

NCYC FAQs

How do we get to Indianapolis?

Parents are responsible for getting their students to Bradley International Airport in Hartford by 9:30am on Thursday November 20th. From there we'll fly south to Baltimore for a quick layover and then on over to Indianapolis. Ground transportation has been arranged to get the students to the hotel. From there, we'll be pedestrians for the rest of the conference.

How will my child eat?

Most likely with their hands. Your child will have access to numerous food outlets and restaurants during our journey. Snacks, lattes, and milkshakes are unplanned expenses so please review those tempting situations with your child. For the rest of the meals, here is the suggested meal budget (\$135) for the weekend. Feel free to increase or decrease spending depending on your child's eating habits. Herbivores and carnivores are on their own to monitor any dietary restrictions.

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Breakfast: on your own	Breakfast: included with hotel	Breakfast: included with hotel	Breakfast: \$15 at Airport
Lunch: \$15 at Airport	Lunch: \$15 at NCYC	Lunch: \$15 at NCYC	Lunch/Snack: \$15 at Airport
Dinner: \$20 at NCYC	Dinner: \$20 at NCYC	Dinner: \$20 at NCYC	Dinner: at home!

What to pack?

Participants will be able to check a bag for free on our Southwest flight and we encourage participants to take only what is necessary. It is November in Indianapolis, so snow is not out of the question. Lucas Oil Stadium can run cold, so a hoodie might be handy. Check the Indianapolis forecast the week of to make prudent packing decisions. Please do not wear anything revealing, skintight, or with holes in it. This is a church function. Jeans and short of an appropriate length are OK. Participants will be getting their steps in, so wear comfortable footwear. Deodorant, toothbrush, and toothpaste are required. Flossing is optional but encouraged.

How does my child get home?

Parents are responsible for picking their students up at Bradley International Airport in Hartford. Our plane (Southwest flight WN -1332) should land at 1:20pm. With baggage claim, we should be out of the airport no later than 1:45pm/2:00pm. Stay in touch with your teens and we'll encourage them to text you before take offs and after landings.

Complete flight schedule as of 8/5/25:

Trip	Route		Flight number	Departure date	Arrival date
Departing <small>1 Stop</small>	BDL	BWI	WN - 1439	20 Nov 2025 12:10	20 Nov 2025 13:30
	BWI	IND	WN - 1690	20 Nov 2025 14:50	20 Nov 2025 16:40
Returning <small>1 Stop</small>	IND	TPA	WN - 3073	23 Nov 2025 07:30	23 Nov 2025 09:50
	TPA	BDL	WN - 1332	23 Nov 2025 10:40	23 Nov 2025 13:20

We understand that traffic does occur and life gets crazy. But please be on time to retrieve your student in Hartford.