

# BAHAMAS SUMMMER 2024

## SAMPLE ITINERARY

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**CULTURE • COMMUNITY • CONNECTION - AN EXPERIENCE LIKE NO OTHER**



### Tentative Schedule (6 nights)

#### Sunday, May 7

- Arrive in Nassau
- Check in to accommodations
- Itinerary overview session

#### Monday, May 8

- Community project/ work day in Nassau
- Host local camp for kids

#### Tuesday, May 9

- Community project/ work day in Nassau
- Host local camp for kids

#### Wednesday, May 10

- Fun Day Event
- Evening free time

#### Thursday, May 11

- Local School Visit and Immersion Experience

#### Friday, May 12

- Free day time/Visit downtown Nassau
- Evening Grill Out

#### Saturday, May 13

- Return to the U.S.

### PACKAGE BREAKDOWN

- **AIR TRAVEL (NOT INCLUDED)**
- **ACCOMMODATIONS & MEALS IN THE BAHAMAS**
- **PROJECTS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE INITIATIVES**
- **FUN DAY EVENT**
- **TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM ALL IYES EVENTS**
  - Airport pickup and drop-off
  - Community service transport
  - Camp transport
  - Fun day trips/tours
- **TEAM CHAPERONE AND ADMINISTRATION**

**Package Total/Person - \$1,500 (airplane ticket not included)**

*This package price is based on current rates in effect as of August 2023 and is valid until October 31, 2023. Thereafter, the price is subject to change if there is an appreciable change in hotel rates.*

*Average cost of travel to Nassau, Bahamas is \$700. Prices vary depending on time of purchase and dates of travel.*



**\*\*\*Passports and a negative COVID 19 test or proof of vaccination are required to enter The Bahamas.**

*The itinerary and trip is not intended to be a scripted event but rather a time for the student athlete to explore and experience a different culture in their own way and time.*

Contact: [info@iyesfoundation.org](mailto:info@iyesfoundation.org) for more information

# ABOUT INTERNATIONAL YOUTH EDUCATION & SPORTS FOUNDATION

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The iYES Foundation is a Springdale, Arkansas based nonprofit organization dedicated to helping young people discover their passions and grow their world view through cultural exchange, education and sports. We believe that the most important investment that you can make in life is an investment in our youth. They are our future, and what we teach and empower them to accomplish will chart out the course for future generations.

Our mission is to expose our youth and their families to opportunities and resources through cultural exchange, education and sports that will enable them to pursue excellence, achieve their purpose and be empowered to make a difference themselves. Research shows that communities that invest in youth development are in a better position to build social capital and enhance community development. Social capital is defined as the networks of relationships among people who live and work in a particular society, enabling that society to function effectively. The social capital obtained by teaching youth the value of faith, team work, discipline, respect, reciprocity, and leadership is insurmountable and is the key to transforming youth into contributing members of our society. By allowing young people to engage with and experience different cultures, it not only creates goodwill between different groups but also creates more diverse interactions within our communities.

## REGISTRATION PROCESS & IMPORTANT DATES

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### REGISTRATION

To register for this trip, please submit the following:

- 1) The completed registration form
- 2) The signed medical release/liability form
- 3) \*\$100 registration fee deposit.

By submitting the required documents and registration deposit, you agree that you have read and understand the terms and conditions stated in the attached *Conditions to Travel* document.

**Deadline to register is JANUARY 1, 2024** (\*\*\*)*Due upon registration: \$100 registration fee deposit*(\*\*\*)

**Please make checks payable to: iYES Foundation OR you can pay online at [paypal.me/iyesfoundation](https://paypal.me/iyesfoundation).**

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### IMPORTANT DATES

#### Payment Deadlines:

January 1: \$100 registration

March 1: \$700

April 1: \$700

**Overall Total Due: \$1,500** (amount can be paid in one lump sum, if preferred)

**Refunds:** The refund policy is as follows:

45 days from Departure: 75% refund, loss of deposit

30 days from Departure: 50% refund, loss of deposit

15 days from Departure: NO REFUND