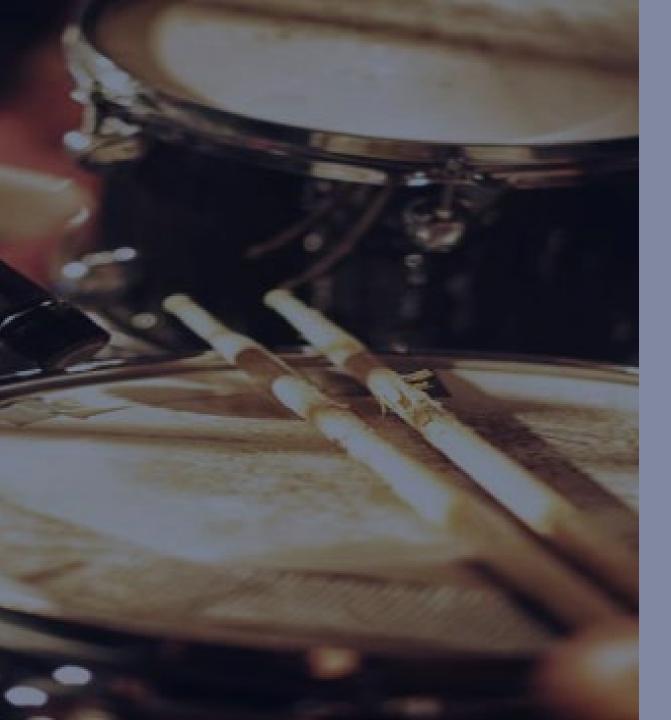
MONTREAL 2026 SENIOR BAND TRIP PARENT INFORMATION MEETING



AGENDA

Trip Outline Financial Considerations Required Documentation Call for Commitments Fundraising

MONTREAL 2026

Tentative Schedule (Dates are Fixed)

April 23, 2025

- 6:00 AM Departure, 12:00 PM Arrival
- Group Dinner (Location TBD)
- Montreal Symphony The Rite of Spring

April 24, 2025

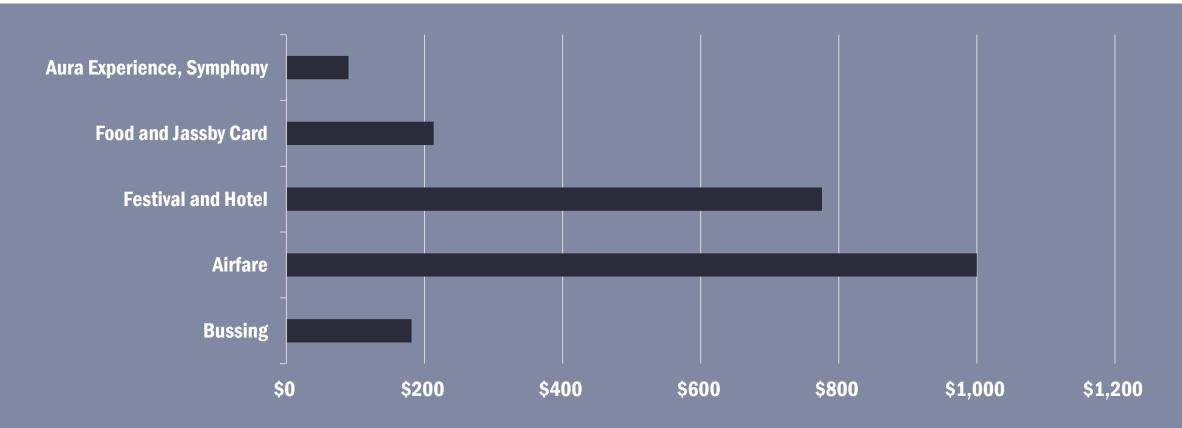
- Festival Performance, Workshops, Clinics
- Mount Royal Lookout
- Aura Experience at Notre Dame Basilica
- Group Dinner (Location TBD)
- Possible Broadway Show?

