

## Heritage Academy's 6th Annual Science & Spanish Language Excursion

# The Puerto Rico Tour

*San Juan / El Yunque / Rio Camuy / Fajardo / Culebra / Liquillo Beach*

Sunday, March 9 – Saturday, March 15, 2025 (6 days / 5 nights)

### Eligibility

This tour is open to all high school scholars, grades 9-12. No scholar with a failing grade (D or F) in any class at the end of the Fall Semester 2024 or with a major disciplinary referral will be allowed to register for this tour without principal approval. Scholars who do not presently qualify but who think they may eventually qualify should speak with the tour lead before registering for the tour and may be placed on an alternate list.

### Tour Fees

The cost of the tour is **\$2,400**. This covers airfare and other transportation, hotel accommodations (four per room), five full breakfasts, five dinners, and all site entrance fees.

Scholars are required to pay the full cost of the tour unless they meet the enrollment and grade requirements for a scholarship. Scholarships covering 25% of the tour fees will be awarded to scholars who:

- 1) Have been enrolled at Heritage Academy for two consecutive school years immediately prior to the tour, and
- 2) Have received all A's on their Heritage transcript for all classes during those two consecutive years.

Tour fees must be paid according to the following schedule:

| <u>Date Due</u>   | <u>Amount Due</u>                   |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 27 September 2024 | \$600 (\$250 non-refundable)        |
| 01 November 2024  | \$600                               |
| 06 December 2024  | \$600                               |
| 17 January 2025   | \$600 (\$0 if on scholarship)       |
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| Total tour fees   | \$2,400 (\$1,800 if on scholarship) |

### Additional Costs

By default, hotel accommodations will be arranged four per room. If scholars require some other scholar-per-room arrangement, the scholar(s) will be required to cover the following additional costs: (three-per-room: \$120; two-per-room: \$360; single-scholar room: \$1,040). Scholars will be required to cover the cost of any bags checked with the airline.

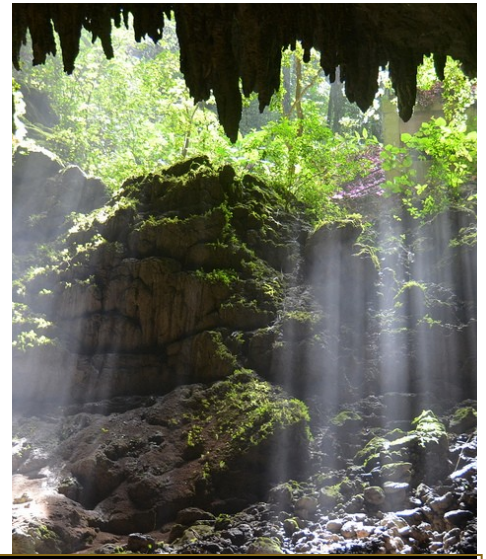
### Cancellation

Any cancellations made after an initial payment will incur a \$250-per-scholar non-refundable charge. Any remaining funds will be refunded according to the following schedule:

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| More than 90 days prior to departure: | 75% refund |
| More than 60 days prior to departure: | 50% refund |
| More than 30 days prior to departure: | 25% refund |
| Less than 30 days prior to departure: | no refund  |

*See back for a tentative tour itinerary. Scan the QR code to sign up!*





## HERITAGE ACADEMY – SPANISH AND SCIENCE TOUR 2025 – PUERTO RICO

### Sunday, March 9, 2025

- Depart Phoenix on your scheduled airline

### Monday, March 10

- Connecting flight en route  
Breakfast (on own) at the airport
- Arrive San Juan – Meet your tour manager at baggage claim. Gather luggage and depart for Old San Juan
- Lunch on own in Old San Juan
- Enjoy a city tour of San Juan including: **San Juan Cathedral, Puerta de San Juan, Capitol Building, Paseo de la Princesa, Harbor**
- Check into your hotel – Hyatt Place Bayamon (or similar)
- Dinner provided near your hotel

### Tuesday, March 11

- 8:00AM Breakfast provided at your hotel
- **Visit to Castillo San Felipe del Morro**
- Lunch (on own)
- Visit **Castillo San Cristobal**
- Afternoon in **Old San Juan** – be sure to see the gate to the city and Plaza Colon
- Dinner provided
- Salsa Dance lessons
- Return to the hotel

### Wednesday, March 12

- Breakfast provided at your hotel
- Depart for a visit **Las Cavernas del Rio Camuy** (approximately 1-hour drive). Note you will be hiking for approximately 1 hour
- Lunch on own in San Sebastian
- Visit to Gozalindia Falls
- Time permitting, enjoy some time at Mar Chiquita

### Beach

- Dinner in Bayamon
- Return to the hotel for overnight

### Thursday, March 13

- Breakfast provided at your hotel
- Check out and depart for a nature excursion through **El Yunque Rainforest**
- Lunch on own
- Afternoon at **Luquillo Beach**
- Dinner provided in Fajardo
- Depart for check into your hotel – **Fajardo Inn**
- Enjoy the amenities of the Fajardo Inn
- Overnight at the hotel

### Friday, March 14

- Breakfast provided at your hotel
- Depart for day trip and **Catamaran** ride for snorkeling at **Culebra** from Fajardo
- Lunch provided as part of the excursion
- Dinner (on own) in Fajardo
- Evening **Bioluminescent Bay** kayaking tour
- Return to the hotel for overnight
- Final evening Tour Review

### Saturday, March 15

- Breakfast provided at your hotel
- Depart for the Airport (approx. 1-hour drive)
- Depart from San Juan on your schedule airline
- Connecting flight en route  
Lunch (on own) during your connection
- Depart for Phoenix
- Evening arrival into Phoenix