

## IFT Program: Frequently Asked Questions

***Can I go over the specified adult to student ratio?*** Any additional adults or siblings must pay the discounted rate of 20% off the current SeaWorld general admission price.

***There are less than 10 people in my group. Can I still book a field trip?*** We require that group size is at least 10 or more students and adult chaperones.

***Are teachers free?*** No, teachers, chaperones, and students all pay the same low rate for education programs.

***Can we use FunCards for the school field trip program or tour fees?*** FunCards *cannot* be used for the Instructional Field Trip program or In-depth Tour fees. FunCards can be used for the full-day rates, less any education program fees.

***Will we have a tour today?*** We offer In-depth education tours for an additional fee. Tours must be reserved by group leaders in advance and are subject to availability.

***Are rides and shows included on the field trip?*** The Instructional Field Trip is a half-day program that includes a morning education show. Your group may visit any of the animal habitats. However, rides and other shows are not included. Full-day pricing is available and includes all rides and attractions.

***Do we have to pay for parking?*** Currently, parking is free for schools and chaperones. Bus parking is also free. We encourage you to carpool.

***Do you have lunches available?*** We recommend that you bring lunches on your field trip. We provide unsecured lockers to store lunches.

***When is the best time of year for a field trip?*** We offer the Instructional Field Trip program from September through June on selected days (please see schedule). Spring (March through May) is very busy so be sure to reserve your field trip early. In spring, check-in may be delayed due to the large number of groups.

***Do you have wheelchairs available?*** Wheelchairs are available to rent. Call ahead for rates.

***Can I reschedule my group's trip?*** Please be sure to check your school calendar and bus/transportation availability before reserving your field trip to avoid any conflicts with the field trip day you reserve. Rescheduling is subject to availability.

***Can I reenter SeaWorld on the day of the field trip if I exit?*** You will only be able to enter the Education Gate during check-in. The gate closes in the morning, after all school groups check-in. If you exit early, there is no reentry through this gate. Full-day groups may exit the park at the front of the park and have their hands stamped for reentry.

***Can we enter the park early?*** The education gate opens shortly after check-in begins. There is no early entry.

***Can my preschool come on Friday?*** Please plan on coming on your assigned grade level day, so that we can provide our program to as many children as possible.

