

# Module de l'Acadie

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January 9th, 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are beginning the count down to the Grade 8 trip to St-Donat, Québec which will take place on January 21-23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019. This notice is to inform you of the final payment deadline, equipment fees, and departure/return times.

The final payment for the trip is due on Friday, January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019. You may review your balance on Perspectives website ([https://perspectives-edu.com/rr\\_booking/login.php](https://perspectives-edu.com/rr_booking/login.php)).

For students who will be renting ski equipment please be sure to send along payment in the form of cash or cheque **payable directly to Mont Garceau**. The cost of renting ski equipment (skis, boots, poles) is **\$50.00** and for renting a helmet **\$9.00**. If you are renting both ski equipment and a helmet the total cost will be **\$59.00**. If you are renting snowboard equipment (board, boots) the cost is **\$57.00** and helmet **\$9.00** with a total cost of **\$66.00**.

Departure time is 6:45 am sharp from the front parking lot at Acadie. Students are advised to **be there ready to leave at 6:30 am**, at the latest. **The bus leaves promptly at 6:45 am** and cannot wait for latecomers. Students can bring one suitcase and one carry-on (pack back). They will need a warm jacket, snow pants, warm socks, warm long underwear, winter boots, two pairs of gloves, a tuque/hat, and ski goggles. Also, indoor clothes, indoor shoes, pajamas, undergarments and toiletries. A checklist of items will be sent along with this letter.

**Students must present their Ontario Health Card to M. Mailloux**, who will keep them safely stored, prior to boarding the bus. This is to facilitate any visits to the medical clinic in the event of a minor injury.

Students will bring their bagged lunch for the bus ride to St.Donat, and must respect the allergies in our community. **No nuts or sesame seeds of any kind** are permitted on the bus. 12\$ per day is a reasonable amount for a lunch, and we can offer a bagged lunch for 10\$ from the boulangerie for the ride back to Kingston. Should they wish to shop a little in the village, another 20\$ is reasonable. They will also need 5\$ for their key deposit, which will be returned to them upon receipt of the room key.

We should be returning to Kingston on Jan. 23<sup>th</sup> between 4:30-5:30 pm. If weather or road conditions slow us down, we will ask all students to communicate with their parents via cell phone to advise them of the delay. The bus will drop us off at Module de l'Acadie.

We thank you for your support of this activity. Should you have questions or concerns do not hesitate to contact us at school.

