

Memo

To: Dr. Thomas Kingston
From: Colleen Foley and Michael Harvey 
CC: Janice Darias
Date: 4/23/2012
Re: Trip to Italy for Latin students- April 2013

Please see attached proposal for a trip to Italy for Latin students.

Proposal for Latin Trip

Destination:	Italy, Rome and Sorrento
Dates:	April 11-21, 2013 <i>April vacation is April 13-21</i>
Educational Rationale:	This is a unique opportunity for students studying Latin to visit <i>in situ</i> Roman buildings, ruins and art. Students will visit the ancient town of Cumae where Book VI of Vergil's <i>Aeneid</i> takes place. (Students are required to read Book VI as part of the A.P. curriculum.) In addition, students will view and discuss the Renaissance period, making the connection to their studies of European history and literature. As part of the educational requirement for the trip, participants are required to act as "guides" and prepare (before leaving) two different oral presentations: one on the ruins of a building in the Forum and another on a classical work of art.
Number of participants:	40 (Students must have completed or be enrolled in A.P. Latin or Latin IV honors)
Trip Leader:	Trip leader: Brian Dunn Additional chaperones: 3
Itinerary:	The group will fly to Rome where they will stay for 5 nights. Then the group will travel by motor coach to Sorrento where they will stay for 5 nights. The group will return to Rome for departure home. (Daily itinerary is attached).
Projected Costs:	The trip is being organized by World Cultural Tours in Uxbridge, MA. The price includes flights, land transportation, food, lodging, entrance fees, and the cost of the chaperones. Estimated cost: \$2,899 plus \$400 -\$500 air taxes and surcharges.