



Howdy!

We are just one short week away from welcoming each of you, our 2020 JMG National Leader Training attendees, to Texas A&M University in College Station, TX! Weather forecasters are predicting average highs in the mid-to-upper 60s with average lows in the mid-50s. Currently, there is a 35% chance of rain in the forecast for both Sunday and Wednesday. Weather can change on a dime in Texas so we encourage you to pack your favorite sweater/jacket, travel umbrella and rain jacket! Dress is casual. Please wear comfortable clothing and shoes allowing you to participate in outside activities, including our A&M Garden tour on Tuesday afternoon. We will not be digging or gardening or doing activities which would dirty our clothing, but we will have opportunities to “get up and move!” both inside the buildings and outdoors.

Please take a moment to visit this link <http://jmgkids.us/2020nlresources/> to review the following information prior to your arrival:

- **Presentation Resources** (including PowerPoints and handouts) which you should download and/or print out prior to the training if you prefer to have the materials on your electronic device and/or have paper copies. The conference training facility does provide Wi-Fi for our use
- **Training Agenda** document highlighting the following information:
 - Daily start and end times
 - Brief overview of the conference schedule
- **Original Registration Conference Link** providing all details regarding hotel, directions, transportation options to and from airports, local restaurants, etc.

The address for the *Texas A&M Hotel and Conference Center* is:

177 Joe Routh Blvd. College Station, Texas 77843

Pre-Conference Check-in begins at the Texas A&M Hotel and Conference Center at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday near the Century Ballroom. From 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m., attendees are invited to our *Welcome Reception* offering light appetizers and a cash bar. On Monday morning, *Conference Check-in* opens at 7:00 a.m. along with breakfast. The first *General Session* begins at 8:00 a.m. in the Century Ballroom.

Should you have questions leading up to the conference start, please don't hesitate to contact us by email at ccwalton@tamu.edu and should you have an immediate need and must make contact with our office on Sunday the 23rd or Monday the 24th, just prior to conference kickoff, please contact us at **(979) 229-0236**.

We look forward to hosting each of you for the 2020 JMG National Leader Training!