

Support for Spain/Italy Student Trip

Grant Overview: WCSD instructor Jewel Rozanski will be taking a group of students to Peru with several other adult chaperones. The trip will take place in June of 2015. At this time there are 12 students enrolled for the trip.

The itinerary includes the normal tourist sites, such as Cuzco, Lima, and Machu Picchu, and will also require that the students work first hand with families in a small village along the shore of Lake Titicaca for two days. Students will have receive a first-hand perspective of life in Peru and a great opportunity to use and/or improve their Spanish skills.

The cost per student is approximately \$3,500, and two fundraisers have been held to date to help defray student costs. The request for support will not include a specific dollar amount, but rather be a request for assistance as the Foundation sees fit to provide. The Foundation has generously provided support to past overseas trips for students.

Amount of Award: Open-ended.

Due Date/Notification of Award: Due immediately. Notification after the next foundation board meeting.

Alternatives if not Awarded: Students will need to raise additional funds for the trip.

WCSD Resources Required: None.

Administrative Recommendation: That the Board of School Directors instructs the administration to submit a grant request to the Community Foundation for Warren County requesting financial assistance to support the planned student trip to Peru in June 2015.