

EMBARKING ON ADVENTURE *in* COSTA RICA

ABOUT THE GROUP LEADER

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ABOUT THE TRIP



New Experiences

I love traveling with students and watching them experience new things. We chose Costa Rica since many students had not been before. For many of them, it was the first time they had been on a vacation that wasn't visiting family.



Expert Guidance

I appreciate the guidance through the trip planning process and the support Brightspark provided when it came to passports and visas. Brightspark was also great about helping me navigate changes when things came up.



Exciting Adventures

We had something new and exciting to do each day. During some of our activities, a student would call out, "This is awesome! How have I never done this before?" These are the moments that make me keep traveling with students. Another student kept talking about how she was going to move to Costa Rica!



Valuable Exposure

My students enjoyed experiencing a different country and culture. They really loved the people we met and the physical activities we got to do. They also loved the hot springs! The world is ginormous and too many teenagers are focused too close to home. They gained exposure to a new place where they could see themselves being happy. They gained confidence in their ability to navigate airports and passports, as well.

International Travel Tip

"Trust your chaperones and students. And talk to your tour director - they have great advice."