

Welcome to Austin, Texas, the live music capital of the world! One of the largest cities in the United States and the state capital of Texas, Austin is home to world-class museums, unbelieveable urban parks, unique attractions, and legendary Texas pride!

#### Greenheart's Austin Group Program Includes:

- Placement with volunteer host families, including all meals
- Two full-day excursions to Dallas and San Antonio, and a full-day excursion in an American high school
- Twelve hours of English/American culture class per week
- · Several afternoon recreational and cultural activities
- Welcome and farewell parties, and a Greenheart volunteer project
- Airport transfers and all transport throughout the program
- One free leader is included with groups of at least ten participants

#### Full-Day Excursions:

- Visit an American high school with a local student, and get to know what it's like to attend school in the United States.
- San Antonio, Texas: Just a short drive from Austin, visit one of Texas' most historic cities and see attractions like The Alamo and the River Walk.
- Dallas, Texas: Students will visit one of the United States' largest cities and see attractions like The Sixth Floor Museum, Dallas World Aquarium, and Reunion Tower!

#### Half-Day Excursions:

- Visit the Bullock Texas State History Museum to learn more about Texas' history and culture
- Texas State Capitol Tour, for a sneak peek at local government
- Lakeline Mall Shopping Day
- University of Texas at Austin, tour of one of the largest public universities in the United States

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## Group in Austin, Texas

### Sample Activities



#### University of Texas at Austin

One of the country's top public universities, and referred to as a "Public Ivy", UT Austin has more than 100 undergraduate degree program offerings. Its more than 50,000 students come from all 50 states and more than 120 countries, making it one of the most diverse schools in the United States.

### Bullock Texas State History Museum

With artifacts spanning more than 13,000 years from the first inhabitants of the area to 21<sup>st</sup> century space exploration, the exhibitions explore Texas history and the state's relationship to the world. Spain, France, and Mexico all once claimed the region. History, science, technology, and culture are all examined here.

### San Antonio Full-Day Excursion

Students will see one of Texas' most historic cities and home of The Alamo! A UNESCO World Heritage Site and the site of the famous 1836 battle, The Alamo is Texas' most visited historic landmark. Students will also stroll down the tree-lined banks of the San Antonio River Walk

#### Dallas Full-Day Excursion

Students will take a day trip to Dallas, one of the largest cities in the United States! They will go to the top of Reunion Tower for a 360-degree view of the city and all its landmarks; and they will see the Dallas World Aquarium with over 600,000 gallons of water filled with sharks, stingrays, manatees, and more. Students will tour the Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza, which examines the life, times, death, and legacy of President John F. Kennedy, one of America's



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					Students Arrive to DFW – Transfer to host community	Free Time with Host Family Welcome Party
Free Time with Host Family	8:00-12:00: Orientation and English/American Culture Class  Activity: Movie Outing	8:00-12:00: English/American Culture Class Activity: Lakeline Mall Shopping Day	8:00-12:00: English/American Culture Class  Afternoon: Greenheart Volunteer Project	8:00-12:00: English/American Culture Class Activity: University of Texas at Austin Visit	Full-Day Excursion San Antonio, Texas: River Walk and The Alamo	Free Time with Host Family
Free Time with Host Family	Full-Day Excursion High School Visit with American Buddy	Full-Day Excursion High School Visit with American Buddy	8:00-12:00: English/American Culture Class  Afternoon: Free Time with Host Family	8:00-12:00: English/American Culture Class Activity: <b>Bowling</b>	Full-Day Excursion Dallas, Texas: Dallas World Aquarium, Sixth Floor Museum, Reunion Tower, and more!	Free Time with Host Family
Free Time with Host Family	8:00-12:00: English/American Culture Class  Activity: Texas State Capitol and Bullock Texas State History Museum	8:00-12:00: English/American Culture Class Farewell Party	Students Depart from DFW			

Please note: Program activities are customizable and subject to change based on dates and availability.