## LAST MINUTE REMINDERS

The following reminders will help ensure that your field study is a safe, fun, & positive experience:

- Clear expectations concerning classes and behavior will provide a more valuable field study. Our classes are not as formal as school, but we expect students to be on task during their studies.
- Please cover the items on the "rules" list with your students and chaperones. We will have a brief review upon arrival.
- The Blue Ridge staff is not responsible for the students during recreation time or while the students are in the dorms. If you come up with a plan ahead of time for adults during recreation time, it will be less hectic for everyone. The dorms, 4-Square courts, and basketball courts should always be supervised.
- There is no smoking allowed in the rooms or in class (please inform chaperones and bus drivers).
- Don't expect to get cell phone reception anywhere on our campus.
- Rooms must be emptied and cleaned before breakfast on your day of departure. Cleaning and/or damage fees may be assessed if necessary.
- Remind bus drivers of the day and time to pick you up!
- Flip-flop sandals can not be worn to any classes. Sandals that wrap around the ankle are acceptable for classes.
- Please be prepared for any weather (rain gear, sunscreen, cold evenings, etc.)
- Remind students they must bring a reusable, refillable water bottle!
- Don't forget your OWN bags! Often the adults are so worried about their kids that they forget something of their own.
- Upon arrival, the busses need to be unloaded with boys and their luggage gathered on the chapel side of the parking lot and the girls and their luggage opposite. If you can help facilitate this, move in will go more smoothly.

Thank you for bringing your students to Blue Ridge. We appreciate the amount of effort that goes into planning a field study. Please call us at (706) 886-7621 or email(blueridge@alltel.net) if you have any questions or concerns. We look forward to working with you and your students!