

Milton High School Band Trip 2020



ADULT CHAPERONE MEETING

Tuesday, February 18, 2020



Hotel Etiquette & Expectations for Students

Quiet in hallways

No hanging out in hallways or stairwells

Not allowed in rooms of opposite sex

Curfew / Room Checks

Quiet time in rooms after curfew

Nightly Monitors Provided at Hotels

Issues??? Adults entering student rooms...

Wake-Up Calls / Breakfast



- Students will be given parameters and time frames.
- Students will be required to stay in groups of 3 or more.
- If you get separated from your group...
- Homeless people on the National Mall
- Security checkpoints...don't use certain words!
- Buses Loading & Unloading
- Utilizing Touring Teams to check roll

Sightseeing Washington DC

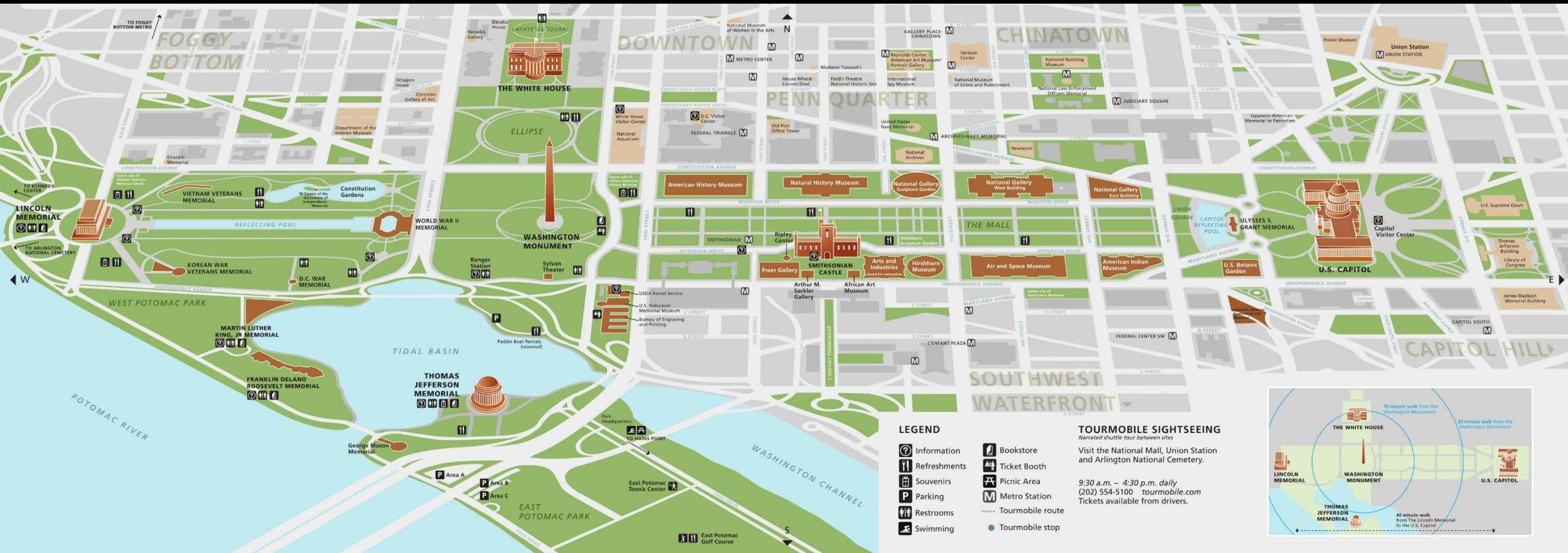
Safety, Health, and Personal Security

- Keep everything of value in front of you.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- Be cautious of strangers who engage you in conversation.
- Don't hang purses and backpacks behind you at restaurants.
- Always stay in groups of 3 or more.
- Pay attention to Meeting Times & Locations
- Wash Yo' Hands...Wash Yo' Hands...Wash Yo' Hands!!!!!!!!!!!! *(min of 20 secs)*
- Sneeze & Cough into your elbow...not your hands!
- Try to keep from touching common surfaces that others have touched (*door handles, handrails, etc.*).
- Avoid touching your face until you have washed your hands!
- If you get lost...call your team leaders *(or your band directors!)*



Mrs. Weaver's Washington DC Tips & Suggestions

National Mall Map



I--Distance from Washington Monument to US Capitol (1.2 miles)--I



The National Mall

Monuments

- Lincoln Memorial
- World War II Memorial
- Korean War Memorial
- Martin Luther King Memorial
- Ulysses Grant Memorial
- Vietnam Memorial
- Franklin D Roosevelt Memorial
- Washington Monument
- Jefferson Memorial
- Reflection Pool