Sincerely,

M. Mailloux

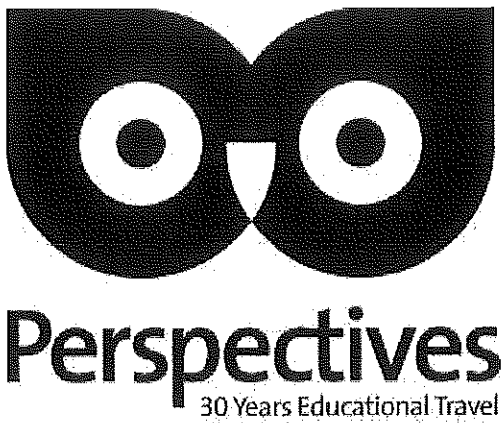


## PACKING LIST FOR SAINT-DONAT TRIP - THINGS TO BRING!

- Clothing: Comfortable clothes following school dress code  
Jeans, track pants, leggings  
Sweaters, turtlenecks and warm shirts  
Warm snow boots are mandatory for outdoor activities  
Shoes for indoor activities at the lodge (slippers for in your room if you like)  
Thermal underwear (2), Warm socks (4)  
Ski jacket, ski pants, hat(s)/toque(s), scarf/neck warmer, ski goggles  
Winter gloves or mitts (2 pairs)  
Flashlight / headlight for evening outdoor activities / in the room at night (optional)
- Helmets: Skiers and snowboarders: wear a CSA approved Snowsport helmet as per School Board regulations and OPHEA guidelines.  
Helmets are available to rent at Ski Garceau with advanced reservation only  
Helmets are also mandatory for skating
- Wrist guards: It is mandatory that snowboarders wear wrist guards.  
\*If renting Snowboard equipment, wrist guards are included in your rental package  
Wrist guards can be rented from Mont Garceau upon arrival, pending availability
- Health Card Health Card # (OHIP) provided to teacher  
Photocopy accepted at hospitals – name, number and expiry date must be legible
- Luggage: One backpack aboard the motor coach for trip to Saint-Donat  
One suitcase per person in luggage compartment (no hockey bags please)  
Ski or snowboard equipment (optional)  
Pillow for extra comfort (optional)  
\*\*Please store your money in your backpack, not in your checked luggage\*\*
- Food: Snacks from home **for the motor coach only:**  
Refillable water bottle, packed lunch if applicable  
**NO NUT PRODUCTS OR GUM PLEASE!**
- Toiletries: Shampoo, deodorant, soap, hair dryer (please share with roommates)
- Spending money: Students should bring \$10-\$15 per day for lunches and dinner on return trip
- Electronics: Label all personal items including your camera, cell phone, chargers  
Cell phone usage: please follow your school's policy regarding their use

**PLEASE LEAVE JEWELRY AND OTHER VALUABLES AT HOME**  
**VOYAGES OF DISCOVERY / VOYAGES DE DÉCOUVERTES**

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# MODULE DE L'ACADIE

Saint-Donat - Program 'A'

January 21-23, 2019

1789 Bath Road, Kingston ON K7M 4Y3

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Contact: Mr. Nabil Mailloux

Grade: 8 Students: 80+8

Language: French Immersion

Trip Code: SD191477

Tour Planner: Sabrina Quevillon [saint-donat@perspectives-edu.com](mailto:saint-donat@perspectives-edu.com)

Sales Associate: France Perras [france.perras@perspectives-edu.com](mailto:france.perras@perspectives-edu.com)

**TRANSPORTATION:** *Transportation information will be provided approximately one month before departure*

**LODGING:** Centre de Vacances L'Étoile du Nord - 887 rue Principale, Saint-Donat, QC, J0T 2C0

**TRIP THEME:** Quebec folklore legends

## January 21, 2019

Coach to arrive at the school at designated time  
11:00 a.m. Registration at the Lodge, then depart for Mt Garceau (rentals/division of groups by skill level)  
12:45 p.m. Alpine skiing/snowboard lessons at Ski Garceau (OR cross-country for those who cannot alpine ski)  
4:00 p.m. Return to the Lodge  
4:30 p.m. Dinner - 1st service  
5:20 p.m. Dinner - 2nd service  
6:30 p.m. Evening outdoor activities: snow games, skating, tobogganing  
6:30 p.m. Meeting for teachers  
8:15 p.m. Meeting with teachers & students  
9:00 p.m. Talent show and cooperative games rotation  
9:45 p.m. Draw, dance and snack followed by curfew (Night supervision from curfew to 6:00 a.m.)

## January 22, 2019

6:45 a.m. Wake up  
7:00 a.m. Breakfast  
8:30 a.m. Alpine skiing lessons at Ski Garceau (OR cross-country for those who cannot alpine ski)  
11:45 a.m. Lunch at the cafeteria at Ski Garceau  
12:45 p.m. Departure for the Lodge  
1:15 p.m. Ecology workshop & Cross-country Skiing OR Language workshop in the village/Music workshop  
4:00 p.m. Return to the Lodge  
4:45 p.m. Dinner - 1st service  
5:20 p.m. Dinner - 2nd service  
6:00 p.m. Evening activities: snowshoeing and snow activities  
6:30 p.m. Meeting for teachers  
8:15 p.m. Meeting with teachers & students  
8:45 p.m. Québec folkloric music show with our professional musicians and animation team  
9:40 p.m. Draw, dance and snack followed by curfew (Night supervision from curfew to 6:00 a.m.)



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## PERSPECTIVES

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## January 23, 2019

6:45 a.m. Wake up  
7:00 a.m. Breakfast  
8:00 a.m. Preparation for departure & loading of luggage  
8:45 a.m. Alpine skiing: free skiing (OR cross country for those who cannot alpine ski)  
12:00 p.m. Departure for the return home

\* For scheduling purposes only

\* Skating: per school board approval and pending weather conditions for ice surface