We want to provide students with many opportunities to start seeing college in their futures. One important way we do this is by taking students to college campuses for formal visits. The colleges require that groups are well supervised at all times. We appreciate your willingness to serve as a chaperone.

# Chaperones will…

* Act as positive role models for the students by following all rules applicable to students (stay with the group, leave personal items on the bus, don’t talk on cell phone, etc.)
* Be attentive and respectful to all speakers—model the behavior that you expect from your students.
* Monitor behavior of the students, and take corrective action immediately if there is a problem.
* Take responsibility for enforcing campus rules – remember that campus officials are used to working with slightly older students and may not be as prepared as you are to support positive behavior among younger students.
* Make sure that if students split into smaller groups, at least one chaperone goes with each group.
* Ask appropriate questions of the tour guide/speakers if you don’t think your students understand the information.
* Collect anything from a student that is distracting (e.g. cell phone)
* Be greatly appreciated for helping to make this college visit a success.
* Have a great time!

On behalf of our school, thank you for your time, and for your commitment to student success!