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EXPLORE & EXPERIENCE NEW YORK CITY



Website: www.metmuseum.org

Hours (Main Building)

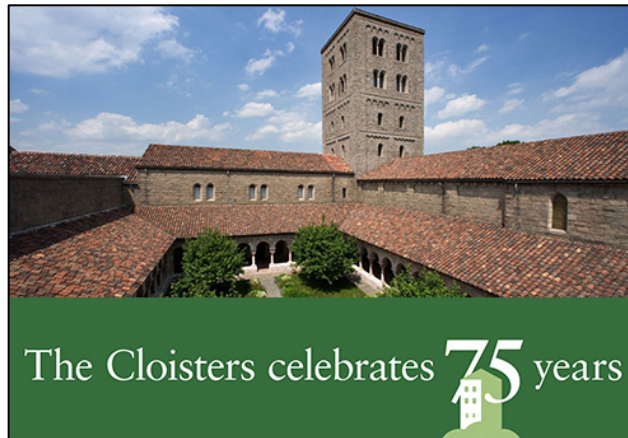
Open 7 Days a Week

Sunday–Thursday: 10:00 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

Friday and Saturday: 10:00 a.m.–9:00 p.m.

Recommended Admission – Adult \$25

(Admission fee includes any special exhibits & The Cloisters Museum)



Hours: Open 7 Days a Week

March–October: 10:00 a.m.–5:15 p.m.

Directions By Subway/Bus

Take the A train to 190th Street and exit the station by elevator. Walk north along Margaret Corbin Drive for approximately ten minutes or transfer to the M4 bus and ride north one stop. If you are coming from the Museum's Main Building, you may also take the M4 bus directly from Madison Avenue/83rd Street to the last stop. (Please allow more time for this option.)

9/11 MEMORIAL

Web Site: www.911memorial.org

Memorial

On September 11, 2011, the long-awaited memorial to the 2,982 victims of the 9/11 attacks was dedicated and, on the following day, opened to the public, officially unveiling the two nearly one-acre-sized footprints set one story deep into the plaza in the exact places where both of the Twin Towers once stood. Four waterfalls spring from each of the two footprints' four sides, creating a serene and reflective sound that counterbalance the noise and bustle of the city around them. Each waterfall is framed with bronze plates with the names of the victims from each tower, organized by category: first responder, worker, and so on. The names of each section of the Memorial follow the headings below:

Framing the North Pool:

World Trade Center: Those who worked in or were visiting the North Tower (1 World Trade Center) on 9/11

Flight 11: The crew and passengers of American Airlines Flight 11

February 26, 1993: Those who were killed in the February 26, 1993, bombing of the World Trade Center

Framing the South Pool:

World Trade Center: Those who worked in or were visiting the South Tower (2 World Trade Center) or other areas of the WTC complex on 9/11

Flight 175: The crew and passengers of United Airlines Flight 175

Pentagon: Those who worked in or were visiting the Pentagon on 9/11

Flight 77: The crew and passengers of American Airlines Flight 77

Flight 93: The crew and passengers of United Airlines Flight 93

First Responders: Those who received the 9/11 Heroes Medal of Valor awarded by the White House on September 9, 2005

Subway Transit:

Subways Lines **A, C, J, M, Z, 2, 3, 4, or 5** to Fulton Street

Subway Line **E** to World Trade Center

Subway Line **R** to Cortlandt Street

Subway Line **1** to Rector Street

Admission:

Adult: \$24

US College Student: \$18.00



The legendary building soaring more than 100 stories over Manhattan's skyline made famous by the movie King Kong, the Empire State Building was for 40 years the world's tallest building. Its gorgeous Art Deco details and beautiful marble lobby make it the perfect stop for visitors, for the building captures the very essence of New York: huge, full of people, and breathtaking. Now in its 75th year, it remains as spectacular and enchanting as ever.

Ride up the elevator to the 86th floor observatory, maybe stop a moment to pick up a souvenir, then go outside for incredible panoramic views of the New York area. Marvel at the glittering roof of the nearby Chrysler Building or the neat, rectangular shaped of Central Park. Stare out at the famous bridges that span the East River. At, 1,050 feet (320 meters), reached by high speed, automatic elevators, it has both a glass-enclosed area, which is heated in winter and cooled in summer, and spacious outdoor promenades on all four sides of the Building.