Museums



Within a 5-minute brisk walk from the Washington Monument

National Museum of African American History & Culture

- *Harriett Tubman's Hymnal; Nat Turner's Bible; Plantation Cabin from South Carolina; Guard Tower from Angola Prison; Michael Jackson's Fedora; Prolific Art Works*

National Museum of American History

- *Star-Spangled Banner; Washington's Uniform; Jefferson's Lap Desk; Dorothy's Ruby Slippers; American Democracy: A Giant Leap of Faith*

National Museum of Natural History

- *Hall of Human Origins; National Fossil Hall; The Hope Diamond; Egyptian Mummies*



Museums *(continued)*

Within a 5-minute brisk walk from Washington Monument

Holocaust Memorial Museum

Has some free walk-through attractions

Reservations for the Permanent Exhibit

20 tickets available on Saturday at 2:40 pm

*Online Tickets also available on morning of
at 6:00 am*

Bureau of Engraving and Printing (Where they print money!)

- *Unfortunately, it is closed on Saturdays*

Smithsonian Castle Visitors Information

- *Original Museum*
- *Now serves as the Visitor's Center*

Museums (continued)



Within a 10-minute brisk walk of the Washington Monument

Hirshorn Museum

- *Temporary Art Exhibits and a Sculpture Garden*

National Air & Space Museum

- *1903 Wright Flyer; Spirit of St. Louis Airplane; Apollo Lunar Module; How Things Fly Exhibition; IMAX Theatres; Currently Under Renovation*

National Gallery of Art

- *Top Collection of Paintings, Drawings, Prints, Photographs, Sculptures, Medals, & Decorative Arts*

Others

- FBI Building
- Old Post Office Tower
- Ford's Theatre
- Internal Revenue Service

Mrs. Weaver's New York City Tips & Suggestions

THINGS NOT TO DO IN NEW YORK CITY...

- Buy a sandwich at a Subway Restaurant. Instead, visit a real New York Deli!
- Take a CD offered to you in Times Square unless you want to pay for it.
- Use a non-yellow taxi unless you want to be overcharged.
- Use an ATM inside a store that doesn't accept debit/credit cards. Go to a bank instead.
- Make eye contact with people while walking down the street. Some find it as being overly aggressive.
- Expect an apology is someone bumps into you...that's a southern thing!
- Expect others to make friendly comments such as "good morning". Again, it's a southern thing!
- Eat at a chain restaurant in Times Square. They are overpriced...try something new...you have over 20,000 choices.
- Stop in the middle of the sidewalk or at the top of the subway stairs unless you want to enrage the people behind you.
- Assume it's safe to cross the street because someone else does. Only cross at crosswalks and pay attention to crossing signals.

THINGS NOT TO DO IN NEW YORK CITY...

- Walk more than two abreast on sidewalks.
- Assume drink refills are free. Most charge you for a second drink.
- Pay for a boat tour to see the Statue of Liberty. Instead ride the Staten Island Ferry for FREE.
- PASS UP A RESTROOM!
- Stay in Times Square --- Explore other parts of the city!
- Eat in Little Italy, you will find better Italian Restaurants on Bleecker Street in Greenwich Village.
- Get into an empty subway car---smelly! It's empty for a reason.
- Don't be scared...but always be aware of your surroundings and stay alert. Put away earbuds/airpods.
- Pull out a map, use your phone instead.
- Take disrespectful selfies---homeless people, tragic events, 9/11 Memorial, etc.
- Wear your souvenirs, I ♥ NY



