

Dare to Compare!



CUTTING THROUGH THE HYPE
and finding the right travel company for you.

We know that any company can promise you the world and they can be downright convincing in their sales pitch. To help you cut through the clutter, here's a checklist of items we think are vital to the success of your trip.



COMPANY INFORMATION

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Experience Counts	The premier educational travel company for over 40 years.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Satisfaction Guaranteed	A written service guarantee that pledges your tour will be first-rate. If upon your return you believe that your overall experience does not deserve a good or excellent rating, you will be provided 500 World Traveler Rewards points and a \$1,000 scholarship to use as you see fit on your next tour.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Safety First	A system in place to constantly monitor global conditions and never send participants into harm's way.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Secure Payments	Carries a \$1 million indemnity bond with the United States Tour Operators Association (USTOA).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Liability Free	Carries a \$50 million general liability insurance policy that covers group leaders and school districts on tour.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



PRE-DEPARTURE SERVICE

Planning Partnership	You'll work with an expert program consultant from start to finish. Your planning partner will come to know your likes and dislikes, anticipate your questions and ensure all pre-departure promises are delivered.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
You've got a Friend	Program consultants whose friendliness and professionalism were rated as excellent by 99% of recent group leaders. The remaining 1% rated them good.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Meeting Preparation	Custom designed presentation materials are available to help recruit participants and ease group leaders' work loads, and your program consultant will even Zoom in to help run the meeting.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Total Flexibility	Easy tour customization, whether you'd like to add a day to an existing itinerary, change a few excursions, or custom design an itinerary from scratch.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Flight Information Early	Confirmed flight information at least 45 days prior to departure.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Tools	Online 24-hour access to itinerary, hotel and flight information, billing status details, and more through My Account. Plus, an automatic payment option that makes managing trip budgets easy for participants. Plus, a dynamic group leader checklist to keep you organized and on-track.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Peace of Mind Policies	Travel protection coverage that allows participants to cancel for any reason and receive a 100% cash refund.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



ON THE TOUR

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Evaluated Excellence	An overall ACIS experience rated good or excellent by 99% of recent group leaders.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Travel is Education	Education woven into every aspect of a tour. Itineraries designed to combine the right mix of guided discovery and free time for individual exploration. Included and optional Cultural Connections—activities that require students to immerse themselves in the local culture.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Leadership Smarts	Tour managers who are extensively trained in how to optimize the tour so it is the most educational, smoothly run and fun! Rated good or excellent by 97% of recent group leaders.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
24/7 availability	Tour managers who are available to their groups around the clock. They not only provide excellent commentary and lead exciting interactive activities during the planned itinerary, but they are also available during free exploration time, often arranging scavenger hunts or escorting groups to their favorite sites.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Located Value	Hotels located near the sights you came to see so you won't waste time commuting. Sample hotel lists provided upon request.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rest Easy	Use of 3- and 4-star hotels only.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Smart Rooming	Single rooms for group leaders. Participants will room in doubles or triples, will never pay extra if they don't have a roommate, and won't room with a participant from a different group.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Eat Up	Meals that mix authentic, local cuisine with familiar favorites, ensuring you and your participants will eat and enjoy your meals and not need a fast food break an hour later.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Quality Control	Frequent evaluation of services and itineraries to maintain top quality. On-tour and post-tour check ins with each group leader to ensure expectations are met (or exceeded!).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Just in Case	Each group leader receives a "Red Card" for restaurants, hotels and tour managers. Should your experience not meet your expectations, simply hand the red card to your tour manager and the problem will be fixed fast.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Planes, Trains, Automobiles & more	Groups travel on fast, comfortable and authentic transportation, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Eurostar for all travel between London and Paris • The TGV and AVE, the fastest trains in Europe • Air-conditioned touring buses • International commercial airlines 	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Small Groups	Guaranteed private tours with 20-25 participants on tours to Europe or just 15 on a tour to Latin America or Asia, allowing for total on tour flexibility.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



LAST, BUT NOT LEAST...

Rewarding Leaders

Outstanding group leader rewards that are easy to qualify for. A World Traveler Reward system that awards you points for each participant in your group that you can redeem for global conferences, travel scholarships, cash rewards and tour upgrades!

To learn more about how ACIS answers these questions, or any other questions you may have, please contact a program consultant at **800-888-ACIS**, info@acis.com or visit www.acis.com.



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