Information Session

9/9-10/14
Nacho Hour - Coates University Center, Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30

10/2/15:
Alternative Break Presentation for Fall Family Weekend
4:30-5:30—Waxahachie Room

Application due 10/19/2015

Remarks from previous participants

“It was an experience of a lifetime that I will never forget!”
L.W., First-year

“I learned so much!”
T.L., Senior

“This trip was absolutely so impactful and memorable!”
H. M., Sophomore

For any questions about Alternative Spring Break in Dominica, please contact

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Alternative Spring Break in Dominica


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**The Week at a Glance**

**Saturday—March 12**

Land in Dominica and take a quick tour on the way to the beautiful retreat house. This will include a visit to the Carib Territory, the only place in the Caribbean where native (pre-Columbian) people still live. It is the poorest place in the Western Hemisphere outside of Haiti. We'll spend time with a family that makes and sells baskets.

**Sunday—March 13**

Take a tour of the west side of the country. Bring your swimsuits as afterwards we’ll go to a wonderful tropical beach!

**Monday—March 14**

Start on service project at local school. This will revolve around special education and literacy. After the school day ends we’ll head to beautiful Emerald Pool afterwards and explore the natural wonder in the rainforest.

**Tuesday—March 15**

Continue on service project at local school. After the school day ends we’ll explore the capital city, its shops, government buildings, Botanic Garden and Dominican Museum.

**Wednesday—March 16**

Continue on service project at local school. After the school day ends we’ll head out to visit a school as well as some natural wonders in the south part of the island!

**Thursday—March 17**

Continue and complete service project at local school. We will visit to Titou Gorge and explore some of the rainforest.

**Friday—March 18**

Final day in Dominica. In the late afternoon we’ll leave this beautiful place and head back to Trinity.

**Guest Speakers after lunch may consist of:**

- The Prime Minister
- Executive Director of the Dominica Association of Persons with Disabilities.
- Associate Peace Corps Director
- British High Commissioner and Director of Lifeline Ministries

**Earn Course Credit**

You have the option to enroll in: EDUC1110–Service-Learning in Education (1 credit) and/or

INTL-2103-Alternative Spring Break (1 credit) or

Taking this adventure as a co-curricular activity.

Whether you choose to take ASB for 0, 1, or 2 credits, you will be required to attend hour-long sessions every Thursday at 5:00 p.m. starting January 14 in SML102.

**Payment Plan**

10/19/15: Deposit of $100 due with application
11/16/15: $500 payment
1/19/16: $500 payment
2/15/16: $500 payment
Total Cost: $1,600
Total Value:

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