Sightseeing NYC – The Tour Teams Approach

New York City's Layout

Five Burroughs

- *Manhattan**
- *Brooklyn**
- *Bronx**
- *Queens*
- *Staten Island*



Island of Manhattan



Manhattan's Layout – Streets & Avenues

Streets \longleftrightarrow

LONG BLOCKS -900 ft

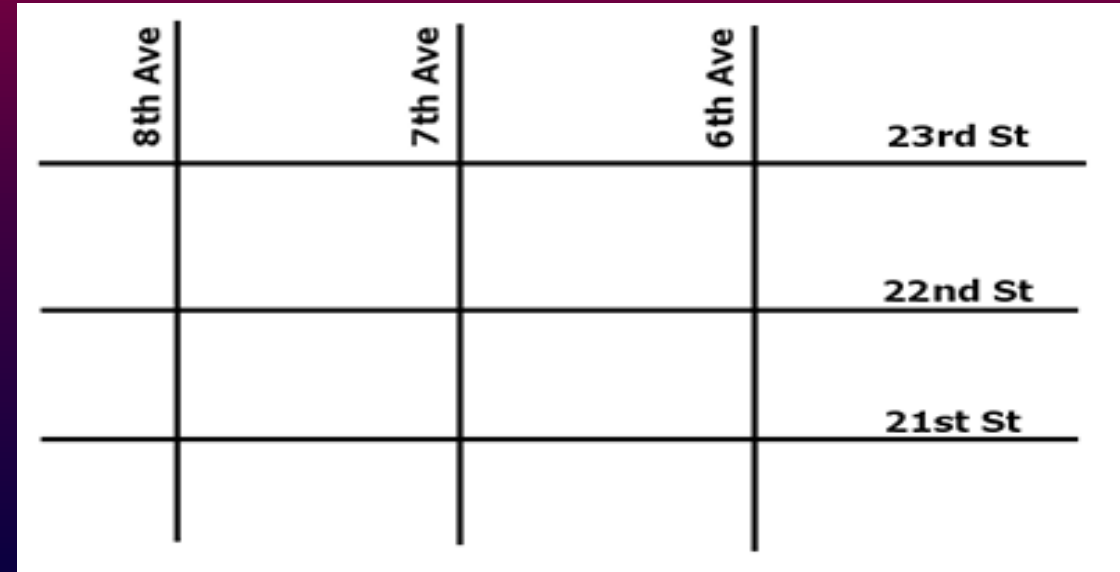
MHS side is 1,320 feet

150th Street

50th Street

1st Street

Named Streets



Avenues \updownarrow

SHORT BLOCKS – 264 ft

11th Avenue-----Named Avenues-----1st Avenue

Manhattan's Layout – Up, Mid, or Down?

Uptown

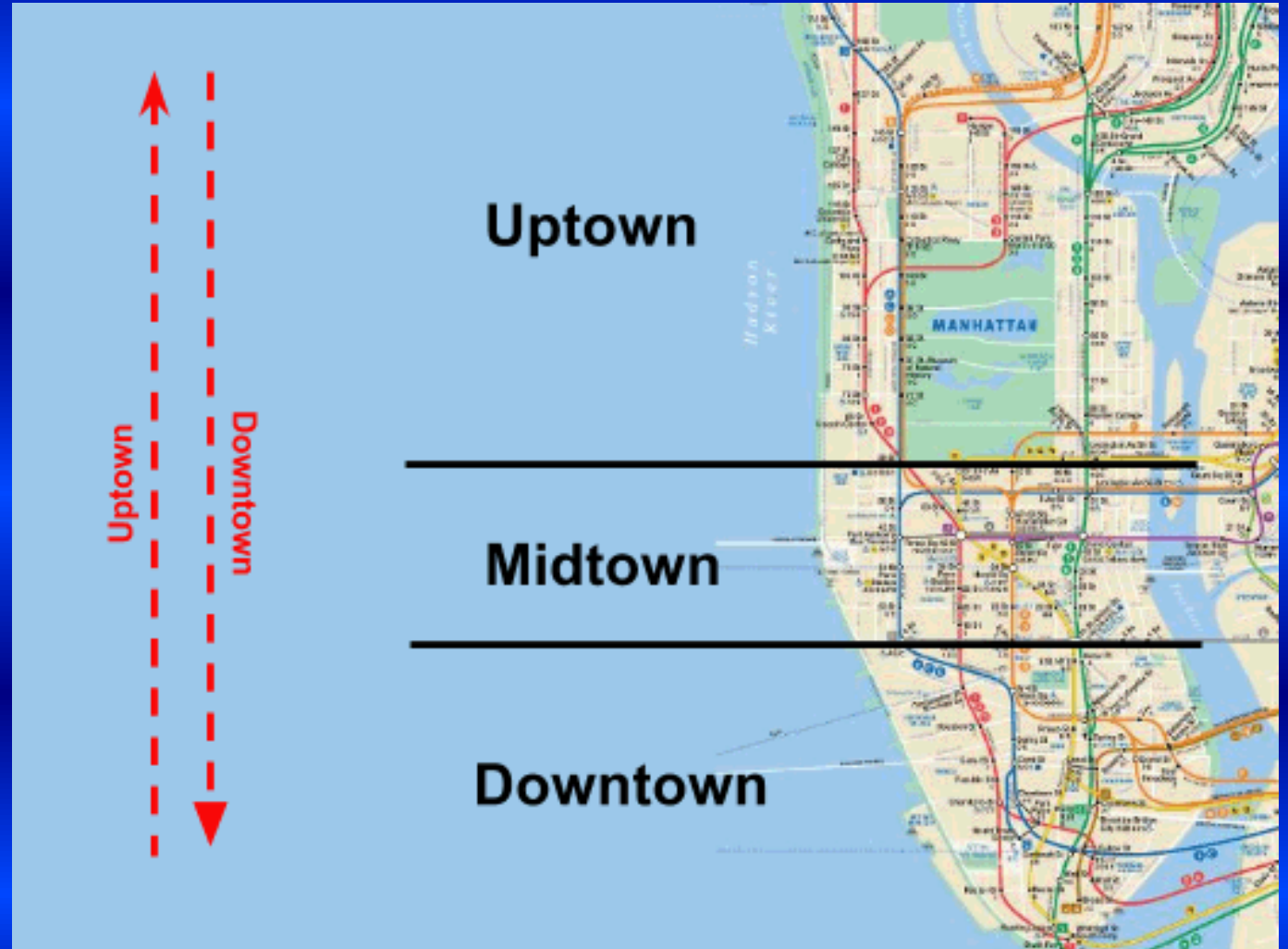
(50th Street & Above)

