

Explorations in *Accessible Travel*

Session 1B: Exploring St. Louis

Explorations in Accessible Travel II for Students who are Blind/Visually Impaired

Who: Students Who Are Blind/Visually Impaired grades 3-8

Where: Missouri School for the Blind (MSB)
3815 Magnolia Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63110

When: **Session 1B:** July 16-20, 2018 (5 days)

What: *Explorations in Accessible Travel II* is a 1-week program designed to introduce students who are blind or visually impaired to a variety of skills, techniques and practical tips designed to make traveling in an unfamiliar environment fun and safe. During *Explorations in Accessible Travel II*, students will learn safe, community-based travel skills while traveling to different destinations each day. Students will learn about the history and unique culture of St. Louis, explore our beautiful city and tour some of our most popular tourist sights. After each experience students enrolled in *Explorations in Accessible Travel II* will write a review of the accessibility of each site including ease of travel, access to braille documents and labels, and more. As a culminating activity, students enrolled in *Explorations in Accessible Travel II* will create and publish a *St. Louis Travel Guide for the Blind and Visually Impaired, Volume II* with reviews of each destination. Destinations for *Accessible Travel II* will be different than those visited in *Accessible Travel I*.

Costs: *Free.* Transportation, activities, room and board are all provided *FREE* of charge.

How: Complete the registration form found on the MSB website and submit it by May 15, 2018 to:

Missouri School for Blind
Attn: Joy Waddell
3815 Magnolia Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63110

If you have further questions or need additional information, please contact Joy Waddell, Assistant Superintendent at 314-776-4320 or via e-mail at joyce.waddell@msb.dese.mo.gov