High powered binoculars are available on the promenades for the convenience of visitors at a minimal cost. A snack bar and souvenir counters are also located in the 86th floor observatory.

Daily Hours: 8:00 am - 2:00 am
Last Elevator up: 1:15am
Open 365 days a year rain or shine

Directions:

Main Entrance is on Fifth Avenue between 33rd & 34th Streets. All Visitors must use this entrance. During busy times there may be a wait so please be patient!

Admission:

Adult: \$27

Statue of Liberty

National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior



Few brief ferry trips can be more exciting; departing from Battery Park at the southern tip of Manhattan, both the spectacular New York skyline and the magnificent Statue of Liberty loom large in the distance. A potent symbol of freedom and democracy, the Statue was a gift from the French people to the people of the United States, and was dedicated in 1886. After a short walk around the base of the Statue, head to the Statue of Liberty Museum, located inside the pedestal. An elevator goes as high up as the top of the pedestal inside the Statue, and before 9/11 visitors could climb the seemingly endless 354 steps—approximately 22 stories—to the Statue's crown.

Ferry Fee:

\$18 - Adults

Important Note: These rates are the price for the round trip ferry ride to the island. The ferry ticket includes entrance to Statue of Liberty Park. Ferry service leaves Battery Park every 30 minutes from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. every day. Note that one round trip ferry ticket includes visits to both Liberty and Ellis islands and that there can be long lines and waiting periods in the busy summer months.



New York's "flagship" park of 843 acres, 26,000 trees, and almost 9,000 benches has had a rather checkered history. Planning began around 1868, when city commissioners chose the "Greensward Plan" developed by Frederick Law Olmsted and Calvert Vaux. In the ensuing decades of building, the challenging terrain wasn't the only obstacle to overcome. Navigating the difficult city bureaucracy and the Tammany Hall political machine made the Park an overly politicized institution. A long spiral of decline was halted in 1934, when Parks Commissioner Robert Moses employed his controversial methods in making remarkable changes to the decrepit park. From around 1960 until 1981, another twenty years of decline ensued, until the newly-formed Central Parks Conservancy offered a blueprint, "Rebuilding Central Park for the 1980s and Beyond." The past 20 years have been much kinder to the Park, which has seen some remarkable reconstruction work.

275 species of birds have been sighted in the Park, which also has several restaurants on its perimeter, a Boathouse, a Carousel, ball fields, a running track, reservoir, sculptures of Alice in Wonderland and Shakespeare, and a nearly endless list of events and other attractions.

Web Site: www.centralparknyc.org

Subway Transit: Subways Lines **1, A, B, C or D** to 59th St/Columbus Circle



MUSEUM OF MODERN ART (MOMA)

Admission: Adults: \$25 Students with ID: \$14

11 West 53rd Street

New York, NY 10019

(212) 708-9400

Website: www.moma.org

From an initial gift of eight prints and one drawing, The Museum of Modern Art's collection has grown to include more than 135,000 paintings, sculptures, drawings, prints, photographs, architectural models and drawings, and design objects. MoMA also owns some 14,000 films and four million film stills, as well as 140,000 books, artist books, and periodicals, all part of the Museum's library. Founded in 1929 in order to help people understand and enjoy the visual arts of our time, The Museum of Modern Art in New York City was the world's first museum dedicated to the education and enjoyment of modern art. MoMA's rich and varied collection constitutes one of the most comprehensive and panoramic views into modern art in the world. Aside from the Museum's permanent collection, the Museum also maintains an active schedule of exhibitions highlighting significant recent developments in the modern visual arts and new interpretations of major modern artists and art historical movements.



