

Rebates and Withdrawals

Your \$25 deposit is non-refundable. The seasonal nature of winter programming precludes rebate of tuition fees for cancellation after the first night of the program, or for late arrival or early withdrawal. Our costs are determined on a group basis, not a per-student/per-day basis. Should a participant have to withdraw due to a medical emergency, injury or other crisis, refunds, if any, are minimal and made at the sole discretion of APTC.

Program Alterations

It is APTC's intention to conduct programs as described in our marketing materials. Class activities or sites may be altered due to any act of God, including weather or other condition affecting the safety of participants and circumstances beyond APTC's control. When possible, families will be notified in advance of any major changes. In all cases we will substitute in good faith with something comparable. If a program is cancelled by APTC for any reason prior to its starting date, APTC will refund full tuition paid by parent/guardian. APTC is not responsible for other costs incurred by participants preparing for a trip that has been cancelled.

Terms of Participation - Conduct

Participants may not use, pursue the use of or possess tobacco products, alcohol, illegal drugs/substances nor abuse over-the-counter drugs. Exclusivity, sexual activity, intimate involvement with other participants is not allowed due to the emotional impact upon individuals and on the dynamic of the entire group. Program policies are established with safety, health and welfare, common sense, and local laws in mind. Chronic defiance of rules and procedures set forth, disrespectful, abusive, unsafe or illegal conduct and on-going profanity will not be tolerated. We reserve the right to remove participants from the program who APTC ascertains have violated the conditions for participation or whose behaviors are counterproductive to community-building, offensive to or disrespectful or otherwise detrimental to maintaining standards or successful operation of the program. Participants who are dismissed for cause will be removed from the program environment immediately at the expense of parent/guardian who will be responsible for making the timely changes necessary to pick up the dismissed student. No tuition or other fees will be reimbursed and any additional costs incurred by APTC will be charged to and paid for by parent/guardian.

Safety and Health Information

Safety is a premier consideration. It is imperative that students follow the rules, policies and protocols established by APTC and any vendors/educators/service providers contracted by APTC. Any disability arising during the program must and will be examined and verified by a physician of APTC's choosing. All participants must have health insurance coverage. Participants receive medical insurance and health history forms to be completed and signed by a parent/guardian, and possibly a physician.

Transportation

Families are responsible for providing/arranging transportation for participating students to the Allenberry Resort Inn and Playhouse at the beginning of the Conservatory, and from same at the end of the Conservatory. Our staff will greet students and any family members at the program site. Parents or an approved adult will sign them out each night.

Communication

If traveling separately from parent/guardian, participants will call home upon arrival to the program. Onsite telephones are for business, messages or emergency calls only, and are not for regular use by participants. We discourage too-frequent calls home. In case of emergency, APTC can be reached 24 hours a day. Contact Information: Roque Berlanga: 209-769-3651. In the unlikely event that you can not reach us, please feel free to call the front desk at 717-258-3211. *Students will have access to cell phones only during break time. Cell phones must stay in the student's rehearsal bag.*

Food

Snacks will be provided during TECH of the program. Please feel free to bring snacks during regular rehearsals. A break time will be set aside during the evening.

Certificate of Completion

All participants who *complete* the Conservatory program successfully receive a Certificate of Completion.