science actually says.

Meditation is meant to help students deal with stress. But the hype is outpacing the evidence.

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Why We Need to Teach Entrepreneurship :<https://www.forbes.com/sites/deeptatel/2017/10/18/how-students-can-jump-straight-from-the-classroom-to-successful-entrepreneurship/#76c1354475c7>



How Students Can Jump Straight From The Classroom To Successful Entrepreneurship - Forbes

This revelation might seem counterintuitive, but the environment in which Millennials must operate is difficult. This generation carries more debt than its predecessors, much of it in the form of ...

www.forbes.com

Why Students Should Work in Team Building Activities: <https://www.rasmussen.edu/student-experience/college-life/importance-of-teamwork-skills-in-work-and-school/>

The Importance of Teamwork Skills in Work and School | Rasmussen College

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TOWNSHIP OF UNION BOARD OF EDUCATION
FIELD TRIP APPROVAL REQUEST
APPLICATION DATE: _____

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-5.8 Field Trips must be preapproved by the Board and not solely for entertainment purposes.
ALL REQUESTS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE TRANSPORTATION OFFICE NO LATER THAN THE FIRST OF THE MONTH IN ORDER TO BE INCLUDED IN THE AGENDA FOR THE NEXT BOARD MEETING.
Failure to complete this form in its entirety will result in denial.

SCHOOL UNION HIGH SCHOOL GRADE 10TH
TEACHER(S) NICHOLAS FERRONI, (POSSIBLY) ALTHEA BOSSARD
DATE OF TRIP JULY 8-11
DESTINATION HAMPTONS, NY
ADDRESS/CITY RESIDENCE OF WATERMILL, WATERMILL, NY - HAMPTONS
PURPOSE OF TRIP "HEALTH MIND + BODY TEEN RETREAT" to BUILD, EMPOWER, INSPIRE AND NURTURE STUDENTS TO BELIEVE IN THEMSELVES, DREAM AND BE ROLE MODELS.
(Please attach directions)
(Must be of educational value to the children)

Pick-up Time (No earlier than 9:10 AM) TBD Specific Location TBD
Return Time (Must be back at school by 1:40 PM) TBD Specific Location TBD
Total Number of Passengers _____ (Bus Capacity is 54, Van Capacity is 16)

TRANSPORTATION BUDGET AC#/FUNDING SOURCE: _____
(i.e. xx-xxx-xxx-512-xx-xx-xxxx)
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST TO BE COMPLETED BY REQUESTOR

<input type="checkbox"/> I am requesting in house transportation		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I am requesting contractor transportation	
1. In house Bus cost	=	1. Contractor Bus cost	=
2. Entrance Fee	=	2. Entrance Fee	=
3. Total Trip Cost: Add 1 + 2	=	3. Total Trip Cost Add 1 + 2	= <u>TBD</u>
4. District Cost Bus	=	4. District Cost Bus	= <u>\$0.00</u>
5. Student Cost Bus	=	5. Student Cost Bus	= <u>\$0.00</u>
6. District Cost Fees	=	6. District Cost Fees	= <u>\$0.00</u>
7. Student Cost Fees	=	7. Student Cost Fees	= <u>\$0.00</u>
Line 3 should equal the total of lines 4+5+6+7		Line 3 should equal the total of lines 4+5+6+7	

Supervisor's Approval _____ Date 3/18/19
Principal's Approval _____
** Please compute in-house transport costs as follows: \$55.00 per hour weekdays, \$90.00 per hour after 4:00 pm and on weekends X the number of vehicles needed. Minimum 2 hours. Additional half hour will be added on for travel time to and from the school.

	Approved	Disapproved	Reason	Date
BOE				
Sch Business Admin				
Transportation				