Midtown

(14th Street to 49th Street)

Downtown

(Southern tip to 14th Street)



Manhattan's Layout – Key Streets

Split-down the middle by:

6th Avenue AKA *Avenue of the Americas*

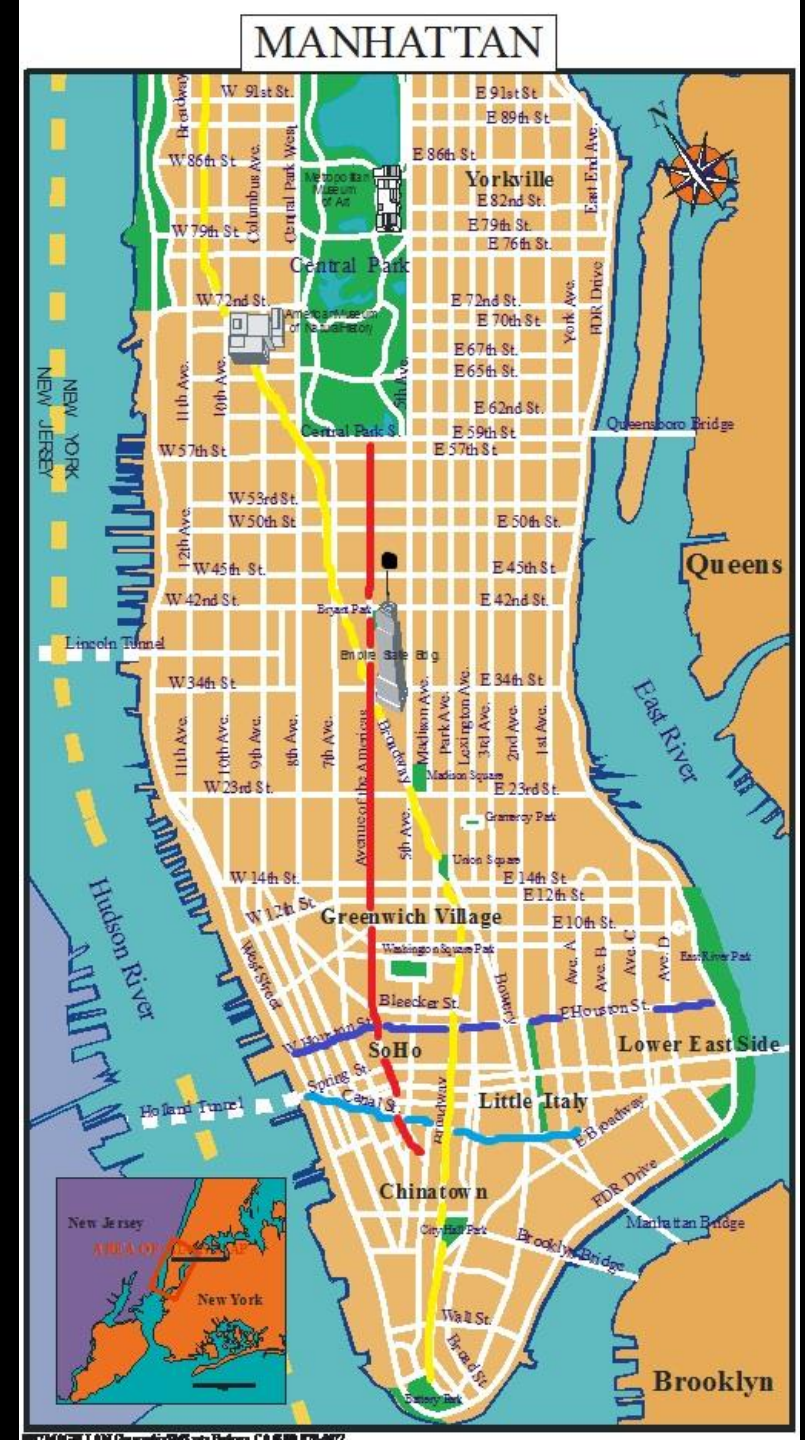
Street Gone Wild:

Broadway Street (Broadway & 7th Ave = Times Square)

Other Important Streets:

Canal Street (separates Little Italy & Chinatown)

Houston Street (neighborhood boundary...numbered streets begin after this street)



