



AIM

Brooklyn, New York



July 21 – 28, 2019
Trip Cost: \$1000



Dear Future Missionary,

You are going to embark on a journey that will change your life forever! This trip is a direct request from God to “Go into all the world and preach the Gospel.” This is not an experience to be taken lightly. Remember: this is not a vacation. You are not going to be fun seekers. You are not going as just “teenagers” but as missionaries. You are attending this trip as a unified team. You are going with the Holy Spirit and the power he has given you. Do not underestimate what you are capable of! God is calling you to this trip. The fruit of your labor in fundraising will be seen in the 7 days we are in Brooklyn. However, you must prepare yourself ahead of time. Prepare by doing devotions and engaging in personal prayer time. If you do that here and now, we will see incredible miracles while you are in the city. We believe God is going to do amazing things in you and through you. Be open to what God will speak to you on this trip. Be sure to have a willing attitude to whatever God wants to do through you. Let’s make this an AMAZING trip for God’s Glory!

We are so proud of each of you!

Spencer & Lauren Speed
District Youth Directors





Registration Process

Step 1: Brushfire Registration/Paper Form

Inform your youth pastor that you would like to attend AIM – Nicaragua. Give your YP your full name (*must include middle name*), birthday, t-shirt size, and emergency contact.

Step 2: Managed Missions

You will be sent an email from Managed Missions. This is where you will complete your profile, update your food and medication info, and keep track of your funds raised. You will have a personalized link that allows you to send to your family and friends to donate towards your trip cost.

Step 3: Payments

- Deposit #1: \$100 || 12.5.19
- Payment #2: \$225 || 1.16.20
- Payment #3: \$225 || 3.19.20
- Payment #4: \$225 || 5.7.20
- Payment #5: \$225 || 6.4.20

Managed Missions will send you a personalized link to share with family and friends who would like to give toward your trip cost. As you raise funds, you will complete payment through your link as well.

Step 4: Upload Notarized Forms || Due 4.2.20

Download the official AIM packet to be completed by you or your legal guardian (if under 18).
Minor: Requires a notarized signature from both parents.
Adults: Requires witnessed signature from your pastor & a signed background check affidavit.
You will upload your forms to your trip profile. || Must contain all pages of the packet - not just pages you complete.

Step 5: Upload Passport Info || Due 4.30.20

Acquiring a passport is typically not a fast process so begin the application immediately.
DO NOT MISS THIS DATE. You will be at risk of losing your flight reservation if you do not have a passport by this date.

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1. Three meals a day while on the trip (travel days not included)
2. Lodging and Airfare
3. All transportation in country
4. Comprehensive insurance policy for each participant
5. Entrance and exit fees (if applicable)
6. NTYM AIM t-shirt & AIM Journal



VISION

Reach. Win. Disciple. Involve.

MISSION

Metro World Child's mission is to reach children worldwide with the message of the Gospel, to lead them into their own personal relationship with Jesus Christ. They also strive to help meet whatever spiritual, practical, and emotional needs that arise.

Metro World currently works to empower at-risk children by showing them the love and hope of Christ through weekly Sunday School programs, summer camps, weekly home visits, child sponsorship, and consistent one on one relationships with inner city children.

They also meet physical needs that would otherwise potentially hinder personal and spiritual growth such as school supplies, clothing, food, and clean water.



Trip Details

Flights

DFW → LaGuardia or JFK. We will book them at the end of March – beginning of April.

Ministry: Street Outreach

Metro World Child will use us for various tasks and outreaches throughout each day. These consist of work projects, home visits, delivering supplies, community outreach, and throwing a block party. The goal is to support Metro World Child in whatever capacity they need while they show children the love of Christ.

Fun: See the Sights

After dinner each night, Metro World staff will take us to various destinations around New York City. We will visit places including the Brooklyn Bridge, Times Square, Coney Island Fireworks.

Transportation

- Flights
- 15 Passenger vans from the airport to Metro World Child
- Subway (A metro card is included in the trip cost)

Accommodations

Dorm style lodging on Metro World Child's property.



SAFETY

Precautions

- ALWAYS be in groups of 3 or more
- Be extremely alert when crossing the streets on foot. Drivers do not always slow down for pedestrians.
- Watch your luggage closely, especially in the airport.
- Don't display large amounts of cash in the open.
- In the marketplaces, pickpockets are common and quite good. Keep your wallet close to the body, under your clothes. As a rule, don't bring anything to the market you wouldn't mind losing. Men should put their wallets in their front pocket.
- Avoid bringing your cell phone on outreaches. We will let you know when camera use is appropriate.
- In the event of an armed robbery, do not resist. Give them what they want.
- DO NOT give your personal information; phone, address, etc. to adults or children



What to Bring

- **Seasonal Clothing:** hot & humid – shorts and t-shirts
- **Comfortable shoes** – you will be on your feet and walking while ministering with our teams
- **Appropriate Sleepwear**
- **Toiletries & Personal Items**
 - Shower items: shampoo, conditioner, soap
 - Towel
 - Shower Shoes/Flip Flops
 - Hygiene items
 - Sunscreen
 - Towel
- **Bedding:** bedding/sleeping bag. A pillow will be provided.
- **Spending money** – if you would like to shop or bring home souvenirs

DRESS CODE

These are in place for your safety and to uphold the values and reputation of the ministry when serving in the streets.

- Tops must be long enough and pants high enough that no mid-section is visible
- No spaghetti strap tops or low cut tops
- Shorts and skirts cannot be shorter than 3 finger widths above the knee
- No sweatpants or athletic shorts for ministry activities
- No leggings or jeggings for ministry activities. Please wear long tops if to cover up if you wear these items in your personal time.



AIM Participation Scholarship

The Mark McGrath AIM Participation Scholarship is for new full time undergraduate on campus SAGU students that have participated in an approved District or National Ambassadors In Missions (AIM) trip. Only AIM trips taken while a student is enrolled in high school are eligible for a scholarship.

- **District Led:** \$1,000 per trip
- Students are eligible for up to \$5,000 during their time as a SAGU Student