

# World View Study Visit to Senegal, June 15-26, 2008

*Co-sponsored by the African Studies Center, UNC at Chapel Hill*



The World View Study Visit to Senegal is planned as professional development for teachers and administrators. The travel you undertake will be for the purpose of improving your skills and insights as an educator. You will visit schools and colleges, discuss topics of common interest with Senegalese educators, and immerse yourself in a new culture. We plan to have a wonderful time seeing the sights and enjoying the excitement Senegal offers travelers, but the heart of our visit will be contact with schools and teachers. **This is not a tourist trip.**

Estimated cost is \$3,500, including round-trip airfare from RDU to Dakar, transport within Senegal, accommodations (double occupancy), entrance fees to museums and cultural sites, visits to schools, services of a local guide, some meals, supplemental health insurance, and briefing materials.

All activities will be planned with cultural and educational value in mind. You must take part in all scheduled group activities during the study visit. Activities will include:

- Visits to local schools and colleges
- Lectures on education and culture of Senegal
- Lessons in Wolof, the traditional language of Senegal
- Tour of Dakar
- Visit to Goree Island, the House of Slaves, and the "Door of No Return"
- Tour of Saint Louis, old colonial capital
- Visits to Tuba and Tivaoune, en route to Saint Louis
- Traditional musical performance

*Schedule is subject to change.*

## Eligibility:

- *Priority is given to World View Partners, first-time travelers, and those who have had only minimal travel experience abroad. If you have already traveled on a World View Study Visit, you are not eligible for this trip.*
- You should have the desire and the capacity to become a leader for global education in your school, college, or system. This is a serious commitment to advancing global education.
- You must read the assigned texts on the region and participate in the spring seminar on Africa in Chapel Hill on March 26-27, 2008. The texts and the seminar are essential preparation for your study visit.
- At the conclusion of the study visit, you must create an Action Plan for the infusion of learning from your study visit into your teaching or administration.

*To qualify for this study visit, you must be a K-12 or college educator in a school or college working with World View. You must also be a U.S. citizen with a passport valid through at least six months after this study visit to Senegal.*

**For more information and an application,  
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**Applications must be submitted via email, fax, or mail by December 15, 2007**