



### **FOOD**

- Cincinnati-Style Chili
- Goetta + Goettafest
- Graeter's Ice Cream

### **SPORTS**

- Cincinnati Reds
- Cincinnati Bengals
- FC Cincinnati
- Cincinnati Cyclones
- Florence Y'alls





### **FUN**

- Fowling Warehouse
- Vent Haven Ventriloquist Museum
- Blink Festival + No. 1 City for Street Art
- Jungle Jims

### **FAITH**

- Ark Encounter
- Creation Museum
- Mother of God Catholic Church
- Cathedral Basilica





Make the most of your STEM-based experiences in the Cincy Region with the trifecta of Northern Kentucky University (NKU), University of Cincinnati, and Gateway Community & Technical College. Students can immerse themselves in interactive simulations for HVAC, Welding, Electrical, Al, and Cybersecurity.



Check out our Quick Reference Guide for helpful information for all stages of planning a trip to the Cincy region







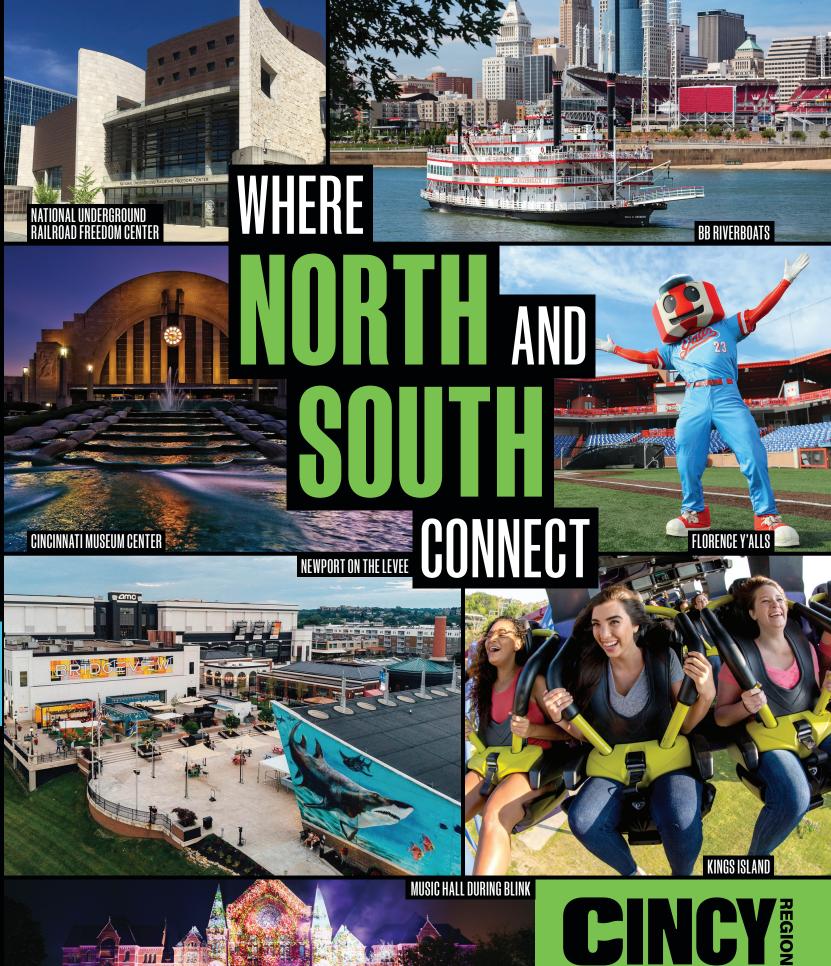


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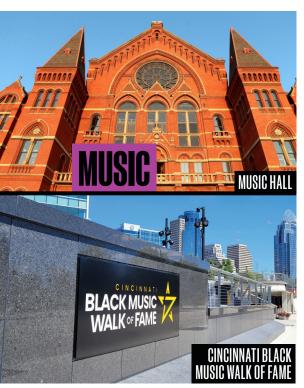
The Cincy Region is the intersection of the North and the South, where cultural encounters provide a spirited adventure. Perfect for a long stay group experience or a short stay stop over, the region will wow with historical, artistic, and memorable group offerings.

# SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!

The Cincy Region truly has something for everyone, offering big-city energy without the big-city price tag. With two vibrant, walkable cities—Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky—seamlessly connected by a scenic bridge, it's easy to explore unique neighborhoods, local eats, and cultural hotspots all in a day. Students can have a big city experience at a fraction of the cost of other major metros. It's the perfect mix of affordability, accessibility, and adventure.

Tours are available as guided walking tours or step-on bus tours, making it easy to tailor the experience to your group's needs and pace.





Cincy is a place where music reigns. Whether enjoying national & local acts at riverfront venues like Andrew J. Brady Music Center, or MegaCorp Pavilion at OVATION, or catching a concert at the iconic Riverbend Music Center, you will take away an impactful musical experience. Musical performances are elevated at the historic Music Hall, home of the Cincinnati Symphony and Opera.



The arts of the Cincy Region will liven any visit. With more public art in a four-mile radius than many cities in the world, free art museums like the **Cincinnati Art Museum** and the unique **Cincinnati Contemporary Art Center**, there is plenty to enjoy. Art is more than visuals in Cincy; it includes performances at the **Aronoff Center for the Arts**, home of Broadway in Cincy, along with the ballet and musicals. **The Cincinnati Shakespeare Company** brings the Bard to life along with Dickens, Coward and others in a unique compact setting.



There is so much to discover in Cincy including our world class Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden and Newport Aquarium, both top rated in the country. Learn more about American history through signage at the American Sign Museum and explore many museums together in one iconic building at the Cincinnati Museum Center, home of the Cincinnati History Museum, Museum of Natural History & Science, the Cincinnati Children's Museum and the truly impactful Nancy & David Wolf Holocaust & Humanity Center. Journey to the top of Covington's Devou Park for one of our most unique museums, the Behringer-Crawford Museum, where visitors can explore its collection of unusual curiosities—like a preserved 2 headed calf, a shrunken head, and a giant hairball. Big Bone Lick State Park, home to a herd of bison, preserves natural salt springs and Ice Age bone deposits, earning the nickname "birthplace of American vertebrate paleontology. The spirit of fun is alive in the Cincy Region. Experience thrills at one of the top amusement parks in the world, Kings Island. Dine at a sprawling food hall, shop boutique retailers, play pickleball or relax at the bark park, all at Factory 52.





As the north ends and the south begins, Cincy offers a unique perspective on history. Make sure to include the **National Underground Railroad Museum** dedicated to telling the true story of the Underground Railroad and the impact it had in this region. **The Harriet Beecher Stowe House**, another wonderful addition to any itinerary, showcases her abolitionist works including the novel Uncle Tom's Cabin, the spark that lit the Civil War. The Cincy Region is bursting with rich history and unique experiences waiting to be explored!

Experience our famous **Gangster Tour**, dive into the past with guided city tours (step on or walking) across Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky, or uncover eerie tales on one of our **Haunted or History Tours**.



The Kentucky Faith Trail, a self-guided spiritual and historical journey with 11 curated stops, including: the Creation Museum, Ark Encounter, Mother of God Catholic Church, and Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption, showcases the state's rich religious heritage.

## GROUP BENEFITS

- Welcome Gifts for all passengers delivered to your host hotel when arranged before arrival.
- Many hotel partners offer complimentary bus driver accommodations and generous complimentary room allotment.
- Itinerary planning services available for unique step-on guide offerings or city tours.
- Single point of contact for both sides of the river in this unique multi-state destination.

### PFRFORMANCF SPACFS

If you are planning an itinerary in the region with options for a student performance, Cincy has the spaces that will make your group sing!

### DOWNTOWN

Smale Park on the Cincy Riverfront International Friendship Park Piatt Park Lytle Park

### NORTHERN KENTUCKY

Covington Landing on the Covington Riverfront Amphitheater in Devou Park Fort Thomas Tower Park Amphitheater Newport on the Levee

So many places to perform and explore in Cincy including available clinics from the Cincinnati Symphony, three major universities, Cincinnati Opera and Ballet as well as festivals dedicated to music in the region.

Make sure to ask your Cincy region expert for more information.