



Education First

*Explore America*

# BROADWAY AND THE ARTS

6 days | New York City



## Your itinerary

### Day 1 (Travel Day)

#### Welcome to New York City!

Upon arrival, meet your EF Explore America Tour Director, who will accompany you throughout your stay.

#### Dinner Included

Your Tour Director distributes \$20 each.

#### Hotel in New York City

Arrive and check into your hotel.

*Overnight in New York City*

### Day 2

#### Breakfast Included

Tour Director distributes \$10 each.

#### Unlimited MetroCard Included

Do as the locals do and hop on the subway for an unforgettable ride underneath Manhattan. Your Tour Director will distribute an unlimited MetroCard to each group member.

#### Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island

Ferry to Liberty Island to marvel at the Statue of Liberty, a gift from France in honor of the French-U.S. alliance. Continue on to Ellis Island, which welcomed millions of immigrants to the New World around the turn of the century. Ellis Island is now the site of a museum chronicling the history of immigration.

#### Lunch Included

Tour Director distributes \$20 each.

#### National September 11 Memorial

The National September 11 Memorial is a tribute of remembrance and honor to the nearly 3,000 people killed in the terror attacks of September 11, 2001. The Memorial's twin reflecting pools sit within the footprints where the Twin Towers once stood and serve as a powerful reminder of the tragic loss of life.

#### Dinner in New York City

Enjoy your evening meal, provided by EF Explore America.

#### Standard Broadway Show with Upgraded Seating

Enjoy upgraded seating at your Broadway show, sure to be an unforgettable theater experience!

*Overnight in New York City*

### Day 3

#### Breakfast Included

Tour Director distributes \$10 each.

#### NYC TV & Movie Tour

#### Lunch Included

Tour Director distributes \$20 each.

#### Walking Tour of Broadway

Explore Times Square and the Broadway Theater District, an area synonymous with American entertainment from stage to screen.

#### Living The Music Workshop

A Broadway musical director or Broadway singer will guide students in the art of interpreting a song through vocal dynamics and phrasing, using provided Broadway material. With the guidance of a master class instructor, the students discuss the music's lyrics and what may be the emotional intention behind them. Toward the end of the master class, the students have an opportunity to demonstrate what they have learned by singing the song with the Broadway guest performer, and having an insightful question and answer discussion.

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### Day 4

#### Breakfast Included

Tour Director distributes \$10 each.

#### Tour of NBC Studios or Rockefeller Center

Get a behind-the-scenes look at one of New York's most iconic cultural centers with a tour of either NBC Studios or Rockefeller Center.

#### Lunch at Ellen's Stardust Diner

Enjoy lunch at Ellen's Stardust Diner.

#### Visit the Museum of Broadway

Experience Broadway like never before with an insider look into the history, artifacts, creative landscape and social impact of musical theater.

#### Free Time for Shopping

#### Dinner in New York City

Enjoy your evening meal, provided by EF Explore America.

#### Premium Broadway Show with

Enjoy your Premium Broadway show, sure to be an unforgettable theater experience!

*Overnight in New York City*

### Day 5

#### Breakfast Included

Tour Director distributes \$10 each.

#### Drama Workshop

Play thespian and pick up a few pointers during a theater and improv workshop led by an experienced actor. Afterwards, participate in a Q&A to learn more about what life is like for an actor in New York City.

#### Lunch Included

Tour Director distributes \$20 each.

#### Let's Get Technical Workshop

A Broadway stage manager or set designer discusses the technical execution of a director's vision and the collaborative process of lighting and designing a set for a production.

**Dinner in New York City**

Enjoy your evening meal, provided by EF Explore America.

**Premium Broadway Show with Upgraded Seating**

Enjoy upgraded seating at your Premium Broadway show, sure to be an unforgettable theater experience!

*Overnight in New York City*

**Day 6****Breakfast Included**

Tour Director distributes \$10 each.

**Walking Tour of Central Park**

Join your tour director for a romp through New York's backyard playground. Admire the 58 hand-carved horses parading around the Friedsam Memorial Carousel, brought to the park from Coney Island. Later, head over to the boathouse and Tavern on the Green. Continue through Bethesda Terrace, one of Central Park's best places for people watching, and find the statue of Alice in Wonderland at the northern end of the Conservatory Water.

**Empire State Building and Observatory**

This evening, view the city from the Empire State Building's observation deck. Once the world's tallest building, the Empire State Building remains one of Manhattan's most elegant symbols.

**Lunch Included**

Tour Director distributes \$20 each.

**Depart for home!**

Your tour director assists with your return home.