

New York Trip Itinerary * March 15-20, 2016 * Updated 2.9.16
Ballard Advanced Women's Chorale and Concert Choir

Tuesday, March 15, 2016 – WEAR BALLARD CHOIR TSHIRTS

- 8:30 p.m. Arrive at SeaTac Airport – United Airlines Check-In Desk*
- *Please utilize one carry-on bag and one personal item (purse/backpack) to avoid baggage fees*
- 10:55 p.m. United Airlines Flight #1695 Departure to Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR)

Wednesday, March 16, 2016

- 7:12 a.m. Arrive at Newark Liberty International Airport
- Time to freshen up and eat breakfast at the airport (on your own)
- 8:30 a.m. Load Buses for trip into NYC
- 9:30 a.m. Arrive at Park Central Hotel – Drop off bags with concierge - 870 – 7th Avenue, NYC * (212) 247-8000
- 10:00 a.m. Time to explore Times Square and eat lunch at a food cart (on your own)
- 12:00 p.m. Meet at Park Central Hotel Lobby / Walk to American Museum of Natural History
- Central Park West and 70th Street, NYC * (212) 769-5100*
- 12:30 p.m. Time to explore American Museum of Natural History
- Admittance includes Museum, Special Exhibits, Planetarium Show (1:30) and IMAX Show (2:30)
- 4:00 p.m. Walk back to Park Central Hotel for Room Assignments
- Free Time to relax until Group Dinner
- 6:45 p.m. Meet in Lobby / Subway Ride to Little Italy
- 7:30 p.m. Group Dinner at La Mela Ristorante (provided) - 167 Mulberry Street, NYC * (212) 431-9493
- 9:15 p.m. Subway Ride Back to Hotel
- 10:00 p.m. Room Checks
- 10:30 p.m. Lights Out

Thursday, March 17, 2016 – WEAR UNIFORMS FOR FESTIVAL DAY!

- 6:30 a.m. Wake-Up Call
- 7:00 a.m. “Grab and Go” Breakfast at Hotel (provided)
- 7:15 a.m. Load Buses for drive to Queens College - 65-30 Kissena Blvd, Flushing, NY
- 8:30 a.m. Festival Check-In / Begin Rehearsals / Box Lunches (provided)
- 4:30 p.m. Rehearsals Conclude / Load Buses for drive back to Park Central Hotel
- 5:30 p.m. Free Time at Hotel and Surrounding Vicinity to Relax / Freshen Up / Dinner (on your own)

8:00 p.m.	Meet in Hotel Lobby to walk to 30 Rockefeller Center
8:30 p.m.	“Top of the Rock” Observation Deck
9:30 p.m.	Return to Hotel
10:00 p.m.	Room Checks
10:30 p.m.	Lights Out

Friday, March 18, 2016

7:30 a.m.	Wake-Up Call
8:00 a.m.	“Grab and Go” Breakfast at Hotel (provided)
9:00 a.m.	Meet in Hotel Lobby / Walk to Central Park
9:30 a.m.	Impromptu Performance in Central Park
	Walk 5 th Avenue or Madison Ave for Window Shopping & Exploring on way to Grand Central Terminal
	Visit St. Patrick’s Cathedral (half-way point to Grand Central Terminal)
11:30 a.m.	Meet in Main Hall of Grand Central Terminal - <i>89 E. 42nd Street, NYC</i>
	Lunch in the Food Court (on your own)
12:15 p.m.	Continue NYC Walking Tour on 42 nd Street
	Highlights may include New York Public Library, Bryant Park, Fashion District
2:00 p.m.	Arrive at Calvary Baptist Church for Festival Rehearsal - <i>123 W. 57th Street, NYC</i>
4:00 p.m.	Return to Hotel to change for Concert / Dinner (on your own)
6:00 p.m.	Call Time at Carnegie Hall - <i>881 – 7th Avenue, NYC * (212) 247-7800</i>
8:00 p.m.	Carnegie Hall Concert in Stern Auditorium
10:45 p.m.	Return to Hotel
11:00 p.m.	Room Checks
11:30 p.m.	Lights Out

Saturday, March 19, 2016

7:30 a.m.	Wake-Up Call
8:00 a.m.	“Grab and Go” Breakfast at Hotel (provided)
9:00 a.m.	Special Clinic for Advanced Women’s Chorale / Concert Choir in attendance for support
10:15 a.m.	Subway Ride to Greenwich Village
10:45 a.m.	Time to Explore / Lunch (on your own)
12:30 p.m.	Subway Ride to Staten Island Ferry Whitehall Terminal

1:30 p.m. Round Trip Cruise on the Staten Island Ferry to see Statue of Liberty

3:00 p.m. Subway Ride back to Park Central Hotel with time to Relax / Dress Up for Dinner and Show

4:30 p.m. Meet in Hotel Lobby

5:00 p.m. Group Dinner at Ellen's Stardust Diner (provided) – 1650 Broadway, NYC * (212) 956-5151

8:00 p.m. Broadway Musical of "Something Rotten" at St. James Theater – 246 W. 44th Street, NYC

10:30 p.m. Return to Hotel

11:00 p.m. Room Checks

11:30 p.m. Lights Out

Sunday, March 20, 2016 – UNITED GROUP

4:00 a.m. Wake-Up Call

4:30 a.m. "Grab and Go" Breakfast (provided)

Pack Bags / Check Out of Hotel Rooms

5:00 a.m. Load Buses

6:00 a.m. Arrive Newark Liberty International Airport for Flight Check-In / Security

8:00 a.m. United Flight #1074 Departure from EWR – Arrive SeaTac at 11:00 a.m.

Sunday, March 20, 2016 – ALASKA AIR GROUP of 12*

9:00 a.m. Wake-Up Call

9:30 a.m. "Grab and Go" Breakfast (provided)

Pack Bags / Check Out of Hotel Rooms

10:00 a.m. Activity TBD

2:00 p.m. Shuttle from Hotel to Newark Liberty International Airport

3:20 p.m. Arrive Newark Liberty Airport for Flight Check-In / Security

5:20 p.m. Alaska Air Flight #11 Departure – Arrive SeaTac at 8:40 p.m.

**Students have already been notified if they are traveling in this small group.*

Meals Provided

4 Breakfasts

1 Lunch

2 Dinners

Meals Not Provided*

1 Breakfast

4 Lunches

2 Dinners

**There are many inexpensive food options in New York City, especially if students visit the food carts and cafes.*