

JJP Orchestra Corpus Christi Trip Agreement Form

April 3-6, 2025

Student Name _____ Parent/Legal Guardian _____ Date _____

Trip Intent:

My student intends to go on the 2025 Corpus Christi Orchestra Trip, and I understand that I must submit this contract and pay a **non-Refundable Deposit to PAOC on or prior to August 31, 2024**, to guarantee a spot for the trip. (Deposits paid after this date will be accepted only *if* there are spots available.) This Non-Refundable Deposit will be applied toward the trip cost. I understand that if a payment is more than two weeks overdue, my student may be removed from the trip roster until the installments are paid. Furthermore, I understand I cannot wait until the final deadline to pay the first two installments. **I understand that the entire trip cost is \$680 (\$860 for chaperones), and that payments for the trip are due as follows:**

- Deposit \$155 due on or prior to August 31, 2024 (\$215 for Parents/Chaperones)
- 1st Installment \$175 due by October 31, 2024 (\$215 for Parents/Chaperones)
- 2nd Installment \$175 due by November 30, 2024 (\$215 for Parents/Chaperones)
- 3rd (Final) Installment \$175 due by January 1, 2025 (\$215 for Parents/Chaperones)

Note: The entire trip cost can be paid in full any time prior to January 1, 2025. Scholarships *may* be available for the final installment but are contingent upon the 2024-2025 PAOC budget and the success of fundraising goals. **No trip payments apply to student account until orchestra fees are paid. There will be a \$20 fee for returned checks.**

Signature: _____
Parent/Legal Guardian

Trip Inclusions:

I understand that the total cost of \$680 (\$860 chaperones) includes the following: Roundtrip transportation, three-nights' accommodations on resort, all Corpus Christi transportation, Texas State Aquarium, USS Lexington, Friday dinner TBD, participation in a Del Mar College Clinic and access to resort pool area. It does not include other meals or souvenir money.

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Withdrawal Deadline:

Because of travel company payment and refund deadlines I understand that if my student is unable to attend the trip for any reason, that I **must withdraw by December 1, 2024**, to receive a refund of installments paid, **less the \$155 (\$215 Chaperone) Non-Refundable Deposit. After December 1, 2024, there will be no refunds for any reason**, including grade ineligibility, family emergencies and/or illness. Further, I understand that if I do not give written notice of withdrawal to the PAOC Treasurer (twilkinson71@gmail.com) by the **final** deadline of **January 1, 2025**, that I will owe the **entire trip amount in full** (This includes trip installments not yet paid. The travel company will require full payment for travelers after this point). **Notice of withdrawal must be sent.** Do not assume that because installments have not been paid that the student has been removed from the trip.

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Eligibility Requirements:

Per the 1984 "No Pass, No Play" Texas State Law (HB72), I understand that my student must be **passing all non-exempt classes as of the grading period ending on March 7, 2025**. This means they must make a 70 or above in all non-AP/Pre-AP classes or they will not be able to attend the trip. I understand that the deadline to withdraw occurs **before** this date so it is possible that my student may become ineligible *after* it is too late to withdraw, and I will still be responsible for the entire trip amount. To avoid this, I may want to use my student's Quarter 1 grades as a metric although this is still not a guarantee. **After December 1, 2024, there will be no refunds for any reason, including grade ineligibility, family emergencies and/or illness.**

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Cash, Check made payable to PAOC or Venmo accepted. Venmo: @PearceArea-OrchestraClub