

# Shelby County School System

## ★ THEATRE ARTS TOUR ★

**\$1,165.00 from Birmingham\*\***  
**TOUR CODE 218230**

**October 5-8, 2017**

Atlanta, like a phoenix rising from the ashes to rebuild itself after the burning of the Civil War, is the capital and most populous city of Georgia. Hosting the 1996 Olympic games, and a national center for the arts, Atlanta is home to significant art museums and institutions. Atlanta is one of few United States cities with permanent, professional, resident companies in all major performing arts disciplines such as opera, ballet, orchestral music, and theater. From Broadway musicals to local productions, Atlanta's theatre scene has a lot to offer. Experience award-winning musicals, visits to The Fox Theatre, and a visit to Atlanta's own critically-acclaimed Tony Award-winning Alliance Theatre, famous for world premieres, theatre classics and even children's shows is a must! You will depart on **October 5<sup>th</sup>** to spend four wonderful days discovering the theatre, history and culture of Atlanta. "Behind the Scene" tours and acclaimed theatre productions culminating with the exciting production of **Luzia** by **Cirque de Soleil** make this trip a once in a lifetime experience. Bring these amazing memories home with you on **October 8<sup>th</sup>**.



### **Thursday, October 5, 2017**

Begin your exciting adventure with a 1 p.m. departure from Birmingham bound for Atlanta. Upon arrival to Atlanta, you will travel to your hotel for check-in, followed by dinner. A highlight of this evening is a theater performance at the **Aurora Theater** where you will enjoy a production of **Abigail 1702**, a tale of New England witchery.

### **Friday, October 6, 2017**

At 9 a.m. a departure is planned for a tour of **CNN**. Following your CNN visit, a lunch /theater production is scheduled at **Agatha's Theater**. Later this afternoon, a **Behind the Scenes Tour at the Fox Theater** is planned. Afterwards, return to the hotel to freshen-up prior to dinner. Following dinner, a theatrical performance is planned at the **Alliance Theater** featuring the production of **Crossing Delancey**, an American romantic comedy written by Susan Sandler.

### **Saturday, October 7, 2017**

Begin today with a 9 a.m. departure for a visit to the **Center for Puppetry Arts** followed by lunch. This afternoon, a visit is planned to the **ArtsBridge Foundation** for a "Behind the Scenes" tour. Following dinner, your Theatre Arts Tour will culminate with the exciting production of **Luzia** by **Cirque de Soleil** where a waking dream transports you to an imaginary Mexico.

### **Sunday, October 8, 2017**

A departure from Atlanta for the return home bus trip to Birmingham is scheduled bringing with you memories, souvenirs, and a deeper knowledge and appreciation for everything Atlanta's Theatre Arts offered you.

**SPECIAL TOUR CONDITIONS:** \*\* The anticipated/projected tour price of \$1,165.00 is based on 15-24 or more paying tour participants traveling together on the itinerary as outlined. The tour price is based on 3 persons to a room and includes roundtrip coach transportation from Birmingham, Alabama, hotel, 3 breakfasts, 2 lunches and 3 dinners, sightseeing, and entrance fees for specified sites. Sightseeing visits **INCLUDE** the Aurora Theatre for the production of *Abigail 1702*, CNN Tour, Theatre Production at Agatha's theatre, Behind the Scenes Tour at Fox Theatre, Alliance Theatre for the production of *Crossing Delancey*, Center for Puppetry Arts, ArtsBridge Foundation Behind the Scenes tour, and the production of *Luzia* by Cirque de Soleil. Please note that all above-mentioned scheduled activities are subject to change or cancellation due to circumstances beyond our control (availability, weather, traffic, etc.). A guaranteed twin may be available for a supplement of \$175.00 per person. Additional tour conditions are listed on the online application. **There is a \$150.00 non-refundable deposit due by August 14, 2017 to be eligible for the trip.** To register you can visit the "student/traveler signup" page on our website at [www.EAtours.com](http://www.EAtours.com). The tour number for your group is 218230. **Final payment will be due September 1, 2017.** Additional details will be supplied approximately 15 days before departure. If there are 25-35 travelers, the tour price will be reduced to \$1070.00 per person. If there are 36-50 travelers, the tour price is further reduced to \$998.00 per person.



**Space is limited!**



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