

A large tree on the left is wrapped in white lights. To the right is a log cabin display with a porch, decorated for Christmas. People are visible around the tree and near the cabin. The sky is a clear, dark blue.

Spend a day in the Christmas Capital of Texas[®]

Day Tour Sample Itinerary

SUGGESTED ITINERARY:

Timing of itinerary is flexible

9:30 a.m.

First stop, the Grapevine Convention & Visitors Bureau where your group will enjoy a nostalgic “Hometown Christmas” exhibit and a Christmas-themed Model Railroad display.

10 a.m.

Visit the Settlement to City Museums to explore Grapevine’s enchanting past.

10:45 a.m.

Experience a Grapevine Step-on Guided Tour and learn all about this historic town and how it became the Christmas Capital of Texas. **not available on weekends*

11:15 a.m.

Take in the magnificent 360-degree view of the surrounding Grapevine area with the Grapevine Observation Tower Tour at Grapevine Main Station.

11:45 a.m.

Enjoy lunch at one of Grapevine popular eateries:

- Harvest Hall, a European-style food hall designed after the grand train stations of the 19th century.
- Willhoite’s Restaurant, complete with the original gas pump out front and a Model T Ford hanging over the Texas-sized buffet.

12:45 p.m.

Free time in Grapevine’s Historic Main Street District to take in all the magnificent Christmas décor and window displays, as well as explore the local shops, galleries, winery-tasting rooms and more.

- Be sure to pop in to the North Pole Express neighborhood and visit Vetro Glass Blowing Studio, where they make beautiful Christmas ornaments, and maybe even say hello to Santa inside the North Pole Express General Store.

2:30 p.m.

Board bus and depart for Historic Nash Farm, where you can experience a Victorian Christmas the way the early settlers of Grapevine did.

4 p.m.

Depart Grapevine, or if time allows, we recommend a stop at the Gaylord Texan Resort for their Lone Star Christmas decorations and activities, including ICE!, a dazzling display of larger-than-life sculptures, thrilling ice slides and awe-inspiring tunnels all carved from ice.

