

Activity Ideas from the Field: GEAR UP “Spring Fling” Road Trip to Seattle

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ACTIVITY NAME: GEAR UP “Spring Fling” Road Trip to Seattle

AUDIENCE:

- All Students
- All GU Students
- DREAMers
- English Language Learners
- Families
- First Generation Youth
- Rural Schools
- Students with Disabilities
- Underrepresented Minorities
- Youth Experiencing Homelessness
- Youth In Foster Care
- Other: Lottery Selection

GRADE LEVEL: 7 8 9
10 11 12
Other: _____

SERVICE TYPE:

- College Applications
- College Goal Washington
- College Visits
- Comprehensive Mentoring
- Counseling & Advising
- Educational Field Trips
- Family Events
- Financial Aid & Financial Literacy
- Job Shadowing
- Rigorous Academic Curriculum
- Student & Family Orientation
- Summer Programs
- Tests & Test Preparation Workshop
- Tutoring & Homework Assistance

THEME:

- Advisories
- Attendance
- Career Exploration
- CCSS
- Collective Impact
- College Bound Scholarship
- College match/selection
- College-Going Culture
- Community College
- Credit Retrieval
- Dropout Prevention/ Reengagement
- Early Warning Systems
- Equity
- Essays
- Family engagement
- Games
- Graduation Requirements
- Guest Speakers
- Health/Wellness
- Leadership for college readiness
- Partnerships
- Scholarships
- Social & Emotional Learning
- STEM
- Supporting undocumented students
- Test preparation
- Transitions
- Using data and evaluation
- Working in rural schools
- Other: _____

GOAL: Create meaningful college campus experiences utilizing Rogers alumni students who currently attending college at their perspective university.

ACTIVITY OVERVIEW: 3-day/2-night road trip to Seattle to visit UW, SU, and SPU. Use additional travel time & team time to individually connect with students for counseling, advising, and planning for their future.

PREP TIME: 2-3 months

MATERIALS NEEDED: Planning and coordinating

COST: Transportation, Lodging, & Food for 8 students & 2 chaperones = \$2,500

PROCEDURE:

- 3 months out - Coordinate times/dates for transportation, lodging, and campus visits. Complete paperwork and reservations.
- 2 months out - Advertise to students/families.
- 1 month out – Select students & collect permission slips.
- 2 week out – Team meeting with students, go over expectations, packing list, and trip logistics.
- 1 week out – Re-confirm reservations with lodging, campuses, and students.
- 1-3 days prior to event – Pick up rental vehicle, meal per diem money, grocery shop, etc.
- Day of departure & trip – Remember to have fun! Sometimes things don't go as planned. Roll with it.



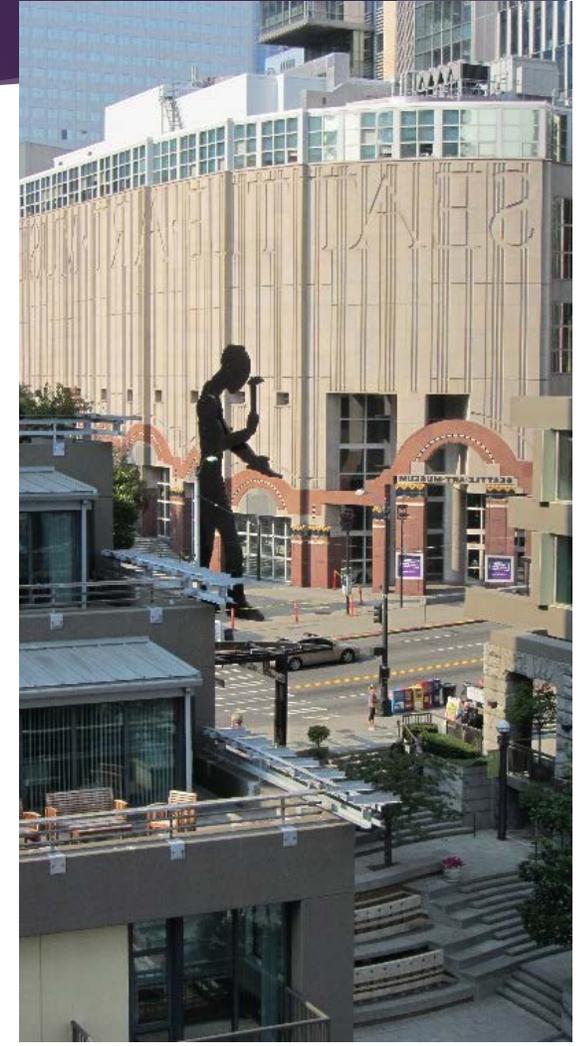
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Spring Fling 2015
ROAD TRIP TO SEATTLE!

