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CHIEF MINISTER VISITS WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK

The Chief Minister leaves Gibraltar on Sunday for a visit to the United States. He first flies to Washington DC where he will have several meetings, at least one of which will be at the Congress. He will also meet Gibraltarian students on the Internship Program.

On Tuesday Mr Picardo flies on to New York where, accompanied by the Deputy Chief Minister and the Chief Secretary, he will address the UN's Fourth Committee.

Six students from Bayside, Westside and the Gibraltar College will travel with the Chief Minister throughout his visit to Washington and New York.

The Deputy Chief Minister, Dr Joseph Garcia will act as Chief Minister until Tuesday and then the Hon John Cortes will act as Chief Minister until Friday.