



**Gateway
Middle School
Athletics & Activities**

January 25, 2019

Dear Eighth Grade Parents:

Plans are being made for the 8th grader's last day of school. We will again be taking the students on a class trip to Cedar Point. The trip will take place on Friday, May 24, 2019. This is the last day of school for students in the Maumee City Schools. Students who join us on the trip will report to school in the morning as usual. We leave Gateway at 9:00 am and return to Gateway at 10:00 pm. **Students who do not attend the trip will be required to attend the last day of school here at Gateway.** Teachers will have plans and activities for those students who do not go to Cedar Point.

The cost for admission and transportation to Cedar Point is \$50.00. Maumee school busses will transport the students to and from Cedar Point. Students attending this trip will be required to pay for the event in advance. **We will not be able to honor Cedar Point passes or other tickets not purchased through Gateway for this school field trip.**

If you would like your child to participate in this year's school trip to Cedar Point, please make payment of \$50.00 no later than Friday, March 1, 2019. Make checks payable to Gateway Middle School. Please write the name of the student in the memo line of the check. Cash payments should be placed in an envelope with the student name on the front and the notation "Cedar Point" below their name. We are required to order the exact amount of tickets necessary. **No refunds are available**, but a student unable to attend will have their ticket validated for use at the park anytime in the 2019 season. All Cedar Point money will be turned in to the Counselor's Office here at Gateway. The secretary in the Guidance Counselor's Office, Ms. Jen Opaczewski, will handle all Cedar Point checks and cash.

At the end of April or early in May, students who paid their money will receive details of the trip. This will be the 31st year that Gateway 8th graders have ended their time in our building with a class trip to Cedar Point. The kids really enjoy the experience of taking this trip with their classmates and friends here at school.

If you have any questions about the Cedar Point class trip, contact me here at school.

Thank you.

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