Getting Around the City

Hop-On Hop-Off Buses

- 3-day passes (*don't lose it...keep them in your neck wallets*)
- Narrated Tours
- Various stops on tour...buses run every 15-30 mins...look for signs!
- Different Tours:
 - Downtown Loop (*2 ½ + hours / 8:30 am- 5:00 pm / 15-20 minutes*)
 - Uptown Loop (*2+ hours / 9:00 am- 4:00 pm / 20-30 minutes*)
 - Brooklyn Loop (*1 ½ + hours / 11:00, 1:00, & 3:00 pm / Catch it by Battery Park*)
 - Nighttime Tour (*1 ½ hours / 6:00 pm-8:00 pm*)
 - Smart Phone App- “New York Sightseeing Tours”



Freestyle Pass – 5 Attractions or Tours + 2 Required Attractions

Attractions	Hours of Operation	Redemption Location
ESCAPE VIRTUALITY: ESCAPE ROOMS	Daily: 12pm- 10pm	130 W 29th St, New York, NY 10001
LOL COMEDY CLUB	Sun- Thurs: 7pm- 12am, Fri- Sat: 7pm- 1:30am	711 7th Ave, New York, NY 10036
LUNA PARK	Mon- Friday: Closed, Sat- Sun: 11am- 7pm	1000 Surf Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11224
MADAME TUSSAUDS GOLD TICKET	Sun- Thurs: 9am- 10pm, Fri- Sat: 9am- 12am	234 West 42nd St, New York, NY 10036
NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENCOUNTER: OCEAN ODYSSEY	Sun- Thurs: 10am- 9pm, Fri- Sat: 10am- 10pm (Last ticket sold one hour prior to closing)	26 West 44th St, New York, NY 10036 Redeem pass at the customer service desk for next available entry time.
ONE WORLD OBSERVATORY™	Daily: 9am- 10pm (last ticket redeemed at 9:15pm)	285 Fulton St (entrance on West Street), New York, NY 10006
RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT! TIMES SQUARE SPYSCAPE	Sun - Wed: 10am- 11pm, Fri-Sat: 10am - 1am Mon - Thurs: 10am - 9pm, Fri: 10am - 10pm Sat & Sun: 9am - 9pm	234 West 42nd St, New York, NY 10036 928 8th Ave (entrance on SE corner of 55th St) New York, NY 10019
TOP OF THE ROCK OBSERVATION DECK	Daily: 8am- 12am	30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY 10020

MUSEUMS	Hours of Operation	Redemption Location
9/11 MEMORIAL & MUSEUM	Daily: 7:30 - 9pm	180 Greenwich St, New York, NY 10007
9/11 TRIBUTE MUSEUM	Sun: 10am- 5pm, Mon- Sat: 10am- 6pm	92 Greenwich St, New York, NY 10006
AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY	Daily: 10am- 5:45pm	Central Park West & 79th St, New York, NY 10024
BROOKLYN HISTORICAL SOCIETY	Mon- Tues: Closed, Wed- Sun: 12pm- 5pm	128 Pierrepont St, Brooklyn, NY 11201
BROOKLYN BOTANICAL GARDEN & BROOKLYN MUSEUM COMBO SET	Museum: Wed, Fri- Sun: 11am- 6pm, Thurs: 11am- 10pm, Mon & Tues: Closed Garden: Tue- Fri: 8am- 4:30pm, Sat & Sun: 10am- 4:30pm Mon: Closed	Tickets for both attractions can be redeemed at either 1) 200 Eastern Pkwy, Brooklyn, NY 11238 2) 990 Washington Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11225
GROUND ZERO MUSEUM WORKSHOP: 100 IMAGES & ARTIFACTS TOUR GUGGENHEIM MUSEUM	Wed- Sun: 11am- 3pm	420 West 14th St, Floor 2, New York, NY 10014 (between 9th Ave & Washington St)
INTREPID SEA, AIR & SPACE MUSEUM	Daily: 10am - 5:30pm *Tue & Sat until 8pm	1071 Fifth Ave (at 89th St), New York, NY, 10128
METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART THE CLOISTERS THE MET BREUER MUSEUM OF MODERN ART MOMA PS1	Mon- Fri: 10am- 5pm, Sat & Sun: 10am- 6pm Sun- Thurs: 10am- 5:30pm, Fri & Sat: 10am- 9pm Daily: 10am- 4:45pm Sun, Tues, Wed, Thurs: 10am- 9pm, Mon: Closed Daily: 10:30am- 5:30pm, Thurs- Sat open until 9pm Thurs- Mon: 12pm- 6pm, Tues- Wed: Closed	Pier 86, West 46th St & 12th Ave, New York, NY 10036 Redeem at 1000 5th Ave, New York, NY 10028, 1 ticket valid at all 3 locations when used on the same day Redeem at 11 W 53rd St, New York, NY 10019, 1 ticket valid for both locations when used on the same day
MUSEUM OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK	Daily: 10am- 6pm	1220 Fifth Ave (at 103rd St), New York, NY 10029
MUSEUM OF JEWISH HERITAGE	Sun- Tues, Thurs: 10am- 6pm, Wed: 10am- 9pm, Fri: 10am- 3pm, Eve of major Jewish Holidays: 10am- 3pm	36 Battery Place, New York, NY 10280
NEW YORK BOTANICAL GARDEN	Mon: Closed, Tues- Sun: 10am- 6pm	2900 Southern Blvd, Bronx, NY 10458
NY HISTORICAL SOCIETY	Sun: 11am- 5pm, Tues- Thurs: 10am- 6pm, Friday: 10am- 8pm, Sat: 10am- 6pm	170 Central Park West (at 77th St), New York, NY 10024
WHITNEY MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART	Sat, Sun, Mon, Thurs: 10:30am - 6pm, Tue: Closed Friday: 10:30am - 10pm	99 Gansevoort St, New York, NY 10019

