

MELANATED ADVENTURZ

Family Legacy Adventure Starter Guide

Five steps to plan a trip that brings generations together.

ADVENTURE WITH PURPOSE • DREAM BIGGER THAN YOUR ZIP CODE

BEGIN WITH MEANING

Start with your people

A family trip can be more than a change of scenery. Start with the connection you want everyone to carry home.

01 Name the purpose

Choose one shared intention: celebrate a milestone, reconnect across generations, explore family roots, rest together, or introduce young people to new possibilities.

02 Listen across generations

Ask children, parents, grandparents and chosen family what would make the experience meaningful and comfortable for them. Build in different levels of activity.

FAMILY CONVERSATION STARTERS

- What family story do you want the next generation to know?
- What is one place you have always wanted us to experience together?
- What would make this trip feel welcoming for every age?

SHAPE THE EXPERIENCE

Choose the right adventure

03 Pick your travel style

Culture and heritage, a reunion celebration, a relaxing retreat, a student or college discovery trip, or a mix of these: choose a style that fits your family rather than trying to do everything.

04 Set the practical details

Agree on a comfortable budget range, preferred dates, departure city, accessibility needs, transportation, lodging, meal preferences and a clear decision maker.

YOUR FIRST PLANNING NOTES

Our purpose: _____

Travel style or destination: _____

Who should be included: _____

Ideal season and budget range: _____

BRING IT HOME

Make the memories last

05 Plan one legacy moment

Create space for a family photo, a shared meal, a conversation with elders, a student reflection, or a short recording of stories. The most meaningful moment may be simple.

A simple next-step checklist

- ☐ Choose two possible dates and a budget range.
- ☐ Ask relatives what matters most to them.
- ☐ Decide who will coordinate family communication.
- ☐ Pick one experience that connects to your purpose.
- ☐ Save the stories and photos when you get home.

Let us shape the experience with you.

Melanated Adventurz creates purposeful group travel, family experiences, student enrichment and retreats. Start the conversation at melanatedadventurz.com.