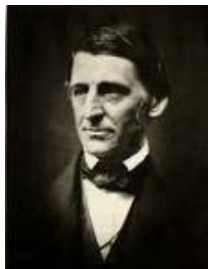


AMHERST SUMMER EXCURSIONS



7/4 - The Fourth of July will be a day of celebration as we head out to [Six Flags](#), New England (formerly Riverside) to play all day at the best amusement park in New England! Following our fun there, we'll head back to the town of Amherst's fireworks display, a Great Books tradition for years running!



7/11- In our behind the scenes tour of historic Concord, MA, we'll explore sites such as Monument Square, Sleepy Hollow Cemetery and Walden Pond with one of our favorite academic directors, Michael Goodwin. Join us as we immerse ourselves in the rich literary history of Ralph Waldo Emerson, Louisa May Alcott, and of course, Henry David Thoreau. [Interactive Map of Concord, MA](#)



7/18 - Travel to Boston, where we'll walk part of the [Freedom Trail](#), receiving a guided tour of the most famous sites in this historical city before spending the afternoon at the [New England Aquarium](#), then finishing off the day with a tour of [Harvard](#), before we head back to campus.



7/25 - Have your mind blown at [MASS MoCA](#), Western Massachusetts's premier museum of contemporary art. Then we'll travel to Ashfield, MA, to see the farm compound and performance space of the world-renowned [Double Edge Theatre Company](#) performing their summer spectacular of "The Arabian Nights," influenced by the drawings of Marc Chagall. This promises to be a life-changing day of art and performance!