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## Florida Virtual School® Students Enjoy Field Trip Outings

Orlando, FL (Feb. 17, 2017) – Florida Virtual School (FLVS®), a statewide public school district in Florida, recently provided their students the opportunity to attend various field trips out into their communities. On Friday, February 10, FLVS FLEX Elementary students from all across the state gathered with their classmates and teachers to visit local venues. Even though the students learn virtually, FLVS understands the importance of having students out in their community to see and experience first-hand what they are learning in class.

The Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade FLVS FLEX students visited various places such as the Museum of Discovery and Science in Ft. Lauderdale. In Jacksonville, students stopped by the Jacksonville Zoo. Other students visited Lake Wales and went to Bok Tower Gardens. Students also went to the Gulf Marine Specimen Lab in Tallahassee. In Tampa, the students took a trip to the Museum of Science and Industry (MOSI). In addition, students in Orlando visited the Orlando Science Center.



"Field trips are one more avenue FLVS Flex Elementary uses to connect students, families and staff," said Sarah Sprinkel, principal of the FLVS FLEX Elementary program. "The students quickly warm up to each other and share great school experiences while making long lasting memories of seeing and talking to their teacher in real life and meeting the classmates they have heard and sometimes seen on Morning Announcements. The family atmosphere is refreshing and rewarding for everyone who participates. We can't wait for the next one!"

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# **About FLVS**

Florida Virtual School® (FLVS®) is a fully accredited, statewide public school district offering more than 150 courses to Kindergarten-12 students. Its certified teachers use a variety of personalized instructional programs to create individualized educational plans for every student. Since 1997, FLVS students have successfully completed more than 3.1 million semester enrollments. FLVS also provides its courseware and expertise to online and blended learning programs across the nation. Services include content licensing, FLVS Global School, District Virtual Schools, digital learning labs, and professional development. As a not-for-profit, FLVS reinvests revenue into the development of new educational technologies and the creation of the highest-quality courses, benefiting students in Florida and beyond. To learn more, visit <a href="https://www.flvs.net">www.flvs.net</a>.

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