

New Orleans, LA

Day 1: Arrival and Initial Exploration

- 1. Arrive in New Orleans and check into your hotel.
- 2. Explore the French Quarter.
 - Walk along Bourbon Street and Royal Street.
 - Visit Jackson Square and see the St. Louis Cathedral.
 - Browse the shops and galleries in the area.
- 3. Dinner at a student-friendly restaurant in the French Quarter.
 - Options include Cafe Beignet or The Original Pierre Maspero's.
- 4. Return to the hotel for rest.

Day 2: History and Culture

- 1. Breakfast at the hotel.
- 2. Visit the National WWII Museum.
 - Explore the exhibits and learn about the history of World War II.
- 3. Lunch at the museum's cafe or nearby restaurant.
- 4. Take a walking tour of the Garden District.
 - See the historic homes and beautiful gardens.
 - Visit Lafayette Cemetery No. 1.
- 5. Return to the hotel to freshen up.
- 6. **Dinner at a local restaurant.**
 - Options include Mulate's or Deanie's Seafood.
- 7. Attend a live jazz performance at Preservation Hall.
 - Experience traditional New Orleans jazz in an iconic venue.
- 8. Return to the hotel for rest.

Day 3: Nature and Local Attractions

- 1. Breakfast at the hotel.
- 2. Visit Audubon Aquarium of the Americas.
 - Explore the diverse marine life exhibits.
- 3. Lunch at the aquarium or nearby Riverwalk Marketplace.
- 4. Take a steamboat cruise on the Mississippi River.
 - Enjoy the sights and learn about the river's history.
- 5. Visit the Audubon Butterfly Garden and Insectarium (if time permits).
- 6. Return to the hotel to freshen up.
- 7. Dinner in the French Quarter.
 - Options include Acme Oyster House or Gumbo Shop.
- Attend a performance at the Saenger Theatre (if available).
 - Check for Broadway shows or musical performances.
- 9. Return to the hotel for rest.

Day 4: Departure

- 1. Breakfast at the hotel and check out.
- 2. **Depart for home.**