April 25, 2025

- Festival Performance, Workshops, Clinics
- Old Montreal Walking Tour (Self-Guided) and/or Mall Visit
- Award Ceremony and Dinner

• April 26, 2025

- Sunday Morning Mass
- Flight Home 6:50 PM Departure
- Arrive at YYC at 9:30 PM



WITH FUNDRAISING, THE FINAL COST WILL BE \$2000/STUDENT

TIMELINE FOR PREPARATION

Commitment Date: \$100 deposit must be received by the school by this date to reserve your flight and rooms.	All trip organization documentation in place, first major fee installment due (likely \$500/student)	Second major fee installment due (likely \$750), all fundraising initiatives need to be complete	Final major fee installment due (likely \$650), all health and legal documentation submitted.	Final trip preparations and trip!
JUNE 20, 2025	SEPTEMBER 2025	DECEMBER 2025	FEBRUARY 2025	APRIL 2025

REQUIRED FOR THE TRIP

LEGAL DOCUMENTS

- All appropriate Health Care information
- Notarized Letters of Consent
- All School Fees Paid
- Non-Canadian Citizens should have Passports/Travel Documents, just to be safe
- No Insurance needed (school division insurance is fantastic!)

MUSIC EXPECTATIONS

- Consistent Class Attendance
 - (Double-booked students must stay on top of their work)
- Completed Work
 - Breezin' Thru Theory
 - Recorded Scale Assessments
 - Solo/Duet/Small Ensemble
- Performance Readiness
 - Music is known and wellrehearsed
 - Proper Uniform
 - Working Instrument

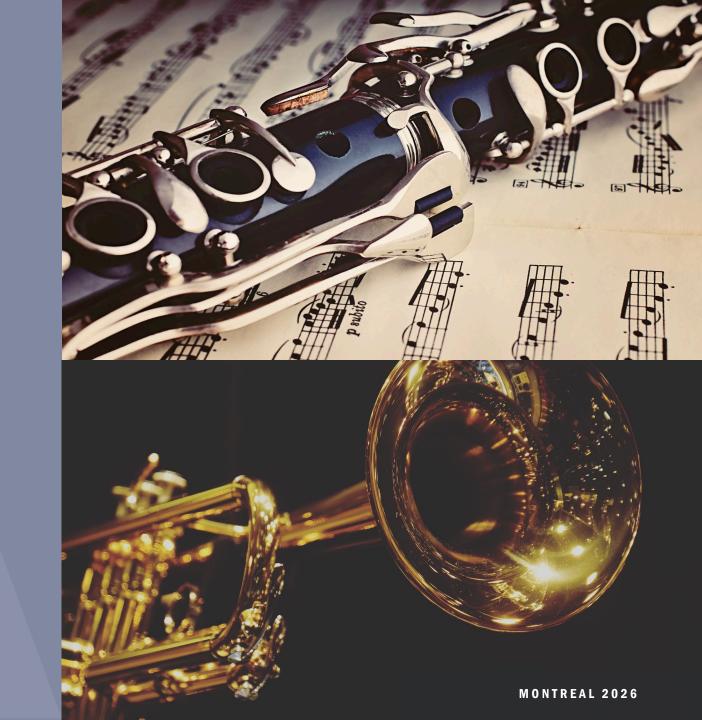
CHAPERONES

Chaperones are selected in a manner that will support student needs on the trip. Student safety is paramount, and ensuring every need is met constitutes the primary reason for selecting chaperones.

Beyond that, first right of refusal is given to parent/guardians with multiple students on the trip.

Chaperones are only responsible for covering the cost of their airfare.

Chaperones will need a Vulnerable Sector and Criminal Record Check dated for the 2025/2026 School Year.



FUNDRAISING

- Mr. Windsor will continue to initiate fundraising that goes to *all* music programs, which may have a minor impact on Montreal 2026
- Montreal 2026 Fundraising must be Parent/Guardian/Student Initiated.
- As it is a school-based activity, it will need to be approved by Administration.
- There will need to be a staff member present at the events (Mr. Windsor will endeavour to be that staff member)
- Any fundraising done for Montreal 2026 will benefit all students participating in the trip equally.

A Montreal 2026 Google Classroom has been set up. Go to <u>https://classroom.google.com</u> and use code





CALL FOR COMMITMENTS

We need you to demonstrate your commitment by the end of June 2025 to have a complete picture of what I need to be planning for. Please submit a non-refundable deposit of \$100 to the school by June 20, 2025.

Signing up for Senior Concert Band does not constitute commitment to the trip. If you wish to go, you need to provide the deposit.