

The Four-Day P.A.L. Adventure

“Thanks for sharing all of life’s secrets with us and for showing us how to reach from the valley to the mountaintop and showing us how to become all we can be. I would also like to thank you for pointing us in the right direction and for showing us how to reach our goals. It’s a long journey, and we don’t know what awaits us. That is something you can’t teach us. We have to find out on our own. But once we get there, we will know what to do. You’ve inspired deeply. I wish I could pay you back, but you shall have your eternal reward. May God be with you because it is In God We Trust.” ~ Robert, 5th Grade

“Project American Life is the best place to be. It’s better than Disneyworld!” ~ Katie, 5th Grade

Day One ~ Who Am I? (Clarity)

9:00 Preparations / Staff Meeting
11:30 Welcome / The Caste System
12:00 The Clarifying Lunch
1:00 Testing / Orientations
1:30 Shared Standards
2:15 Wall Street
3:00 Royal Games of Privilege
3:45 Standard Procedure
4:45 Quest
5:30 Principle Meal
7:00 In Search of a Better Idea
7:30 Independence Hall
8:15 Snack Social
8:30 Quiet Sing
9:00 Journaling
9:15 Staff Meeting

Day Two ~ What Am I? (Compassion)

7:20 Morning Remembrance I
7:30 Breakfast
8:15 Wall Street
8:45 Laws of Nature
9:45 Shared Standards
11:00 Mind Music
12:15 Lunch
1:00 (Nap-time Quiz I)
2:00 Humans Being
3:00 Brainiac I
4:00 Discovery I
4:45 The Compassion Meal
7:00 Night Light
8:15 Snack Social
8:30 Quiet Sing
9:00 Journaling
9:15 Staff Meeting

Day Three ~ Where Am I? (Courage)

7:20 Morning Remembrance II
7:30 Breakfast
8:15 Wall Street
8:45 Citizenship Rules
11:00 Shared Standards / Discovery II
12:15 Lunch
1:00 (Nap-time Quiz II)
2:00 Riddle of the Ages
3:00 Brainiac II
3:45 Hold These Truths
4:30 Profiles in Courage
5:15 Courageous Dining
6:45 In Search of America
9:45 Snack Social
10:00 Quiet Sing
10:15 Journaling
10:30 Staff Meeting

Day Four ~ Why Am I? (Commitment)

7:50 Morning Remembrance III
8:00 Breakfast
8:30 Wall Street
9:00 Pack up / Clean up
9:30 Closing Steps
10:15 Discovery III / Greatest of Dreams
11:30 Rag-Tag Patriots
12:00 The Commitment Lunch
1:00 Group Photo and Good-byes
1:15 Staff Meeting

The staff of *Project American Life* is responsible for all programming ~ including starting each activity in timely fashion. All visiting adults are encouraged to observe or participate in all activities, but this is solely at their own discretion.

