



Education First

*Explore America*

# WASHINGTON, D.C. & NEW YORK

5 days | Washington, D.C. | Philadelphia | New York City



## Your itinerary

### Day 1

#### Welcome to Washington, D.C.!

Planned by Charles L'Enfant, Washington, D.C. has served as the seat of Congress since 1800. Upon arrival, meet your EF Explore America Tour Director, who will accompany you throughout your stay.

#### Guided Sightseeing of Washington, D.C.

Your Tour Director, a licensed Washington, D.C. guide, introduces you to the sites where national policies and political reputations are formed and reformed daily. Take a photo in front of the White House, home of every U.S. president except George Washington. View the iconic Washington Monument from the grassy National Mall, and look for your home state at the National WWII Memorial, the first national memorial dedicated to all who served during World War II.

#### Arlington National Cemetery

Observe the quiet dignity of Arlington National Cemetery, the final resting place of more than 200,000 veterans and their families. As you enter the Cemetery, you'll see the Women in Military Service for America Memorial, the only major national memorial honoring women who have served in the US Armed Forces. You'll also witness the changing of the guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

#### The United States Marine Corps Memorial

The cast bronze depiction of Marines raising the flag at Iwo Jima honors all those who have served in the Marine Corps since its inception in 1775.

#### Lunch Included

Tour Director distributes \$15 each.

#### Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture

Visit the National Museum of African American History and Culture, where all Americans can learn about the richness and diversity of the African American experience, what it means to their lives, and how it helped shape this nation. Subject to availability.

#### The Smithsonian Museums

Explore all that the Smithsonian's museums have to offer during a self-guided visit. The Smithsonian Institution is the world's largest museum and research complex, endowed by James Smithson and created by an act of Congress in 1846.

#### Dinner in Washington

Enjoy your evening meal, provided by EF Explore America.

#### Guided Evening Sightseeing of Washington, D.C.

Experience the magic of seeing Washington's most impressive sights illuminated during your evening scenic tour downtown. Points of interest on your tour include the Lincoln Memorial, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, and the Korean War Memorial.

#### Hotel in Washington, D.C. area

Arrive and check into your hotel.

*Overnight in Washington, D.C. area*

### Day 2

#### Breakfast in Washington, D.C.

#### Excursion to Mount Vernon

Travel through the Virginia countryside to Mount Vernon, the lovely retreat overlooking the Potomac River where George and Martha Washington lived from 1754 to 1799. Explore the elegant estate's 500 acres of grounds and gardens, including the reconstructed slave quarters, Slave Memorial, and Washington's tomb.

#### Lunch Included

Tour Director distributes \$15 each.

#### Group Photo in Washington, D.C.

Get a professional photograph of your entire group for long-lasting memories of your trip to Washington, D.C.

#### U.S. Capitol Building & Visitor Center

Visit the U.S. Capitol Building, the city's epicenter and the heart of the American legislature. Tour subject to availability.

#### Photo Stop at the Library of Congress and U.S. Supreme Court

Make a photo stop at the green-domed Library of Congress and the imposing white-marble Supreme Court building.

#### Dinner in Washington

Enjoy your evening meal, provided by EF Explore America.

#### Explore the Tidal Basin

Continue your exploration of Washington, D.C. with a walk around the Tidal Basin for some of the most impressive memorials in D.C.: the Jefferson Memorial, the Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial, and the Martin Luther King, Jr. National Memorial.

*Overnight in Washington, D.C. area*

### Day 3

#### Breakfast in Washington, D.C.

#### Travel to Philadelphia

#### Lunch Included

Tour Director distributes \$15 each.

#### Guided Visit of Independence Hall

A local guide shows you Independence Hall, a World Heritage Site where the Declaration of Independence was adopted and the U.S. Constitution was written. George Washington oversaw the debate of the Constitution here over a four-month period in 1787 before it was ratified by nine states, taking effect on June 21, 1788.

#### Visit to the Liberty Bell Center

The Liberty Bell Center is home to the Liberty Bell, the famously cracked 2,000-pound bell made of mainly copper and tin that was originally cast for the Pennsylvania State House.

#### Travel to New York City

**Dinner in New York City**

Enjoy your evening meal, provided by EF Explore America.

**Top of the Rock Observatory**

See unparalleled views of New York City from the Observation Deck on the 70th floor of 30 Rockefeller Center.

**Hotel in New Jersey**

Arrive and check into your hotel.

*Overnight in New Jersey*

**Day 4****Breakfast in New Jersey****Visit the 9/11 Memorial and Museum**

Explore the global implications of the events of September 11, 2001 at the National September 11 Memorial Museum, which displays artifacts associated with the events of 9/11 while presenting stories of loss and recovery. Afterwards, visit the Memorial's twin reflecting pools, which sit within the footprints where the Twin Towers once stood.

