

# San Antonio to Dallas College Tour 6-Day Tour

## Day One

Arrive in San Antonio and meet your tour manager and **deluxe motorcoach** – Time to be determined.

Lunch on own



Tour and information session at the **University of Texas at San Antonio -** With more than 28,400 students enrolled in 131 undergraduate and graduate degree programs, UTSA is the second-largest component in The University of Texas System and has been one of the state's fastest-growing public universities for much of the last decade. UTSA offers 64 bachelor's, 46 master's and 21 doctoral degree programs. The university's three campuses provide access and opportunity for large numbers of historically underserved students. More than 56 percent of UTSA's students come from groups underrepresented in higher education.

Late afternoon visit **Brakenridge Park and/or The Alamo.** A visit to the **The Alamo Quarry Market** 

A nice welcome **dinner** is included at the Canyon Café. Late day check into your hotel – Fairfield Marriott, Holiday Inn or similar.

Private security 10:00 PM - 5:00 AM

#### Day Two

Breakfast included at your hotel.



Morning tour and information session at Our Lady of the Lakes in San Antonio. Our Lady of the Lake University is a small, private university with a deep connection to the history and community of San Antonio. Founded in 1895, we have developed a reputation for our personal teaching style and for dual-language undergraduate programs in business, TV broadcasting, social work, psychology and communication and learning disorders. We are also famous for our beautiful, lakeside campus, which mixes historic buildings with a contemporary library, residence halls and technology infrastructure

Lunch on own.





**Tour of SAINT MARY'S UNIVERSITY -**\_St. Mary's University is a Catholic and Marianist liberal arts institution located on 135 acres (0.55 km2) northwest of historic downtown San Antonio. St. Mary's is a nationally recognized master's level school ranked among the top colleges in the West for best value and academic reputation by U.S. News and World Report. Founded by the Society of Mary in 1852, St. Mary's is the oldest Catholic university in Texas and the Southwest. With a diverse student population of nearly 4,000, St. Mary's is home to five schools: Humanities and Social Sciences; Science, Engineering and Technology; Bill Greehey School of Business; Graduate; and Law.

Enjoy a walk down the famous Riverwalk and a **Riverwalk Boat Tour**. **Dinner** included at Fuddruckers followed by some free time at the Rivercenter Mall. **Private security 10:00 PM – 5:00 AM** 

## Day Three

7:00 AM

Breakfast included at hotel prior to check out. Head to San Marcos.

9:30 AM

Tour and Information session **Texas State University at San Marcos** founded in 1899, it is part of the Texas State University System. The college has over 20,000 full time undergraduate students (plus over 8,000 part time and graduate students) and 98% of the graduates are from Texas. There is housing for over 7,000 students. Today the campus consists of 225 buildings on a 457-acre main campus and 4,777 additional acres in recreational, instructional, farm and ranch land.

**Depart for Austin** 

12:30 PM

Lunch included on Campus @ UT Austin



Tour and information session **University of Texas at Austin -** The University of Texas at Austin is one of the largest public universities in the United States. Founded in 1883, the university has grown from a single building, eight teachers, two departments and 221 students to a 350-acre main campus with 21,000 faculty and staff, 16 colleges and schools and almost 50,000 students. UT Autstin has an enrollment of 11,000 students and more than 3,500 master's and doctor's degrees awarded annually. More than 8,700 bachelor's degrees are awarded annually in more than 170 fields of study and 100 majors.

Photo stop at the State Capital in Austin

5:00 PM

Included dinner at Golden Corral

Travel to Waco TX

8:00 PM

Check into your hotel - Comfort Suites or similar.

Private security 10:00 PM - 5:00 AM

### Day Four

7:00 AM

Breakfast included at hotel prior to check out



Morning tour and information session at Baylor University in Waco - founded1845 and sits on 735 acres in Waco. It has an enrollment of over 14,000 students and almost 12,000 undergraduates from every state and approximately 70 foreign countries. There are 8 schools and over 145 undergraduate degree programs. The average class size is 29 with a student faculty ratio of 15:1. The mission of Baylor University is educate men and women for worldwide leadership and service by integrating academic excellence and Christian commitment within a caring community.

12:00 PM

Lunch on own at Baylor before departing for Dallas.

3:00 PM



Tour and information session at **SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY, Dallas** A private university of 11,000 students near the center of Dallas, SMU offers strong undergraduate, graduate, and professional programs through seven schools — in the humanities and sciences; business; the performing, visual, and communication arts; engineering; education and human development; law; and theology.

Dinner included at the Hard Rock Café
Check into your hotel near Dallas/Fort Worth – Springhill Suites or similar.
Private security 10:00 PM – 5:00 AM

**Day Five** 

8:00 AM 10:00 AM

Breakfast included at your hotel

Tour and information session of the **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT ARLINGTON**, **Dallas** sets the standard for educational excellence in the thriving Dallas-Fort Worth area. Through life-enhancing research, innovative teaching and community service, UT Arlington Mavericks challenge convention and transform the world in which they live. Classified as a Carnegie Research University/High Activity, UT Arlington rigorously pursues solutions to today's most complex problems. The University fosters an active learning environment for its 28,000 students, who pursue more than 180 bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees

within 10 colleges and schools.

12:00 PM

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Included lunch on campus.



Guided tour and information session at **Paul Quinn College** - Paul Quinn - founded by a small group of African Methodist Episcopal preachers in Austin, Texas on April 4, 1872. The school's original purpose was to educate freed slaves and their offspring. In 1877, the College moved from Austin to Waco, Texas, and was renamed Waco College. Later, renamed for Bishop William Paul Quinn, A.M.E. and is now in Dallas. The school has under 1,000 students of which 700 can be accommodated in on campus housing. The 130-acre campus is in an urban area 12 miles from downtown Dallas. Including residence halls there are 8 buildings.

5:30 PM

Visit **Dallas Speedzone** - enjoy unlimited racing, Fireball, video games and miniature golf for two hours plus a pizza buffet and beverages.

Private security 10:00 PM - 5:00 AM

Day Six

Included breakfast prior to check out

Group will be transferred to the airport for the return flight home – Dallas or back to San Antonio.

#### **Tour Includes:**

Round trip transportation – airport to airport including driver gratuity

(5) nights' hotel, taxes and private security

Meals: 5 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 5 dinners.

Coordination of college visits

1 Teacher chaperones at comp per 10 paying – double for double – single for odd #'s

1 Tour Manager including customary gratuities

Admissions as listed on the itinerary.

**Note:** At times Restaurant menus may change at the discretion of the Restaurant Management. These circumstances are beyond our control.

ALL TOURS AND RESERVATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY BASED UPON TIME OF BOOKING.