

# Los Angeles 5-Day Educational Trip Curriculum

### Day 1: Introduction to the Entertainment Industry and Media Studies

- Morning:
  - Arrival and check-in at the hotel.
  - Orientation session with the mentor: Overview of Los Angeles and its significance in the entertainment industry.
  - Visit to the Hollywood Walk of Fame and TCL Chinese Theatre for historical insights.
- Afternoon:
  - Behind-the-scenes tour of a major Hollywood studio (e.g., Warner Bros. or Universal Studios).
  - Discussion on filmmaking, special effects, and the evolution of the film industry.
  - Interactive Q&A with industry professionals.
- Evening:
  - Group dinner and reflection session.
  - Evening walk around the Sunset Strip to experience the entertainment district.

# Day 2: Science, Innovation, and the Arts

- Morning:
  - Visit to the California Science Center to explore aerospace exhibits and the Space Shuttle Endeavour.
  - Hands-on STEM workshop on space exploration and engineering concepts.
- Afternoon:

- Visit to The Getty Museum to study art history and cultural influences in the region.
- Discussion on the intersection of art and society.
- Evening:
  - Group discussion and art appreciation activity.
  - Leisure time for students to explore local art scenes.

## **Day 3: Cultural Diversity and Social Impact**

- Morning:
  - Guided tour of Olvera Street, the birthplace of Los Angeles, to learn about the city's cultural roots.
  - Immersion in Latino heritage through traditional music and cuisine.
- Afternoon:
  - Visit to the Museum of Tolerance to explore human rights issues and social justice initiatives.
  - Reflection and group discussion on social responsibility and diversity.
- Evening:
  - Leisure time and optional visit to local cultural sites.

#### Day 4: Theme Park Exploration and Industry Insights

- Morning:
  - Full-day visit to Universal Studios Hollywood.
  - Behind-the-scenes insights into theme park operations and entertainment technology.
- Afternoon:
  - Exploring the educational aspects of theme park design and engineering.
- Evening:

• Group reflection on the impact of theme parks in the entertainment industry.

## **Day 5: Outdoor Exploration and Conclusion**

- Morning:
  - Hike through Griffith Park to experience the natural beauty of Los Angeles.
  - Visit to Griffith Observatory for an educational session on astronomy.
- Afternoon:
  - Wrap-up session with presentations on lessons learned.
  - Certificate distribution and closing remarks.
- Evening:
  - Farewell dinner and departure.

#### Educational Objectives:

- 1. Understand the role of Los Angeles in the global entertainment industry.
- 2. Explore advancements in science and technology at major institutions.
- 3. Appreciate the rich cultural diversity of Los Angeles and its historical roots.
- 4. Engage in discussions on social responsibility and human rights.
- 5. Develop a deeper understanding of the intersections between art, media, and technology.
- 6. Gain insights into theme park operations and their educational aspects.
- 7. Experience the natural and scientific wonders of Los Angeles through outdoor exploration.

