

March 27, 2002

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APPROVAL

EXPLANATION

THE AMERICAN EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL PROGRAM  
WASHINGTON D.C.

**AND AUTHORIZE TRAVEL EXPENSES RELATED TO THE PROGRAM**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Approve the educational trip of James Monroe Elementary School to an educational tour of Washington, D.C., and authorize travel expenses related to the program.

**USER:** James Monroe Elementary School

Chicago, IL 60647

773-534-4156

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national tour of Washington, D.C., from May 20-May 24, 2002.

**PROGRAM:** A 5-day educational

**OUTCOMES:**

experience is to:

gain experience about the workings of the three branches of government in a

**EDUCATIONAL VALUE/OUTCOME:**

The purpose of this field exp

- Provide pupils first-hand experience about the workings of the three branches of government in a
- Encourage pupils' interest in democracy.
- Further pupils' awareness of themselves and the possibilities of their own influence and contribution to society.
- Motivate pupils to further their education and involvement in their families, communities and country.
- Give pupils a "real life" opportunity to develop their talents to better serve themselves and their
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**TRAVEL EXPENSES RELATED TO THE PROGRAM:**

Vendor # 15208. A detailed itinerary and insurance information are attached.

Educational To

minimum of one chaperone per TEN pupils. Every chaperone will be a Chicago Board of Education employee or a parent/guardian of a pupil. The costs will be paid by an allocation of \$12,500 from IASA Title

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**CHAPERONES:** A m

James Monroe Elementary School. Teacher: Sandra Waddington, Teacher: Michael Durrell, Teacher: Robert Fletcher, Counselor:

James Monroe Elementary School.

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

The Commissioner of the Oklahoma Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.