HCHS ![MCj03581850000[1]]() Swim with the Manatees

AP Environmental Science

Permission Form and General Info

Checklist for Manatee Field Trip (let your parents keep this info)

* ![MCAN02175_0000[1]]()Return the enclosed form (front and back), signed by your parents and you, to Mrs. Collier by January 25 along with your payment.
* If you have to cancel, the first payment may not be refundable. It depends how close it is to the day of departure.
* Make the last payment if you have not already done so.
* Tell your teachers on Monday that you will be absent on Wednesday. Ask them for your work and that you will turn that in on Thursday.
* Pack at least 2 change of clothes (nothing nice: jeans and t-shirts) for the trip.
* Sample of what to bring:
	+ 2 pairs of jeans
	+ 2 t-shirts
	+ Socks
	+ Shoes
	+ **Trashbag** to put towel and dry clothes in for the boat ride home
	+ Warm jacket (with gloves if you need them)
	+ Pajamas (pajama pants and t-shirt)
	+ Toothbrush and toothpaste-For goodness sake don’t forget this!!!!!!
	+ Deodorant-Hmm…I need you to remember this one too!
	+ Bathing suit to wear under the wetsuit
	+ Towel to dry off with after swimming with the manatees
	+ Shampoo and conditioner (no frizzy hair)
	+ Snacks
	+ School work to complete on the bus trip down there and back.
	+ Underwater camera if you wish
	+ Snacks to eat in the hotel room if you are a midnight snacker.
	+ Do not bring expensive ipads, itouch, laptops, etc…it would be horrible if any of this were stolen. If you choose to bring it, you are responsible for it.
	+ I am sure there are other things that I have left off so….
* Give your parents all of the phone numbers they may need in order for them to get in contact with you:
	+ Randi Collier: 478-397-6239
	+ Holiday Inn Express: 352-341-3515
	+ Friends who are close to you in case your cell phone is dead.
* Charge your cell phone
* This is a non-instructional absence. It will NOT count against the students.
* Assure your parents that they raised you “right” and that you will not let them down!

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Parent/Guardians Release of Liability

I understand the AP Environmental Science class of HCHS is going to participate in “Swimming with the Manatees” in Crystal River, Florida. The class will be riding a charter bus from TranSouth and will leave HCHS at 3:30 pm am on February 5 and will return to HCHS on February 6 around 5:00 pm.

I hereby give \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ permission to

 (Name of Student)

participate in this activity. Should my child need medical attention, Houston County High School has my permission to seek immediate medical treatment.

This \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2018.

 month

***Parent Signature***

Cell #1:

***2 Cell phone numbers of a parent or guardian in case a chaperone needs to call you.***

Cell #2:

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Student Code of Conduct

(Participant)

Please read the information below. These guidelines apply when you are on hotel grounds, swimming with the Manatees or any time during the field trip.

1. The use of tobacco products, alcoholic beverages and/or other drugs is prohibited.
2. Students are expected to be in their own rooms **no later than** the indicated times. Chaperones can reserve the right to require students to report to their rooms earlier than the designated curfew.

Tuesday: 10:30 PM

1. Appropriate attire is expected. I know we will be swimming. However, you need to be in dress code at ALL times other than that.
2. Be respectful and considerate of others at all times. Be friendly and courteous at all times.
3. Respect and maintenance of hotel property is required.
4. Follow the instructions of **all** chaperones regarding transportation, attending an event and schedules at all times.
5. No **male** should be in a **female’s** room or vice versa. EVER EVER EVER. No excuses.

Consequences: If any rule violations occur, the violator may be sent home immediately, at the parent’s expense or sit with me on the boat while NOT swimming with the manatees. The fees that are paid will NOT be refunded. Violations of rules could also result in strict disciplinary punishment at the school level and possibly being excluded from participating in future field trips..

I agree to abide by all rules and policies described above:

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Student Signature Parent Signature

Date Date