



Travel Information Continental Divide Alpine Backpacking– 15 Days

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MEETING PLACE:

1:30 PM Mountain Time

Denver International Airport (DIA) Baggage Claim –18
Jeppesen (Main) Terminal, Level 5

or

Cellphone Waiting Lot
E 77th Ave, Denver, CO 80249

COURSE START:

A COBS representative will be available at Baggage Claim 18 on Level 5, from approximately 10:00 AM - 1:30 PM for students flying. If you fly, you will be required to take extra precautions while traveling including wearing personal protective equipment like a KN95 mask and goggles for your safety and the safety of your future crew. Closer to course start you will receive specific COVID-19 travel safety protocol.

Students can be dropped off at the Cellphone Waiting Lot near the Dunkin' Donuts outside airport between 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM. We cannot accommodate picking up or dropping off students from other locations.

Staff will be wearing a COBS t-shirt and display a COBS banner. They will ensure everyone has arrived and will be available to answer any last-minute questions. Parents will be notified only if a student does not arrive as expected. Participants not fully confirmed by their Course Advisor will not be allowed in the van.

Please be ready to go, having eaten and made any necessary phone calls before 1:30 PM. Please send your student with cash or a credit card to use for purchasing food/snacks on travel days. Expect to be in the van for multiple hours. Again, please DO NOT MISS THE VAN. It is extremely difficult to get late participants to the course start.

COURSE END:

The bus will transport participants back to Denver International Airport (DIA) with an approximate arrival at 10:00AM. Outward Bound staff will be available in the airport to assist students until 4:00 PM. We cannot guarantee that you will be able to make a flight departing before 12:30 PM.

Parents may pick students up at Baggage Claim 18 between 10:30 AM – 11:00 AM. This is the only pick up location.

UNACCOMPANIED MINOR PROVISION:

Some airlines require this provision, while other airlines allow you to elect into this service. This is a service in which the airline will directly chaperone your child and which requires our personnel to pick up your child at the arrival gate. If you use this service, (whether required or electively), we must strictly adhere to specific flight times. For arrivals, flights for Unaccompanied Minors must arrive after 10:00 AM and before 1:00 PM. For departures, flights must depart after 12:30 PM and before 4:00 PM. For more information on travel to course start please read "Attending Outward Bound".

TRAVEL PROBLEMS AND EMERGENCY CONTACT:

If you encounter problems with your travel plans that will delay your arrival to Denver, we can help troubleshoot solutions so that you can get to your course start. During office hours, call your course advisor for assistance. After hours, call our 24-hour voice mailbox at 720.381.6589 and follow the prompts for a travel delay on a Colorado program. The mail boxes are checked regularly and you will receive a call back as indicated by the outgoing message. In the event of an emergency (such as a death in the family) where you need to reach a student who is on course call 720.381.6589 and follow the prompts for critical emergency for a student currently on a course. This will route to an on-call cell phone and you will get a prompt return call as indicated by the message.