



West Virginia

Governor's School of Literacy through Arts, Culture, and History

2023 Itinerary

SUNDAY - June 25, 2023 - DAY 1

2:00 p.m. - 4:00p.m. - Students arrive at the University of Charleston

- Check-In
- Register for class choices (students will choose one of the areas below to be their focus for the week, but will have exposure to all areas):
 - Reading
 - Vocabulary
 - Library Services
 - Sonnets
 - Writing
 - Creative Writing
 - Mechanical Language
 - Thank You Notes
 - Script Writing
 - Speaking and Listening
 - Story Telling
 - Museum, Library and Archive Tours
 - Language
 - Elocution
 - Mechanical Language
 - Coding
 - Multiple Topics
 - Poetry
 - Journalism
 - Media
 - Lyrics Composition
 - Tour Brochures

5:00 p.m. - Welcome and Camp Overview - University of Charleston

- Discuss final digital presentation that will be shown on Friday to parents. Groups will present on one of the English Language Arts areas above. All scheduled classes this week will be based on one of the areas above

6:00 p.m. - Dinner and Mixer/Dance

8:30 p.m. - Return to Dorms

10:00 p.m. - LIGHTS OUT

MONDAY - June 26, 2023 - DAY 2

7:30 a.m. - Breakfast - University of Charleston

8:45 a.m. - Board buses for West Virginia State Culture Center (Bus drop-off)

9:00 a.m. - Welcome and Group Picture - Culture Center

9:30 a.m. - Classes begin at The Culture Center - Rotating Class Schedules:

- 9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.
- 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
- 11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

12:00 p.m. - LUNCH - The Culture Center - Guest Speaker

1:00 p.m. - Classes Continue - The Culture Center - Class Schedule

- 1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.
- 2:00 p.m. - 2:45 pm.
- 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.
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4:00 p.m. - Busses Depart for the University of Charleston

5:00 p.m. - Dinner - University of Charleston

6:00 p.m. - Return to Dorms

6:30 p.m. - Spelling Bee Contest - (Cash prizes for top finishers)

- Spelling Bee
- Awards
- Snack

10:00 pm. - LIGHTS OUT

TUESDAY - June 27, 2023 - DAY 3

7:30 a.m. - Depart for Breakfast - University of Charleston

- University Visits
 - 8:00 a.m. University of Charleston - Breakfast with President Dr. Roth
 - 9:15 a.m. Depart for West Virginia State University
 - 9:45 a.m. Arrive West Virginia State University
 - 10:00 a.m. Tour West Virginia State University
 - Digital Communications
 - Katherine Johnson Statue
 - Walking tour of campus
 - 11:30 p.m. - Lunch with President Dr. Cage
 - 12:30 p.m. - Depart for Marshall University
 - 1:30 pm. - Arrive at Marshall University
 - Tour of School of Journalism
 - Walking Tour of Campus
 - Walking Tour of Marshall Stadium
 - 4:30 p.m. "Tailgate" - Bar-B-Que with Marshall's President Dr. Smith
 - 6:00 p.m. Depart for Charleston

7:00 p.m. - Arrive University of Charleston

8:00 p.m. - Evening Event - University of Charleston

10:00 p.m. - LIGHTS OUT

WEDNESDAY - June 28, 2023 - DAY 4

7:30 a.m. - Breakfast - University of Charleston

8:45 a.m. - Board buses for West Virginia State Culture Center (Bus drop-off)

9:30 a.m. - Classes begin at The Culture Center - Class Schedules:

- 9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.
- 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
- 11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

12:00 p.m. - LUNCH - The Culture Center - Guest Speaker

1:00 p.m. - Classes Continue - The Culture Center - Class Schedule

- 1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.
- 2:00 p.m. - 2:45 pm.
- 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.
 - This session will allow the groups to work together to prepare for the digital presentation on Friday.

4:00 p.m. - Busses Depart for the University of Charleston

5:00 p.m. - Dinner - University of Charleston

6:00 p.m. - Return to Dorms

8:00 p.m. - Evening EVENT - University of Charleston

THURSDAY - June 29, 2023 - DAY 5

7:30 a.m. - Breakfast - University of Charleston

- Southern West Virginia Tour
 - 8:30 a.m. - Depart for New River Gorge Bridge
 - 9:30 a.m. - New River Gorge Bridge Tour
 - 11:00 a.m. - Depart for The Tamarack
 - 11:30 a.m. - Arrive at Tamarack
 - Lunch
 - 12:15 p.m. - Tour Tamarack
 - 1:00 p.m. - Artists Demonstrations
 - 2:00 p.m. - Depart for Beckley Coal Mine Exhibit
 - 2:30 p.m. - Arrive Beckley Coal Mine Exhibit
 - 2:30 p.m. - Underground Mine Tour
 - 3:45 p.m. - Visit Gift Shop
 - 5:00 p.m. - Depart for New River Gorge National Park -Cliffside Amphitheater
 - 5:30 p.m. - Dinner at Theater West Virginia -

- 6:30 p.m. - Backstage Tour
- 7:30 p.m. - Show - “Hatfields and McCoys”
- 9:45 p.m. - Depart for Charleston
- 10:45 p.m. - Arrive University of Charleston
- 11:45 p.m. - LIGHTS OUT

FRIDAY - June 30, 2023 - Day 6

8:30 a.m. - Breakfast The University of Charleston

- You will be able to add any finishing touches to your presentations

9:30 a.m. - CHECK OUT - Parents drive students to The Culture Center

10:30 a.m. - Closing program where digital presentations will be presented on Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening, Language and one on combined topics - The Culture Center

12:00 p.m. - Closing Lunch

1:00 p.m. - Governor’s School for Literacy Concludes