

New York City

Day 1: Arrival and Initial Exploration

- 1. Arrive in New York City and check into your hotel.
- 2. Explore Times Square.
 - Walk around and experience the vibrant atmosphere.
 - Visit iconic stores like M&M's World and the Disney Store.
- 3. Dinner at a student-friendly restaurant in Times Square.
 - Options include Ellen's Stardust Diner or John's Pizzeria.
- 4. Return to the hotel for rest.

Day 2: Historical and Cultural Exploration

- 1. Breakfast at the hotel.
- 2. Visit the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island.
 - Take a ferry from Battery Park.
 - Explore the Statue of Liberty Museum and Ellis Island Immigration Museum.
- 3. Lunch in Battery Park or a nearby cafe.
- 4. Visit the 9/11 Memorial and Museum.
 - Learn about the events of September 11, 2001.
- 5. Return to the hotel to freshen up.
- 6. Dinner in the Theater District.
 - Options include Carmine's or Junior's.
- 7. Attend a Broadway show.
 - Choose from popular shows like "The Lion King," "Aladdin," or "Wicked."
- 8. Return to the hotel for rest.

Day 3: Museums and Central Park

- 1. Breakfast at the hotel.
- 2. Visit the American Museum of Natural History.
 - Explore exhibits on dinosaurs, space, and cultures around the world.
- 3. Walk through Central Park.
 - Visit landmarks like Bethesda Terrace, Bow Bridge, and Strawberry Fields.
- 4. Lunch at a cafe in Central Park or nearby.
- 5. Visit the Metropolitan Museum of Art.
 - Explore the vast collection of art and artifacts.
- 6. Return to the hotel to freshen up.
- Dinner in a local restaurant.
 - Options include Serendipity 3 or Shake Shack.
- 8. Evening activity: Visit the Top of the Rock Observation Deck or Empire State Building for night views.
- 9. Return to the hotel for rest.



Day 4: Final Exploration and Departure

- 1. Breakfast at the hotel and check out.
- 2. Visit the Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum (if time permits).
 - Explore the aircraft carrier, submarine, and space shuttle.
- 3. Lunch at a nearby cafe or back in Times Square.
- 4. Spend some time shopping or exploring in a nearby neighborhood (e.g., SoHo or Greenwich Village).
- 5. **Depart for home.**