

Join us for this year's Governor's School for Tourism

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The Governor's School for Tourism (GST) returns in the summer of 2026. GST offers selected 9th and 10th grade students the opportunity to tour West Virginia for 10 days to learn about the tourism and hospitality sectors of our economy. This is possible through hands-on experiences that introduce students to a wide variety of career paths in one of the state's fastest-growing industries. Students stay at several state park lodges and visit historical and other significant landmarks across Almost Heaven. This exciting experience is a collaboration between the West Virginia Department of Tourism and the West Virginia Department of Education.





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