Website: www.amnh.org

Admission: Adult: \$22.00 US College Student: \$17.00

Hours: Open 7 Days a Week – 10 am – 5:45 pm

This world-famous museum is comprised of several different Halls, each dedicated to a particular theme. The museum's exhibition-halls house a stunning array of artifacts and specimens from all corners of the world and all historical periods. These illuminate the natural history of our planet and its myriad species, and bring the world's cultures to life. The permanent exhibits include Halls dedicated to: Biodiversity, Human Biology and Evolution, Meteorites, Gems and Minerals, Ocean Life, Northwest Coast Indians, North American Mammals, African Mammals, African Peoples, Asian Peoples, Birds of the World, Oceanic Birds, South American Peoples, Mexico and Central America, Reptiles and Amphibians, Mollusks and Our World, Vertebrate Evolution

Directions By Subway:

Take the Subway Line B or C to 81st St. Two blocks west of the Museum, the 1 train stops at Broadway and West 79th St.



MADAME TUSSAUDS WAX MUSEUM

**234 W. 42nd Street
New York, NY 10036
(800) 246-8872**

Admission: Adult \$31.29

Madame Tussauds gives you the ultimate celebrity experience with over 85,000 square feet of interactive entertainment in the heart of Times Square. Get up close with over 225 shockingly lifelike wax figures of the biggest stars and icons in entertainment, sports and history.

- In Opening Night Party you can rub shoulders with stars like Leonardo Di Caprio and Johnny Depp. Discuss family values with the Osbournes or compare tattoos with Angelina Jolie. Make friends with Robert Pattinson but be careful not to get caught in the tabloids, the paparazzi are relentless
- Step into our Music Room and join Justin Bieber, Taylor Swift and more in a night of pounding bass and juicy gossip. No tough security or pretentious doorman, just mention that you are on Gaga's list!
- Don't miss the NEW Marvel Super Heroes 4D Experience! Step inside the top secret command center to unlock your powers alongside wax figures of Captain America, Thor and more. Pass their tests and advance to the thrilling finale, a short 3D film with 4D special effects from water and wind to tremors, making you 'feel' like part of the action!
- Celebrate New York's greatest icons and moments in The Spirit of New York. Stand alongside Marilyn Monroe in a classic NY scene, ring the bell or ring the Stock Exchange next to Donald Trump and more!
- In Sports Zone you can hoop it up with Carmelo Anthony, pitch to Derek Jeter, and test your boxing skills in the ring with Evander Holyfield!
- Some of the world's greatest sports and entertainment icons are featured in decade-specific vignettes in Pop Culture, complete with the fashions, trends, news and fads of the era. From Charlie Chaplin to Elvis Presley, Frank Sinatra to the Spice Girls, every generation gets their moment with their favorite nostalgic star.

For additional tourism attractions and dining experiences, visit: www.NYC.com

TRANSPORTATION

BY TRAIN

LIRR (Stony Brook Station to Penn Station)
For fare and schedule information, refer to www.lirr.org

BY BUS

7BUS PROVIDES SBU-TO-NYC TRANSPORTATION SERVICE



The Stony Brook University community now operates a fresh alternative to travel between SBU and New York City. 7Bus, a Long Island-based transit company, offers both direct and indirect service between the Stony Brook campus and New York City seven days a week.

This service offers westbound transportation between the Student Activities Center, Rego Park/Queens, 40th Street & 3rd Avenue, 50th Street & 3rd Avenue and 60th Street & 3rd Avenue. For eastbound travelers, bus stops in New York City are located on Lexington Avenue on 40th, 47th, and 59th streets, followed by stops in Rego Park/Queens and the Student Activities Center. The Rego Park/Queens destination will allow passengers the ability to connect with multiple subways to travel to locations in Queens and Brooklyn.

7Buses are equipped with free WiFi, plasma monitors, reclining leather seats, a newsstand library and personal power outlets. Travel time between SBU and New York City is estimated to take between 90 and 120 minutes each way; one-way fare ranges from \$7 to \$15 depending on demand and when a ticket is purchased.

7Bus tickets are only available via online reservation and reservations are required in order to board the bus and use the service. 7Bus is separate from existing transportation services offered by the University.

For more information, including schedules, destinations and reservations, contact 7Bus directly at: **Website:** www.7bus.com **Phone:** (631) 725-7777