



**Group  
Travel**



## Iconic New York City

SEPTEMBER 13-17, 2026

### COST PER PERSON

DOUBLE .....	<b>\$2,439</b>
SINGLE .....	<b>\$2,959</b>
TRIPLE .....	<b>\$2,269</b>
QUAD .....	<b>\$2,189</b>

Optional pre-paid AAA Group Travel  
Tour Host gratuity.....**\$20**

*Rates and inclusions are per person based on occupancy and include AAA Member Discount. \$750 per person deposit due at time of booking. Final payment is due June 15, 2026*



MOTORCOACH  
TRANSPORTATION  
WITH DRIVER  
GRATUITY



HOTEL  
ACCOMMODATION  
NIGHTS



MEALS  
WITH  
GRATUITIES



BAGGAGE  
HANDLING



SERVICES OF  
AAA GROUP  
TRAVEL  
TOUR HOST

### ACTIVITY LEVEL CHALLENGING

Fast pace; frequent physically challenging activities; walking on varied terrain and/or up to two miles at a time; longer tour days. This Activity Level is not recommended for travelers with serious medical conditions.

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Discover the sights, stories, and skyline that define New York City on this unforgettable getaway. Visit Liberty and Ellis Islands to explore America's immigrant roots, then walk through Wall Street and the Financial District, stopping at iconic landmarks before reflecting at the 9/11 Memorial & Museum. Take in sweeping views of the city from the observation decks of the Empire State Building and enjoy guided tours of The Met Cloisters and The Metropolitan Museum of Art. With hop-on, hop-off sightseeing buses, enjoy free time to explore Manhattan at your own pace, and gain insight into global diplomacy during a guided tour of the United Nations Headquarters. Cap off your New York experience in style with a New York Bateaux Premier Dinner Cruise, featuring elegant dining, live entertainment, and breathtaking nighttime views of the city's illuminated skyline.

### INCLUDES:

- ▶ Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse with driver gratuity
- ▶ 4-nights hotel accommodations
- ▶ 7 meals: 4 breakfasts, 3 dinners including a New York Bateaux Premier Dinner Cruise featuring a prix fixe menu, live entertainment, and panoramic skyline views
- ▶ Roundtrip ferry transportation from Liberty State Park to Liberty Island and Ellis Island
- ▶ Statue of Liberty experience, including admission to Liberty Island and a self-guided audio tour exploring the history and global symbolism of this iconic monument
- ▶ Ellis Island Immigration Museum admission and audio tour, featuring access to the historic Registry Room, Treasures from Home exhibit, American Family Immigration History Center, American Immigrant Wall of Honor, and the opportunity to view the award-winning documentary "Island of Hope, Island of Fears"
- ▶ Guided walking tour beginning at Battery Park, continuing through the Financial District, Wall Street, and Trinity Church
- ▶ Admission to the National September 11 Museum & Memorial
- ▶ Admission to the Empire State Building observation decks
- ▶ Guided tour of The Met Cloisters
- ▶ Guided tour of The Metropolitan Museum of Art
- ▶ 48-hour Hop-on Hop-off Big Bus tickets for independent exploration of New York City
- ▶ One-hour guided tour of the United Nations Headquarters
- ▶ Baggage handling (1 piece per person)
- ▶ All applicable taxes, fees, and included meal gratuities

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## ITINERARY

### DAY 1

Travel from Buffalo, Rochester, and Syracuse to the New York City area. Upon arrival, check in and settle into your hotel, then enjoy a hosted reception followed by an included welcome dinner, offering a relaxed opportunity to meet fellow travelers and get ready for the exciting days ahead. (D)

### DAY 2

Following breakfast at your hotel, begin the day with a guided journey into New York City and a ferry ride to two of the nation's most important landmarks: the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island. Explore Liberty Island with an included audio tour, then step into the immigrant experience at the Ellis Island Immigration Museum, home to the historic Registry Room and powerful exhibits. After returning to Manhattan, enjoy a guided walking tour through Battery Park, Wall Street, and the Financial District, including photo stops at the Charging Bull and historic Trinity Church. In the afternoon, reflect at the National September 11 Memorial & Museum. The day concludes with dinner at Stella 34 Trattoria, a modern Italian restaurant located on the sixth floor of Macy's iconic flagship store, featuring authentic Italian cuisine and stunning views of the Empire State Building. After dinner, enjoy a visit to the Empire State Building observation decks, where sweeping nighttime views showcase New York City at its most dazzling. (B, D)

### DAY 3

Start the day with breakfast at your hotel before traveling uptown for a guided tour of The Met Cloisters, a remarkable museum devoted to medieval European art, architecture, and gardens. Continue to the Metropolitan Museum of Art for a guided visit through one of the world's greatest art collections. Later, receive 48-hour Hop-On Hop-Off Big Bus tickets and enjoy a free evening exploring New York City at your own pace. (B)

### DAY 4

After breakfast at your hotel, tour the United Nations Headquarters on a guided visit through the halls of international diplomacy, including the General Assembly Hall and Security Council Chamber (as available). Spend the afternoon enjoying free time in Midtown Manhattan using your Hop-On Hop-Off Big Bus tickets for shopping, sightseeing, or relaxation. In the evening, board the elegant New York Bateaux Premier Dinner Cruise, featuring a gourmet meal, live music, and panoramic views of the Manhattan skyline, Statue of Liberty, Brooklyn Bridge, and more. (B, D)

### DAY 5

After breakfast, check out of the hotel and depart for home, taking with you unforgettable memories of America's most iconic city. (B)

## PICK-UP LOCATIONS:

### Buffalo

AAA Administrative Office  
100 International Dr., Amherst

### Rochester

RIT Inn & Conference Center  
5257 West Henrietta Rd., Henrietta

### Syracuse

Syracuse Doubletree Hotel  
6301 State Route 298, East Syracuse

## HOTEL:

Embassy Suites by Hilton Newark Airport, Elizabeth, NJ (4 nights)

**NOTE:** This tour is booked as the above inclusions state. It is possible due to unforeseen circumstances that some inclusions may change in future months. Should that happen, AAA Group Travel will take all necessary steps to find a suitable replacement for the tour.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** AAA Western and Central New York recommends the purchase of Allianz Travel Insurance products to protect your trip investment. Visit [AAA.com/GroupTravel](http://AAA.com/GroupTravel) for full tour Terms & Conditions.

Cancellation Penalties:	
Date of deposit – May 1, 2026	\$150 administrative fee per person
May 2, 2026 – June 15, 2026	Loss of deposit per person
June 16, 2026 – day of departure	100% non-refundable per person