**Guided Tour of New York City**

A licensed guide leads your sightseeing tour of New York City. You'll explore the mosaic of Manhattan neighborhoods that make the city so unique. Drive through Greenwich Village, New York's eclectic province of bohemians, immigrants and students, and pass the cast-iron architecture of impossibly trendy SoHo (from "SOuth of HOuston Street"). And it just might feel as if you've left the States and crossed an ocean as you take in the vibrant life of Chinatown and the personality of Little Italy.

**Lunch Included**

Tour Director distributes \$15 each.

**New York City One-Way Subway Ride**

Do as the locals do and hop on the subway for an unforgettable ride underneath Manhattan.

**Circle Line Liberty Cruise**

Experience the grandeur of New York on the Circle Line Cruise. You'll enjoy magnificent views of the world's premier skyline and a close-up view of Lady Liberty.

**Dinner in New York City**

Enjoy your evening meal, provided by EF Explore America.

**Times Square**

Be dazzled by a dizzying array of towering electronic billboards, sounds of street performers and the buzz of the crowds that make this intersection a one-of-a-kind spectacle.

**Broadway Show**

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

*Overnight in New Jersey*

**Day 5****Breakfast in New Jersey****Tour of Radio City Music Hall**

Go behind the scenes at "America's greatest showplace." Learn about the Great Stage, view Art Deco designs, see the mighty Wurlitzer Organ, experience the private apartment of the Music Hall's founder, Roxy Rothafel, and visit the active rehearsal halls. Top it all off by meeting one of the Rockettes.

**Central Park**

Make a stop in 843-acre Central Park, an idyllic oasis in the concrete jungle. Join the more than 35 million annual visitors that make Central Park the most visited urban park in the United States.

**Lunch Included**

Tour Director distributes \$15 each.

**Depart for home!**

Your tour director assists with your return home.



# TOUR PRICE QUOTE

WASHINGTON, D.C. & NEW YORK

PREPARED FOR  
Rebecca Clark

PREPARED ON  
August 11, 2022

YOUR TOUR NUMBER  
2566653FT

YOUR TOUR WEBSITE  
efexploreamerica.com/2566653FT

## ALL-INCLUSIVE PRICE

Based on a private tour with 70+ paying travelers  
Price valid for travelers enrolled by August 31, 2022

Student  
**\$2,279**

Adult  
**\$2,679**

### PRICE BREAKDOWN

Program Fee ..... \$2,379  
Early Enrollment Discount\* ..... -\$100

\*Valid for two weeks following your enrollment meeting

Protect your travelers with the Travel Protection Plus Plan for \$279.  
Ask your Tour Consultant for details.

For every 10 paying travelers, 1 chaperone travels FREE

Adult supplement required for age 20 and older at the time of travel. Change and cancellation fees of up to the total price will apply. Applicable airline baggage fees are not included and can be found at [www.EFExploreAmerica.com/Baggage](http://www.EFExploreAmerica.com/Baggage). All prices subject to verification by an EA tour consultant. To view EA's Booking Conditions, visit [EFExploreAmerica.com/BC](http://EFExploreAmerica.com/BC).

Breakfast excluded on day of arrival; dinner excluded on day of departure (Unless otherwise noted)

## Your travel details

### TOUR LENGTH

5 days

### DEPARTING FROM

Sacramento

### GUARANTEED TRAVEL DATES

Friday, March 15, 2024 - Tuesday, March 19, 2024

Group will depart on a red-eye the night prior to tour start date

## Your experience includes

### AIRFARE AND TRANSPORTATION

### HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

### OVERNIGHT SECURITY

### MEALS AS SPECIFIED

### ALL GRATUITIES

### GUIDED TOURS AND ACTIVITIES

### FULL-TIME TOUR DIRECTOR

Your Tour Director stays with your group 24/7, providing local insight and knowledge, while handling every on-tour detail.

### TRAINING AND SUPPORT

We prepare new Group Leaders on a free Training Tour, and provide personal support every step of the way.

### TRAVELER RESOURCES

We offer travelers flexible payment options as well as a dedicated support team to manage finances and answer tour questions.

### 24-HOUR EMERGENCY SUPPORT

Travelers and their families can count on EF's dedicated emergency service team while on tour.

### EXPERT TOUR PLANNING

Your dedicated EF team provides expertise every step of the way—from recruiting and enrolling travelers to planning and managing your tour.

### ILLNESS AND ACCIDENT COVERAGE

Rest easier knowing your travelers are covered on tour with EF's comprehensive coverage plan.

### \$50 MILLION LIABILITY POLICY

Group Leaders and schools are protected while on tour.