

Cuthbertson Middle School Honor Band

New York City, New York

March 14-17, 2026 (3 nights / 4 days)

Day 1 Saturday, March 14, 2026 New York City (D)

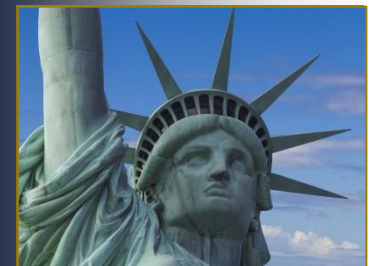
Afternoon arrival in New York City
Meet your MCI Tour Manager for an orientation tour of the city
Sightseeing and NYC orientation tour may include Midtown, 5th Avenue, Rockefeller Center, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Radio City Music Hall, NBC Studio Store, Grand Central Terminal, and 42nd Street Deco architecture
Optional: Attend a Broadway Play/Musical (additional cost)
Evening Welcome Dinner at a local restaurant
Check-in to the hotel for overnight

Day 2 Sunday, March 15 New York City (B,D)

Breakfast at the hotel
Tour the Upper Westside including Harlem, Apollo Theatre, Grant's Tomb, and Columbia University
Lunch, on own
Continue sightseeing of Central Park, Strawberry Fields, Bethesda Fountain, Lincoln Center, and Time Warner Building
Cuthbertson Middle School Honor Band extended private clinic session with guest clinician*
Evening dinner at a Times Square area restaurant
Evening sightseeing includes a trip to the top of the Empire State Building or Top of the Rock for a view of the Big Apple
Return to the hotel for overnight

Day 3 Monday, March 16 New York City (B,L)

Breakfast at the hotel
Morning sightseeing as time allows
11:00am ***Cuthbertson Middle School Honor Band matinee performance at Carnegie Hall as part of National Concerts National Band and Orchestra Festival****
Lunch included at local restaurant
Tour the Lower Manhattan sights of Battery Park, Wall Street, Trinity Church, Federal Hall (where George Washington was sworn in as the First President), Winter Garden, 9/11 Memorial (Museum is additional cost, minimum 2 hours, with strong content), Chinatown, Little Italy and Greenwich Village, as time allows
Continue sightseeing including Lincoln Center and the Cathedral of St. John the Divine
Evening catered post-concert reception*
Return to the hotel for overnight



Day 4 Tuesday, March 17 New York City (B)

Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out

Morning sightseeing may include the High Line elevated park along the Hudson River with public art and gardens, Brooklyn Bridge walk, Greenwich Village, or Macy's shopping

Afternoon departure for home

**Subject to confirmation*

***This is a very flexible itinerary.** Except for confirmed appointments and performances, the places of interest and the sequence of sightseeing might be changed if necessary or desirable. In the event of an unavoidable conflict in the performance and the sightseeing schedule, the concert schedule will prevail, and it may be necessary to exclude some sightseeing activities.*

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