

SEATTLE

Surrounded by water, mountains, and forests, Seattle offers students world-class culture with a distinct natural atmosphere. Get to know the Emerald City with visits to the Space Needle, the Museum of Flight, and Pike Place Market.

Why Brightspark?

Safety And Security

We regularly conduct strict audits of our vendors, ensuring they act in accordance with safety, security, and quality standards.

Our Tour Directors

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Day 1:

- Meet your Tour Director and board your private motor coach.
- Ignite your curiosity at the **Pacific Science Center!** The museum brings science to life through interactive, innovative exhibits and programs that inspire discovery, critical thinking, and lifelong learning.
- Explore **Chihuly Garden and Glass**, an exhibit showcasing the works of sculptor Dale Chihuly. Stroll through eight galleries and a garden as you make your way to the Glasshouse. Made to resemble a botanical conservatory, this building is the centerpiece of the exhibit and features a 100-foot-long suspended glass sculpture.
- Take in the view of the Seattle skyline from the **Space Needle** observation deck, more than 500 feet above the ground!

Day 2:

- Explore the **Seattle Art Museum**, a leading institution for visual arts in the Pacific Northwest since it opened in 1933. Its collection has grown since then to include over 25,000 pieces! The museum's exhibits and locations celebrate the area as a crossroads between cultures.
- From comic books to punk rock, the **Museum of Pop Culture** uses multimedia exhibits and interactive technologies to connect with different generations and celebrate the risk-taking ideas that fuel our contemporary world.
- After dinner, enjoy free time in downtown Seattle.

Day 3:

- Head into the wild at **Woodland Park Zoo**. The 92-acre institution is a leader in immersive exhibits.
- Explore **Pike Place Market**, recognized worldwide as the country's premier farmers market. It features artisans, food vendors, and the first ever Starbucks™ store.
- Tour **Safeco Field**, home of the Seattle Mariners. The stadium offers sweeping views of downtown Seattle and the sunsets over Puget Sound, as well as excellent sightlines of the game.
- Root for the home team at a **Seattle Mariners** baseball game. *(Seasonal, pending home schedule)*

Day 4:

- Tour the **University of Washington**, founded in 1861 and originally located in downtown Seattle. U-Dub, as the locals call it, now encompasses a 700-acre main campus north of the city and two additional campuses across the state.
- Go under the sea at the **Seattle Aquarium**. Its hands-on educational exhibits are dedicated to the preservation of the Puget Sound marine environment.
- Walk along **Waterfront Park**, from Pier 57 to Pier 59 near Elliott Bay. From the boardwalk, enjoy views of the greenery, the skyline, and the ships at the dock.
- Join real ghost hunters for an evening of spooky tales as you walk through some of the city's most haunted sites.

Day 5:

- Take to the skies at the **Museum of Flight!** Your interactive visit lets you experience what it's like to be air traffic controller, learn the mechanics and history of flight, and see World War II fighter jets up close.
- Uncover buried history during **Bill Speidel's Underground Tour**, a humorous walking tour beneath Seattle's streets. This unusual experience lets you stroll through storefronts and sidewalks that were entombed when the city rebuilt after the Great Fire of 1889.
- Get to know your hosts during a visit to Seattle's **Museum of History and Industry**, the largest private institution in the state dedicated to preserving, studying, and celebrating Washington's heritage. Its collection features 4 million artifacts related mostly to Seattle and the Puget Sound region, including Boeing's first commercial plane and the 1856 Petticoat Flag.
- Depart for home.

