

2019-2020 Field Trip and Yearbook Contributions

Ann Arbor Open Coordinating Council

Our school's PTSO

You can pay by credit card, online from the AAOCC website:

<http://www.aapenc.org/field-trip-and-enrichment-contributions>

Please return the form, found on the back of this page, and contributions to school as soon as possible. If you cannot contribute this year, we still need your form to gauge supplementary fundraising needs.

Field Trips

From kindergarteners going to the Ann Arbor Farmers Market to 7th and 8th graders touring Chicago, field trips and enrichment programs are an integral part of Ann Arbor Open's curriculum at every grade level. Kids, teachers, and parents all look forward to these memorable experiences that distinguish our students' Open education.

Each year, the Ann Arbor Open Coordinating Council (AAOCC) -- our school's parent-teacher-student organization -- helps fund these programs. To this end, we ask each family to make a contribution in accordance with the requested amounts listed in the table on the back of this page. We ask that each family contribute what they can afford. If your family is able to give more than the requested amount, please consider doing so, as it will benefit other Ann Arbor Open families.

Because Ann Arbor Open seeks to promote a fair and inclusive environment, every child will have the opportunity to participate in every outing their class takes regardless of their family's contribution.

Yearbooks

The field trip contribution includes the cost of yearbooks. Traditionally, the cost per yearbook is about \$7 each. Please consider donating extra if you are able to do so. All children will receive one yearbook at the end of the year regardless of their family's contribution.

If you have questions, please contact Michela Arnaboldi, Contributions Coordinator at aaofieldtrips@gmail.com.

Requested Field Trip Contributions by Grade

Grade Level	Requested Field Trip Contribution Per Student (This amount will be allocated to your child's class fund)	Actual Average Annual Field Trip/Enrichment Cost Per Student
K - 2nd	\$75	\$148
3rd - 6th	\$110*	\$207
7th - 8th	\$400**	\$544

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*Starting in 3rd grade, classes have overnight field trips/camps that require extra funding.

**This 7th/8th grade amount combines the \$75 contribution needed for local field trips and activities with the funds needed for the end-of-year trip to Chicago or Camp Wolverine. Expect to hear more about the end-of-year trip as the year progresses.

Payment options are available for all and especially 7th/8th parents given the large cost of the end-of-year trip. If you are a parent interested in payment options, please contact Michela Arnaboldi at aaofieldtrips@gmail.com.

(AAOCC is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization. Please check with your tax accountant if your contribution is tax-deductible. Tax ID#38-3336334)

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2019-2020 Field Trip and Enrichment Contribution Form				
Parent/Guardian Name(s):				
	Student Name	Grade	Teacher	Contribution (\$)
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
Total Field Trip Contributions for my Child/Children				\$
Additional Contributions/Donations for Field Trip/Enrichment Fund				\$
Additional Yearbook Contributions/Donations (\$7 each)				\$
I cannot contribute in full this year, but I can donate \$25 to the fund				\$
I cannot contribute in full this year, but I can donate to the fund				\$
Total				\$

Checks should be made payable to AAOCC and enclosed with this form in a sealed envelope. Please off drop forms and contributions in the box located near the school office or mail them to: **AAOCC Field Trip and Enrichment Contributions, Ann Arbor Open, 920 Miller Ave, Ann Arbor, MI 48103.**

Please return this form even if you cannot contribute this year.

Please make your contribution as soon as possible to help us plan our spending throughout the school year. For tax purposes, all contributions received prior to December 20th will be deposited prior to the end of the calendar year.