



**FREE TOURS BY FOOT TRAVEL GUIDE**

# New York City

THINGS TO DO | WEATHER | TOURS

# OUR STORY



## NAME YOUR OWN PRICE TOURS

We offer walking tours of New York City (and other cities around the world!) on a pay what you wish basis. Tours for every budget!

We also offer free self-guided tours, and Audio Tours!

## EXPERT GUIDES

Our local, expert tours guides are here to share with you their city knowledge - whether on a tour or on our website travel community.

## ONLINE TRAVEL BLOG

We write about things to do, how to get tickets to top attractions, weather & more...

# QUICK LINKS

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## BUS TOURS

A comparison guide to the best Hop On/Hop Off, Guided & Night Bus Tours.

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## WALKING TOURS

Join our guided name your own price walking tours of New York City.

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## TOURIST PASSES

Learn about the different tourist discount passes to save on admission to the top attractions in NYC.

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## STATUE OF LIBERTY

All about how to get tickets to visit Lady Liberty and Ellis Island.

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## WALK THE BROOKLYN BRIDGE

How to get to and across the Brooklyn Bridge, as well as things to do near by.

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## CENTRAL PARK

Guide to visiting Central Park, including guided tours, as well as things to do, maps and dining recommendations.

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## 9/11 MEMORIAL MUSEUM

A visit to this hallowed ground to pay respects and learn about the response during an afterwards.

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## BUDGET GUIDE

Suggested itineraries and tips to visiting NYC on a budget!

# WHERE TO STAY IN NYC

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## TIMES SQUARE

If you are looking to be within walking distance to great attractions and you love an electric vibe, then Times Square is where to stay in New York City!

## MIDTOWN MANHATTAN

Midtown is one of the best areas to stay in New York City, with both posh and pricey hotels and minimalist-style hotels with lower prices. Midtown encompasses several neighborhoods like Chelsea, NoMad, Murray Hill and others.

## CENTRAL PARK & UPPER WEST SIDE

Staying near Central Park is a great idea if you want to get off the tourist track and see how the natives live.

Most of the affordable hotels near Central Park are on the Upper West Side which is a lovely and safe part of Manhattan. The area is family-friendly as well.

## SOHO & LOWER EAST SIDE

SoHo's streets and historic cast-iron buildings are charming. The Lower East Side is edgy and eclectic. Both offer fantastic food, non-stop nightlife and trendy shopping. They also happen to be rich with history!

**READ POST FOR MORE & HOTEL RECOMMENDATIONS**

# BEST TIME TO VISIT

## WEATHER

Summers (June - August) in NYC can be hot and humid. For our international guests, remember that we love our A/C and even though its hot outside, indoor spaces like museums may be very cold.

April-May and September-October are ideal times to visit weatherwise.

For a more information on the best time to visit, see our detailed post. [Click here!](#)





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## CROWDS

The city that never sleeps is a popular tourist destination year round, but if you want to avoid the crowds but still enjoy beautiful weather, late September through early November is the best time to visit.

From November to March, it is relatively quiet, except for the Christmas & New Year Holidays which can be busy time, especially for the celebrations and Holiday Lights.

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## TIPS ON GETTING AROUND

- We recommend taking public transportation when possible. Use our Guide to the NYC Subway to help!
- Do note that one paying adult may take up to 3 children who are no more than 44 inches (112 cm) tall for free on subways and local buses no matter which card you choose.
- If you plan on driving (which we really don't recommend), remember that there are no right turns on red here.
- Plan in advance for parking - parking garages are great options but can get costly. Street parking can be limited and restricted, so pay attention to signs!

# TOP 10 THINGS TO DO

Read more about these suggestions and more about all our top things to do, including nighttime activities, free and family friendly things to do on our website:

[Top Things To Do in New York City \(click here\)](#)



Broadway



9/11 Memorial



Statue of Liberty



Central Park



Empire State Building



Brooklyn Bridge



Grand Central Station



High Line



Attend a TV Show



Museums

# GET SOME REAL NEW YORK FOOD

There are plenty of great places to eat in New York City!

Below are our suggestions of where to find the best versions of iconic New York foods.

## BAGELS



**Murray's Bagels**  
Greenwich Village  
500 6th Avenue  
(at West 13th St.)

For More Bagels...

## PIZZA



**Bleecker Street Pizza**  
Greenwich Village  
69 7th Avenue  
(at Bleecker St.)

For more Pizza...

## SOUL



**Sylvia's Restaurant**  
Harlem  
328 Malcolm X Blvd  
(at W. 127th St)

For more about Sylvia's

## DELI



**Katz Delicatessen**  
Lower East Side  
205 East Houston Street  
(corner of Ludlow Street)

For more about Katz's

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