DINING	Hours of Operation	Redemption Location
BREAKFAST OR LUNCH AT APPLEBEE'S 42ND ST	Opens at 7am	APPLEBEE'S, 42ND ST
BREAKFAST OR LUNCH AT APPLEBEE'S 50TH ST	Redemption hrs: Mon- Thurs: 7am- 12am, Fri- Sun: 7am- 3pm	APPLEBEE'S, 50TH ST
LUNCH AT BELLA NAPOLI (NEAR THE EMPIRE STATE BUILDING)	Opens at 11am	BELLA NAPOLI, 130 Madison Ave.
\$25 TOWARDS LUNCH OR DINNER AT BUCA DI BEPPO	Sun- Thurs: 11am- 11pm, Fri & Sat: 11am- 12am	BUCA DI BEPPO, 1540 Broadway
LUNCH AT DAVE AND BUSTER'S 234 West 42ND ST, 3RD FLOOR	Opens at 10am	DAVE AND BUSTER'S, 234 W 42nd St.
LUNCH AT GROTTA AZZURRA (LITTLE ITALY)	Opens at 8:30am	GROTTA AZZURRA, 387 Broome St.
\$25 TOWARDS LUNCH AT PLANET HOLLYWOOD UNTIL 5PM	Sun- Thurs: 11am- 12am, Fri & Sat: 11am- 1am	PLANET HOLLYWOOD, 1540 Broadway

