

# Housatonic Valley Travels to

JAPAN: APRIL 2023

IRELAND & SCOTLAND: SUMMER 2023



Visit the links below for details, itineraries, and to enroll

April break - Japan - 11 days [www.eftours.com/2523203bt](http://www.eftours.com/2523203bt)

July - Ireland & Scotland - 12 days - [www.eftours.com/2458552zk](http://www.eftours.com/2458552zk)

## Everything you get:

- Flights, private coach bus, trains, hotels, & the majority of meals
- Teachers with experience leading international trips
- Full-time, bilingual Tour Director
- Educational itinerary
- Sightseeing led by licensed local guides
- Entrance fees to attractions
- Hotels with private bathrooms
- All-Inclusive Coverage Plan & 24 hour emergency service

Fundraising & Scholarship Opportunities are available!

## How to sign up:

- Talk to Mr. Lizzi, Mrs. Garcia-Tripp, Mrs. Melino, or Ms. Monico
- Talk to your parents/guardians - they can also talk to ^^
- Enroll online & select payment plan
- Complete international travel packet (get from one of the teachers listed above)
- Apply for passport
- Get involved in fundraisers
- Attend travel meetings to prepare for your trip of a lifetime!

## Fundraisers

### **Sept. 16th, 2022 - Annual Dinner and Auction at the White Hart in Salisbury, CT.**

All travelers are encouraged to solicit sponsors, auction items, help set up, clean up, and serve at the dinner in order to receive funds towards their trip.

<https://winedinnerandauction.com/>

**November** - Annual appeal letters - work with *Northwest Corner: Students Without Borders* board members to write letters asking for donations.

### **Spring fundraiser TBD**

*EF Tours take you to the places you've learned about in school. But it's so much more than that. Immersing yourself in new cultures—surrounded by the people, the language, the food, the way of life—creates inspirational moments that can't be listed in an itinerary. They can only be experienced! When you arrive abroad, everything is taken care of so you can relax and enjoy the experience. Your full-time Tour Director is with your group around the clock, handling local transportation, hotels, and meals while also providing their own insight into the local history and culture. Expert local guides will lead your group on sightseeing tours, providing detailed views on history, art, architecture, or anything you may have a question about. When your journey is over and you're unpacking your suitcase at home, you'll realize the benefits of your life-changing experience do not end. They have just begun!*

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### **Who We Are**

The HVRHS International Travel Club is now managed by NWC: Students Without Borders. A group of dedicated parents and community members devoted to providing travel opportunities for students throughout Region One.

### **Our History**

The HVRHS International Travel Club was established decades ago. Originally each family had to pay for the entire trip for each child, which was not feasible for many. The participation became so small the club was dismantled and the journeys ended. Four years ago we decided to re-establish the group and fundraise so any student who had a desire to go, and would work fundraising, could attend. The participation went from 6 students to China, to over 30 to Europe. An opportunity these students will never forget.

