

**BAND/ORCHESTRA STUDENTS – SPRING TRIP - PADRE ISLAND  
FOR YOUR INFORMATION...**

**PACKING:** 1 suitcase per person, not to exceed 50 lbs. + 1 carry on. Instruments in HARD cases!  
Please try to bring only one curling/flat iron and hair dryer per room.  
DO NOT BRING VIDEO GAMES (XBOX, PS3, WII. Etc...)

DO NOT TAKE EQUIPMENT YOU ARE NOT WILLING TO LOSE (cell phone (appropriate use ), laptops, MP3 players, etc.)

**BRING:**

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| • Jeans                    | •Jacket/Umbrella (rain)     | •Medications (do not share)           |
| • Shorts                   | •T-shirts                   | •Swimsuit (“YUCK” factor)             |
| • Under Garments           | •Toiletries                 | • <b>SUNSCREEN</b> is a must!!        |
| • Sandals, sneakers, socks | • Watch ( <b>REQUIRED</b> ) | • Concert Uniform (black shoes/socks) |
| • Hat                      | •Sunglasses                 | • Instrument & Music                  |

**LUGGAGE PROCEDURE:** Students will need to bring their luggage upon arrival to Allen HS on Friday morning. Load your luggage/instrument on your bus.

**STAY WITH YOUR GROUP...DO NOT WANDER OFF--WE NEED EVERYONE’S  
COOPERATION**

- Snacks (Backpack)
- Bring Reading material, CD players, Ipods, etc...for “passing time”

**SPENDING MONEY:** Cash, Traveler’s Checks, Credit Cards

- Please plan on purchasing 4 meals (2 breakfast, 1 lunch, 1 dinner) to make at your condo (\$20-\$40) and 2 lunches at fast-food restaurants when traveling (\$10 each) \*\*make sure you eat & drink water\*\*

**ALLEN AMBASSADORS:** You are representing Allen High School.

- Please refer to the Band/Orchestra Handbook for off campus-travel policies
- ETIQUETTE: be mature and respectful of others
- TRIP AUTHORIZATION/**HEALTH FORMS, these must be current & up-to-date**
- DRESS: School appropriate dress, beach appropriate dress, Concert Tux/Dresses
- Be attentive to announcements & instructions throughout the trip
- HOTEL: Etiquette, quiet, security guards will be on duty, elevators, PDA, clean rooms
- **BUDDY SYSTEM, NEVER ALONE!!! KNOW “BOUNDARIES”**
- Room Checks/Tape Doors
- Every student will be accountable to a sponsor
- All students must help load & unload equipment

**ALL ACTIVITIES:**

- Check in with your sponsor
- Use good judgment in behavior
- Be safe.
- Be aware of time, boundaries, & limitations.