TOURS AND TRANSPORTATION	Hours of Operation	Redemption Location
ALTERNATIVE NEW YORK STREET ART TOUR: LOWER EAST SIDE BROADWAY WALKING TOUR	3/1 - 12/31: Thursday, 10am Daily: 4pm	MUST RESERVE: www.insideouttours.com or call: 1-800-258-7359 MUST RESERVE: www.newyorktour1.com/freestyle or call: 646-801-8692.
BROOKLYN BRIDGE AND DUMBO NEIGHBORHOOD TOUR	1/1 - 2/28: Wed, Sat. 3/1 - 3/31, 11/1 - 12/31: Mon, Wed, and Sat. 4/1 - 10/31: Daily 11 a.m.	MUST RESERVE: www.insideouttours.com or call: 1-800-258-7359
BROOKLYN NAVY YARD PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE TOUR	Sat - Sun: 2pm	MUST RESERVE: email at info@turnstiletours.com or call: 347-903-8687.
BROOKLYN NAVY YARD TOURS: INSIDE INDUSTRY TOUR	Select Fridays at 9:30am	MUST RESERVE: email at info@turnstiletours.com or call: 347-903-8687.
BROOKLYN NAVY YARD TOURS: WORLD WAR II TOUR	Monthly, on the 1st Sunday	MUST RESERVE: email at info@turnstiletours.com or call: 347-903-8687.
CENTRAL PARK TV & MOVIE TOUR CHASSIDIC WALKING TOUR	Daily: 12pm Sunday: 2pm	59th St, Between 5th & 6th Ave. Outside of Pieology Pizza, 285 Broadway, Brooklyn, NY 11211
CITY COPILOT: NYC LUGGAGE STORAGE FANCY APPLE 2 HR BIKE TOUR	Daily: 9am - 7pm Daily: 8am - 7pm	Main Location: 166 Allen St, New York, NY 10002 870 7th Ave, New York, NY 10019
FANCY APPLE - ALL DAY BIKE RENTAL GO AIRLINK AIRPORT SHUTTLE SHARE RIDE	Daily: 8am - 7pm Visit AirlinkNYC.com for more details	870 7th Ave, New York, NY 10019 Departures only. Must call: 877-599-8200 24 hours in advance to book
GREENWICH VILLAGE TOUR	Daily: 1:30pm	MUST RESERVE: www.newyorktour1.com/freestyle or call: 646-801-8692.
HARLEM GOSPEL EXPERIENCE TOUR	Sat, Sun: 8:30am. 4/1 -	MUST RESERVE: www.insideouttours.com or call: 1-800-258-7359
HIGH LINE, CHELSEA, MEATPACKING TOUR	Daily: 9:30am	MUST RESERVE: www.newyorktour1.com/freestyle or call: 646-801-8692.
LOWER MANHATTAN WALKING TOUR	Daily: 9:00am	MUST RESERVE: www.newyorktour1.com/freestyle or call: 646-801-8692.
MACY'S HISTORIC TOUR MADISON SQUARE GARDEN ALL ACCESS TOUR	Mon - Fri: 11am, 4pm Daily: 9:30am - 3pm, tour departs approx. every half hr.	Macy's 151 West 34th St, New York, NY 10001, 2 1/2 FLOOR MSG Store at 7th Ave (between 31st and 33rd St), New York, NY 10001
NYC GOSPEL WALKING TOUR	Sunday, 9am	MUST RESERVE: www.insideouttours.com or call: 1-800-258-7359
NYC SLAVERY AND UNDERGROUND TOUR	4/1 - 10/31: Wed, Fri, Sat: 1pm, 11/1 - 3/31: Sat: 1pm	Can be reserved at www.insideouttours.com
ROCKEFELLER CENTER TOUR SECRETS OF BROOKLYN: THE INSIDER'S SCAVENGER HUNT	Daily: starting at 10am 4/1 - 12/31: Friday: 9am	30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY 10112 MUST RESERVE: www.insideouttours.com or call: 1-800-258-7359
SECRETS OF NEW YORK: THE INSIDER'S SCAVENGER HUNT	4/1 - 12/31: Thurs, Sat: 9am	MUST RESERVE: www.insideouttours.com or call: 1-800-258-7359
SECRETS OF THE STATUE OF LIBERTY AND ELLIS ISLAND TOUR SOHO, LITTLE ITALY, CHINATOWN TOUR	1/1 - 3/31, 11/1 - 12/31: Wed: 9:30am 4/1 - 10/31: Mon, Wed, Fri: 9:30am Daily: 12pm	MUST RESERVE: www.insideouttours.com or call: 1-800-258-7359
STREET ART WORKSHOP	Daily: 1:15pm	MUST RESERVE: www.newyorktour1.com/freestyle or call 646-801-8692.
THE RADIO CITY STAGE DOOR TOUR	Daily: 9:30am - 5pm	Reserve online at brooklynunpluggedtours.com/sp . Meeting point is 30 Wyckoff Ave, Brooklyn NY 11237 1260 6th Ave (corner of 50th St), New York, NY, 10011

CRUISES	Hours of Operation	Redemption Location
CITYSIGHTSEEING NEW YORK® HOP-ON, HOP-OFF FERRY TOUR MANHATTAN BY SAIL — CLIPPER CITY DAYTIME STATUE SAIL	Daily: 10am - 4pm Daytime Sail: 12pm to 12:45pm, 1:30pm to 2:45pm, 3:30pm to 4:45pm, 5:30pm to 6:30pm	Pier 78, (38th St & 12th Ave), New York, NY 10001 Battery Park, Slip 2, south end of the park, next to Battery Gardens Restaurant
RIBNewYork - HIGH SPEED HARBOR TOUR	5/25 - 9/3: Daily: 11am - 4pm 9/3 - 10/15: Fri, Sat, Sun: 11am - 4pm	Pier 25. Enter at Skate Park. Follow signs for Town Dock and Mini Golf. A RIBNewYork agent will be located near the large 'Golf' sign.
STATUE OF LIBERTY & ELLIS ISLAND	9/5 - 10/9: Daily: 9am - 4pm 10/10 - 5/26: Daily: 8:30am - 3:30pm	Please go directly to Castle Clinton ticket window. Battery Park, New York, NY 10004 *To ensure that you will have enough time for both Ellis Island & the Statue, please arrive prior 1:30pm.

HOW TO READ THE SUBWAY MAP:

Lines are designated by color. In Midtown, color lines parallel certain avenues.

