



When: Sat. March 14—Sat. March 21, 2026

Where: Navajo Reservation, NM

Team: Space is limited to a team of 38 people (which includes students and leaders)

Age: For high school students and older. Yes parents are invited if they want to be leaders.

Planning Timeline

October 2025

Oct. 2 | Info & Team Meeting | 4:15pm
(Open to anyone going or interested still)

November 2025

Nov. 2 | Team Meeting | 4:15pm
Work Day Fundraiser (raking leaves)

December 2025

Dec 7 | Team Meeting | 4:15pm
Texas Road House Rolls Fundraiser
Dec. 28 | Final sign up & drop out date

January 2026

Jan. 4 | Team Meeting | 4:15pm
Jan. 31 | 50% of your total is due

February 2026

Feb. 1 | Team Meeting | 4:15pm
Feb. 8 | SOUPer Bowl Fundraiser

March 2026

Mar. 1 | Team Meeting | 4:15pm
Mar. 1 | 100% of your total is due
Sending prayer Sunday (before we go)

Team Meetings

(1st Sunday of each month | 4:15pm)

These required meetings are for anyone going on the trip (parents are welcomed but not required). They will meet before AXIS each week.

What About Travel?

We will be renting vans and using them throughout the trip. It's about a 12 hour drive to the reservation.

Why Go on this Mission Trip?

A mission trip is a life-changing experience that grows faith, opens eyes, and ignites passion for God's mission. Nothing compares to how it shapes students spiritually, unites the ministry, and fuels a heart for the lost when they return home. At Ridgepoint Students, mission trips are a pillar of our ministry—we desire every student to experience one before they graduate.

Why During Spring Break?

Our summers are full of vacations, camps, and other events to competes. And we have found it easier to go to hotter climate areas during the spring.

The Participant Requirements?

- Must have a passion to grow their faith in Jesus
- Must be regular attending AXIS
- Have family health insurance
- Attend all team meetings
- Meet all financial needs & applications
- Share your testimony/story with team

How Will the Team be Formed?

Each person must fill out the online application form with their parents by December 28. However, since spots are limited (max 38), the team will be divided into two levels:

The first level is "first-come, first-served" with the application so don't wait to apply online (max of 38 spots). The second level involves providing preference with upperclassmen, as underclassmen (freshmen/sophomore) will have other opportunities in the future.

What is the Estimated Cost and What Does it All Include?

\$790 per person. This will include all lodging, food, transportation, ministry supplies, t-shirt, and even a fun day .

What About Fundraising?

Fundraisers have already been planned and \$4,000 has been set aside from our budget to help bring down the cost. Here are some planned fundraisers:

WORK DAYS (Nov.): People will sign up jobs for us to do over the weekend.

TEXAS ROADHOUSE ROLLS (Dec.): Selling frozen rolls for \$8 a dozen

SOUPer BOWL (Feb.): People will bring crockpots of soup for donations

MONTHLY BAKE SALES: Second Sunday of every month & 100% profit

DILLION'S REWARDS: Earn by shopping at Dillon's

More: ridgepointwichita.com/fundraising

Who are Adventures in Missions?

Adventures in Missions is an interdenominational ministry focused on discipleship through prayer and relationships. Since 1989, over 160,000 people have joined us on mission trips—ranging from a week to a year—serving through ministry bases and partnerships worldwide. Adventures.org





What Should We Know?

Native Americans are the #1 poverty group in America today. With only 3%–5% of Native Americans being Christians, Christianity is considered to be the “White Man’s religion”. Violence is 5 times the national average on the rez. Death from drugs, alcohol, suicide and automobile accidents are a daily occurrence. The unemployment rate can be as high as 90%. The number of Native Americans incarcerated is at times 4 times the national average.

Sleeping Accommodations

Floor-sleeping in a secure partner church with bunk beds and bedding provided.

Where will our team serve?

- VBS and kids ministry
- Sports camp
- Home visits
- Food distribution
- Homeless ministry
- Prayer walking
- Construction and maintenance

What About Safety?

Adventures in Missions (AIM) has a dedicated Risk Management team, trusted consultants, and ministry partners who monitor safety and provide location-specific guidelines. Teams follow AIM safety protocols, and Mission Leaders—trained and experienced—work alongside group leaders to guide, protect, and care for participants. Together, they ensure every student is safe and supported while serving.

The Navajo Nation is the largest US Indian tribe, with about 106,800 living in New Mexico. The area you will be staying in is commonly referred to as “checkerboard” with the land divided up between tribal and nontribal all though this territory. The Navajo people are typically shy and slow to warm up. This is seen more in the older generations than in the children. Spiritual warfare is evident on the reservation. The people in the Navajo community are desperately in need of Jesus and spiritual direction.

We will come alongside our ministry partners that serve the Navajo people near a reservation in the high desert of northwestern New Mexico at an elevation of 7,200 feet. There are a few mission trip opportunities serving the Native American community in New Mexico. Ranging from a kid’s summer camp with lots of hands-on service work to VBS and sports evangelism, our New Mexico mission trip opportunities are full of activity!

A Native American Indian Mission Trip is 95–100% relational. Most Native Americans are resistant to Christianity, and many consider it to be “the white man’s religion.” With a history of Christianity being forced on them, only 3%–5% of Native Americans are Christians today. Building relationships is the path to the place where they are open to hearing about Jesus. They need to know they can have a personal experience and a loving relationship with Jesus that will lead to hope and purpose. Come be a part of what Jesus is already doing within these Navajo communities!

Daily Schedule

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| 7:00 AM | Breakfast & Devo |
| MORNING | Food pantry or Homeless Ministry |
| 12:00 PM | Lunch |
| AFTERNOON | Construction, Kids Ministry, or Outreach |
| 5:00 PM | Supper |
| EVENING | Debrief and Worship |



Must apply online by Dec. 28 at the latest at
ridgepointwichita.com/HMission