

## **FAQ: TASTE THE ADVENTURE FOR TEENS**

### **WHO JOINS THESE PROGRAMS?**

A teen (12-17) who is independent and yet willing to work as a team, excited to travel to new places, not in a tour bus style environment, and has a hands on approach to life. They should be excited to cook and taste new dishes, see culture outside of their own and explore what the world has to offer.

### **WHAT'S THE FOOD LIKE IN FRANCE? SPAIN? AND SELECT LOCATIONS IN THE US?**

It's everything you imagine, and even more delicious. Breakfast is prepared, gathered or procured from THE BEST of local ingredients; whether that is crepes, yogurts, cheeses, fruits, veggies, and/or eggs and will be taken at our accommodations. Lunch and dinner will also be a variety of cooking classes, snacks from local markets, house-made piqueniques, pinxtos, tapas, and local restaurants.

### **HOW DO FLIGHTS TO EUROPE WORK?**

**YOU HAVE THE OPTION OF FLYING ON AN ESCORTED FLIGHT.** Meet as a group at a chosen airport location on the East Coast of the US and travel to Taste the Adventure's location under close supervision. Upon arrival you will be greeted by Taste the Adventure staff and your journey will begin. PLEASE INQUIRE ABOUT ALL OTHER ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

**Please Note:** For NC programs, pick-up and departure is from Raleigh Durham (RDU) airport. For Europe programs, pick-up and transfer is from Paris CDG airport to the train and departure is from Bilbao airport to your next destination. (no train fare is included) PLEASE INQUIRE ABOUT ALL OTHER ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

### **WHAT ABOUT SAFETY?**

Safety rules are paramount and must be considered first. We also rely on the buddy system which must be respected at all times. Freedom equals responsibility. Staff must know and approve of your whereabouts 24 hours a day. Staff will oversee a safety lesson with participants to reinforce conduct and behaviors which are required to travel responsibly in unfamiliar environments. However, even though we have our own EMT on staff, you need to understand that, at all times, you share in the responsibility for your own well-being and the well-being of others on the program. Taste the Adventure office can always be reached to discuss concerns.

### **WHAT ARE YOUR ACCOMODATIONS?**

Every student will share a room, so you will have one or two roommates of the same sex for the program. Bathrooms as noted. All the properties will have a common area where everyone meets and is welcome at any time. Taste the Adventure is held in a variety of previewed properties.

### **WHAT IS INCLUDED?**

Varies with individual programs. Accommodations as noted. Double or Triple or Other occupancy as noted. Select meals, cooking classes, activities, visits, and community service as noted. The Experience of a Lifetime is always included.

### **HOW DO I REGISTER FOR A SESSION?**

Visit our website to read check for updates and learn about the enrollment process.

### **WHAT IF I HAVE ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS?**

We will contact you and set up a SKYPE session to discuss any concerns.