

Texas Thespian Festival

Dear parents and students,

I am excited to announce that the Thespians will be traveling to Houston for the Texas State Thespian Festival in December. The convention is more expensive this year, and I'm attaching a letter from the executive board of Texas Thespians to explain the difference in cost. In addition, I will be offsetting part of the cost asking the board to offset part of the bus trip to Houston, so that will help some.

Below you will find all the important Thespian information. If your student would like to be a part of the trip, please fill out the back of this form and return it with at least the minimum down payment ASAP as spaces on the bus are limited.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 214.914.1595

Sincerely,
Cliff McClelland

Trip Details

Departure: Wednesday, 11/30/2011 4 pm
Return: Sunday, 12/4/2011 2:00 am
Accommodations: Hilton Americas, Houston, TX
Event Site: George R. Brown Convention Center
Transportation: Buses By Bill Motor Coach

Price Breakdown

\$171.00 Festival Registration Fee
\$150.00 Lodgings (based on quad occupancy)

Total \$321.00

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- *Transportation to and from Houston
- *Daily lunches (except on travel days)
- *Daily Dinners (except on travel days)
- *Unlimited Acting and Tech Workshops
- *Over 200 performances from around TX
- *A dance on Friday night
- *The opportunity to compete in Acting and Tech Competitions and, for seniors, Scholarships.

There are around 40 spots available for the trip.

What is Thespian Festival?

The annual state-wide gathering of students who love theatre and performing. Festival schools from around TX present plays, theatre professionals present workshops, and students compete.

Who can go to Festival?

Any member of the Thespian Club who is in good standing and passing all of their classes may attend.

Even Freshmen and Sophomores?

Yes! This is a great way for younger students to get involved and get to know everyone! Last year two "fish" joined us and had a great time!

Reserving Your Spot

Final payment is due November 9th with the attached form.