

THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT PTA

Guidelines for Students Attending Sacramento Safari

- Thirty-Third District PTA feels strongly that you should send 11th grade students, as the curriculum is geared to that grade level.
- This Safari is designed for first time student participants.
- Students must return the completed “Parent’s Approval and Consent to Treatment” form with their application as well as a signed Chaperone form.
- Students will be required to complete two two-hour instructional meetings on Monday, January 28th and Monday, February 25th from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. Failure to attend meetings will disqualify participant. One **parent/guardian per student must also attend** the meeting.
- Students are expected to arrive promptly and attend all scheduled events. The dress attire and behavior is professional since they will be meeting with Legislators and their staff.
- Some additional activities for students may be arranged by the Sacramento Safari Committee after the evening session. Students are expected to remain in the hotel after all scheduled evening events.
- Students will be expected to present a report to their sponsoring organization, school board and to their PTA/PTSA; it is a good idea for students to take notes during the conference. The last day students will also present their views to other Sacramento Safari participants in preparation for their presentation when they return home.
- Students should have some additional money for personal expenses and phone calls.

The Thirty-Third District PTA endeavors to make the Sacramento Safari an educational training experience that is as meaningful, if not more so, than the time a student would spend in the classroom on a similar topic. The Sacramento Safari student leader is a California certificated teacher. Participation will help prepare students for Government class and expanded leadership roles.

We hope you enjoy your trip to Sacramento!