



TRAVEL TO PANAMA SUMMER 2018!

Requested Tour Date: **July 10, 2018**
Requested Return Date: **July 17 2018**

Preservation in Panama, July, 2018
8 Days Panama City, Chitre

Students will learn about the importance Panama has had on the biological corridor between North and South America and the steps being taken to help preserve its species and unique environment while visiting a tropical research center, participating in a field research activity with a Smithsonian scientist, and exploring the Biomuseo and wildlife at the Metropolitan National Park.



Panama, referred to as the "bridge of life," separated 2 oceans and joined North and South America nearly 3 million years ago, resulting in the biodiversity found there today. Smaller than South Carolina, Panama hosts more species of birds and trees than all of North America.

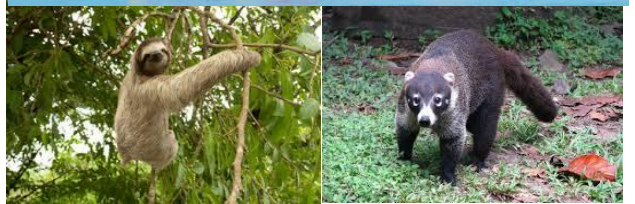
Tour Enrollment Meeting

Please join me for an informational meeting about the trip and learn about the incredible opportunities students will experience in Panama.

When: **Thursday, Feb 23rd**
Time: **4p.m.**
Where: **CIS – Science Lab**

Tour Highlights

- Participate in a field research activity with a Smithsonian scientist
- Visit the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute
- Visit the Biomuseo
- Visit Metropolitan National Park
- Visit Panama Viejo Ruins & Museum
- Visit Old Panama, Indian arts and crafts market and Casco Viejo
- See the Skyline from the Amador Causeway
- Visit the Miraflores Locks Visitor Center



----- **-Please fill out and return to Lisa Flores-** -----

Yes, I plan to attend the informational meeting about Panama at **4:00 pm on February 23, 2017**

I cannot make this meeting but am interested in hearing additional information. Please contact me to discuss.

I am not interested at this time.

Student Name: _____

Parent / Guardian Name: _____