

FLOWERY BRANCH & CHESTATEE HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR
STACIE MAVIS & LISA BASSETT, DIRECTORS
DESTINATION: ORLANDO, FLORIDA
DATES: APRIL 5-8, 2025

SUGGESTED ITINERARY

AS OF

APRIL 1, 2024

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SATURDAY, APRIL 5

- 7:30 AM **One 56-passenger motor coach** arrives at **Flowery Branch High School**; begin loading
4450 Hog Mountain Road, Flowery Branch, GA 30542
- 7:30 AM **One 56-passenger motor coach** arrives at **Chestatee High School**; begin loading
3005 Sardis Road, Gainesville, GA 30506
- 8:00 AM Depart for **Orlando, FL** (*486 miles, 8 ½ hours allotted for drive time, plus 1 hour for lunch (student cost) and driver breaks*)
- 5:30 PM Arrive in **Orlando** at **Disney Springs**
1486 Buena Vista Drive, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830
- ~ Meet your professional BRT Tour Director at Disney Springs ~**
- 6:00 PM Enjoy dinner (student cost) and time to explore **Disney Springs**
Indulge in a themed retail, dining, and entertainment center inspired by Florida's charming waterfront towns, historic architecture, and natural beauty. Enjoy 150 different stores, restaurants, and entertainment venues!
- 8:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for an **Orlando area hotel**
- 8:30 PM Arrive at the hotel; check in and rest

SUNDAY, APRIL 6

Flowery Branch & Chestatee High School Choir participate in
Sound Design: Music and the Art of Foley Workshop
(*Time and location to be determined by Universal; pending application and acceptance)
Experience life as a working movie musician, syncing music – including Foley and digital sound effects – to real movie scenes from Illumination Entertainment’s *Despicable Me*. Robert W. Smith designed this 90-minute workshop to reinforce National Core Arts Standards.

7:30 AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel

8:30 AM Load motor coaches; depart for **Universal Orlando Resort**
6000 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819

9:00 AM **Enjoy the day at Universal Studios AND Universal Islands of Adventure**
(3 day-2 park-to-park ticket provided)

Head to: **“The Wizarding World of Harry Potter”** and stroll the streets of Hogsmeade, exploring sights and sounds and magical wonders therein. Experience thrilling rides and attractions that bring the adventures of Harry Potter and his friends to life.

Experience: **Platform 9 ¾** Board the train and travel between both Hogsmeade™ and London via the **Hogwarts™ Express** with a **Park-to-Park admission ticket**

PM Enjoy lunch in the park (student cost)

Check out: **Famous Diagon Alley Shops:** See a wand choose a wizard at Ollivanders™ wand shop. Pick up magical jokes and novelty items at Weasleys’ Wizard Wheezes. Find all your wizardwear needs at Madam Malkin’s Robes for All Occasions. Bring home a furry, feathered, or scaly creature from the **Magical Menagerie™**.

Harry Potter and the Escape from Gringotts: At the far end of Diagon Alley™ stands Gringotts™, the goblin-run bank. Inside, you’ll experience a pulse-pounding adventure on the groundbreaking, multi-dimensional thrill ride that puts you right in the middle of the action as you navigate your way through the perils of the Gringotts vaults – encountering Harry, Ron, and Hermione along the way!

PM Enjoy dinner in the park (student cost)

8:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for the hotel

MONDAY, APRIL 7

8:00 AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel

9:00 AM Load motor coaches; depart for **Universal Orlando Resort**
6000 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819

9:30 AM **Enjoy the day at Universal Studios AND Universal Islands of Adventure**

Don't miss: **Skull Island: Reign of Kong:** Brave the dangers of a 1930's expedition that is caught in the clash of prehistoric predators and fearsome creatures. As ferocious beasts battle, King Kong hurls himself between you and certain doom. Welcome to Kong's kingdom, where only he reigns.

PM Enjoy lunch in the park (student cost)

Check out: **The Hulk:** Enter the laboratories of Dr. Bruce Banner and marvel at the towering scientific machinery. As you approach his gamma-ray accelerator warning lights flash and sirens sound – something's gone terribly wrong with the experiment. Your surroundings go rushing by you in a blur as you feel yourself transformed into The Incredible Hulk®.

Jurassic World VelociCoaster: Feel the Rush of the Hunt. Speeding through the jungle, rising high above the terrain, it's the apex predator of roller coasters: the Jurassic World VelociCoaster. Board your vehicle for a high-speed dash through the park's raptor paddock. Feel the rush of the hunt as you race alongside these nimble predators, twisting and soaring above the land and water. Jurassic World VelociCoaster is now open at Universal's Islands of Adventure.

PM Enjoy dinner in the park (student cost)

PM View **Universal's Mardi Gras Parade:** Catch beads flying through the air as you enjoy a dazzling Mardi Gras parade in Universal Studios Orlando with authentic floats direct from New Orleans! (pending 2025 calendar)

8:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for the hotel

TUESDAY, APRIL 8

7:00 AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel

8:00 AM Check out of the hotel; begin loading motor coaches

8:30 AM Depart for **Universal Orlando Resort**
6000 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819

9:00 AM **Enjoy the day at Universal Studios AND Universal Islands of Adventure**

Head to: **Revenge of the Mummy: The curse is real! The Mummy has arisen...wakened from his centuries-long slumber, the evil Imhotep is once again freed from his wraps, unleashing his wrath on all who dare enter the sacred temple.**

PM Enjoy lunch in the park (student cost)

2:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for **home** (486 miles, 8 ½ hours allotted for drive time, plus 1 hour for dinner (student cost) and driver breaks)

11:30 PM Approximate arrival at **Flowery Branch High School** or **Chestatee High School**

**WELCOME HOME FLOWERY BRANCH & CHESTATEE HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR!
THANK YOU FOR TRAVELING WITH BOB ROGERS TRAVEL.
WE HOPE YOU HAVE MADE MANY SPECIAL MEMORIES!**