University of Washington

Campus Tour by Rogers High School Alumni and Gates Millennium Scholarship Recipient, Carson Murray.

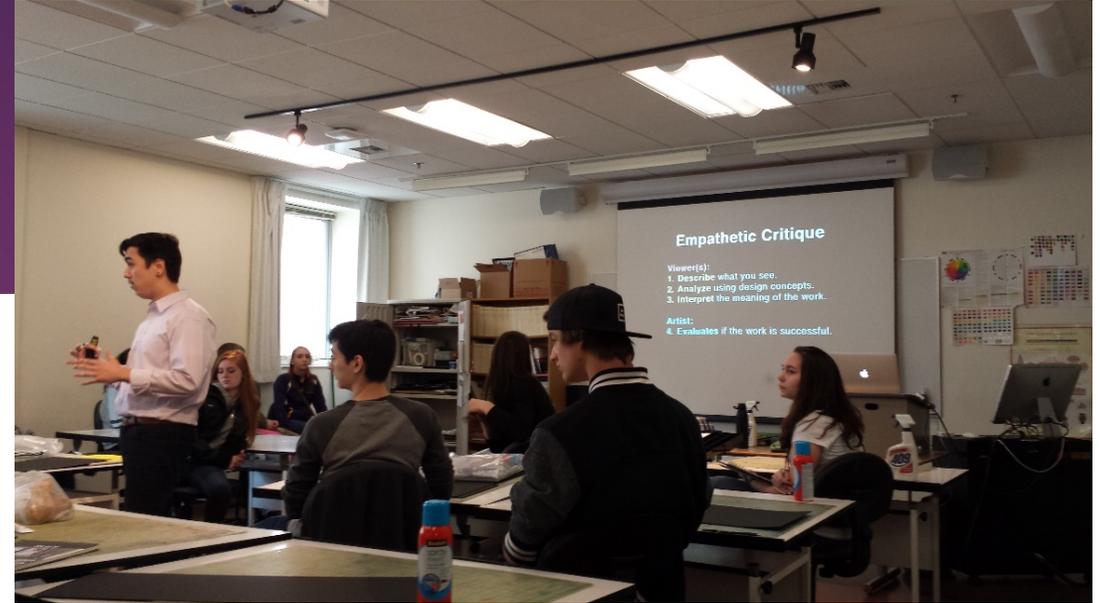


Lodging – Harbor Steps Condo



Seattle University

Rogers Alumni and Gates Millennium Scholarship Recipient, Mashayla Combs.

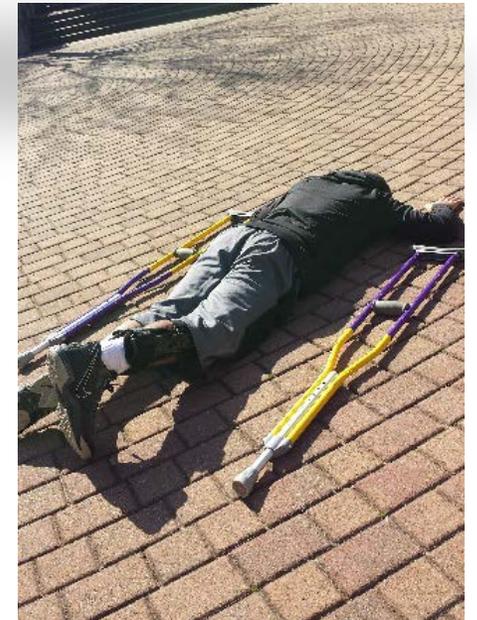


Pikes Market/Dinner Shopping

Team Dinner (fresh fruits, veggies, & seafood)



Seattle Pacific University



Seattle-Bainbridge Ferry



Dining Scenes



Thai Tom's!



Lost Lake Café - SU

Brooklyn Pizza - CWU