Blue A,C,E trains run along 8th Ave

Red 1,2,3 lines go along 7th Ave

Orange B,D,M,F trains run along 6th Ave

Green 4,5,6 trains along Park and Lexington Avenue



Pay attention to the Numbers & Letters *(see handout)*

Know your direction...going Uptown *(Bronx/Queens)* or **Downtown** *(Brooklyn)?*

- *Think of it like loading into the passenger door of a car and you've got to be on the correct side of the street to load. (examples)*

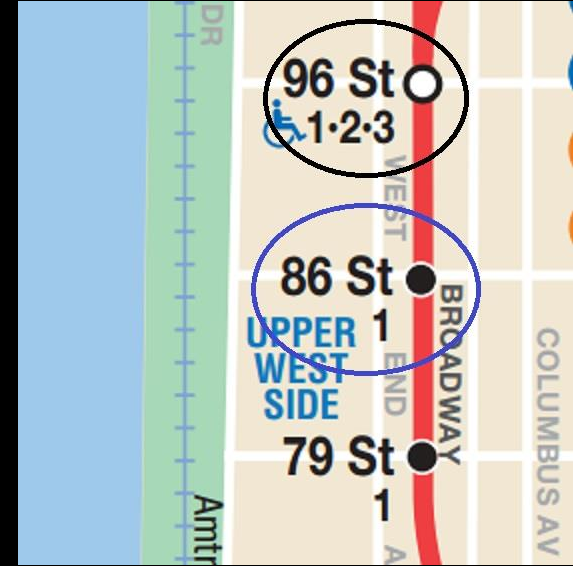
Know your destination & name of station *(ex. "Times Square-42nd Street" / "Canal Street")*

HOW TO READ THE SUBWAY MAP:

Understand that there are “local” trains and “express” trains.

White dots are “express” trains & don’t stop at all stations.

Black dots are “local” trains & stop at all stations.



The train numbers/letters tell you which trains stop at that specific station.

Be aware that sometimes different lines have the same station names.

(examples - 42nd Street...Canal Street...14th Street...etc.)

Some stations have “Pedestrian Tunnels” to transfer from one line to another.

Express & Local Trains



Pedestrian Walkways



Same Station Name – Different Lines



Sightseeing NYC – *Walking Around*



Streets \leftrightarrow

\updownarrow 20 blocks = 1 mile

1 block – Avg walking time is 2 minutes

Avenues \updownarrow

\leftrightarrow Blocks between Avenues are 3X longer

6 ½ blocks = 1 mile

1 block – Avg walking time is 6 minutes



**REMEMBER...USE CROSSWALKS!!!
STAY OUT OF TRAFFIC!!!**

GREAT TRIP APPS



Where's Waldo and how do I get to him?

AKA “Navigation”



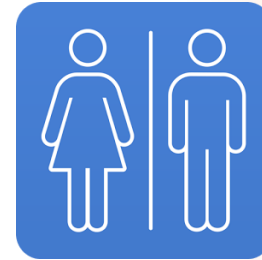
Google Maps

- This is the Go To app for all things directions!



Transit App

- This is a great app to see what metro rail you need to take to get from point A to B in New York



Toilet Finder

- For life's little emergencies, this app is for you!
- This will tell you where the closest restroom is and if it is free.

Where do you want to EAT?



- Pretty much same as Tripadvisor with some additions
- Can set many filters like which one is talk about a lot, is there outdoor seating, does it have a full bar (You never know 😊) etc...
- Also has a coffee house finder







- Lists the best rated restaurants near your location.
- Can be viewed by rank or distance
- Can also be filtered by food category and/or price









Weather Forecast

Washington DC

THU MAR 12		Partly Cloudy	66°/54°	20%	SE 9 mph	63%
FRI MAR 13		AM Showers	74°/40°	70%	WSW 15 mph	58%
SAT MAR 14		Partly Cloudy	58°/38°	10%	NW 10 mph	35%
SUN MAR 15		Mostly Cloudy	54°/40°	20%	ENE 7 mph	48%

New York City

SUN MAR 15		Partly Cloudy	48°/36°	10%	NNE 7 mph	41%
MON MAR 16		Partly Cloudy	48°/42°	20%	E 8 mph	49%
TUE MAR 17		Showers	53°/43°	50%	SSE 8 mph	71%
WED MAR 18		Showers	56°/45°	40%	S 9 mph	68%
THU MAR 19		Mostly Cloudy	54°/45°	20%	WSW 8 mph	59%
FRI MAR 20		Showers	55°/41°	40%	SSE 8 mph	58%

Mostly cloudy. High 54F. Winds WSW at 5 to 10 mph.

Layer Your Clothing so that you can remove layers as needed. Short sleeve undershirt, long sleeve shirt, jacket/coat, gloves, scarf, hats, etc.

In NYC, a lot of your touring will be done outside!!! In packing, remember that you can re-wear some of the layers (*air-out, Fabreze, wash in the sink & hang dry*).

Other Important Information:

- **Cell Phone Numbers** *(put on sheet)*
- **Medications**
- **Luggage Tags / Neck Wallets**
- **Pizza Order**
- **Phone Battery Packs & Chargers**
- **\$30 cash for tips/extras due today**
- **Remind – *Please join our text group!***
 - ***Text @mhstrip20 to 81010 or 850-396-0116***
- **Questions???**
- ➤ **Tour Group Meetings**

We depart in less than...

52 hours!!!

Are you ready????