

New York City - Brooklyn Bridge

June 20 - Aug 29

JUNIOR ENGLISH CENTERS

Ages: 14-18

 Summer
Ambassadors

Located in Brooklyn Heights, the New York City - Brooklyn Bridge center offers the highest quality of accommodation, leisure, dining, and teaching facilities. The residence is within a tree-lined residential area that features a promenade along the East River and unrivaled views of Manhattan and the Statue of Liberty. English language classes are held on the campus of a state-of-the-art college in Downtown Brooklyn.

The Experience

- **Visit to Iconic Landmarks:** Explore the best of the Big Apple, including the famous Empire State Building and the State of Liberty.
- **Unique View:** Picturesque view of the Brooklyn Bridge and the breathtaking NYC skyline.
- **Central Location:** One subway stop away from Manhattan.
- **Modern University:** State-of-the-art facilities with English language courses taught by certified teachers.

-  Round-trip transfers (JFK Airport)
-  Full and half-day trips to Manhattan
-  Excursions, Sports & Activities
-  Full board accommodation
-  Ensuite rooms
-  ESL (or equivalent) qualified teachers
-  24-hour supervision

The Residence: Brooklyn Heights

Students will reside in Brooklyn Heights Residence, located in an elegant tree-lined neighborhood that provides a fantastic view of Manhattan's skyline and the Statue of Liberty. The university residence features double and triple rooms with private facilities, furnished in a simple and functional manner, following the standards of American student housing, providing everything necessary for a unique stay while exploring the Big Apple!

Features:

- Double and triple rooms with private bathrooms
- Air conditioning
- Mini-fridge
- TV room
- Laundry facilities
- 24-hour reception
- CCTV-monitored area
- Free Wi-Fi



The College: St. Francis College

Founded in 1859, St. Francis College offers the best amenities for language study and stands out for its modern spaces. The college is excellently connected to the city center, just a short walk from the subway station, enabling quick access to Manhattan for scheduled excursions and activities.

Facilities:

- Attended by American and international students, fostering a highly multicultural environment.
- Modern and cutting-edge study rooms equipped with electronic whiteboards and PCs.
- 24-hour reception, 24-hour surveillance staff, and CCTV service.
- Restaurant offering personalized diets for individuals with celiac disease, vegetarians, vegans, and other intolerances.

Academic Program

Upon arrival, a placement test will be administered to each student to determine the level of English proficiency in accordance with the Common European Framework. Students are grouped in small classes led by CELTA (or equivalent) certified teachers.

Weekly classes provide 15 hours of engaging and informative English language study with a focus on task-based learning that strengthens English communication skills through common topics and tasks. Certificates are provided to each student after successful completion of their coursework during a graduation ceremony.

Highlights:

- Small teacher-to-student ratio
- 15 hours of weekly English language lessons
- CELTA (or equivalent) certified teachers
- Certificate of Completion provided at the conclusion of coursework.
- Graduation ceremony and assembly



Excursions, Activities & Optionals

New York City is home to many of the world's most iconic landmarks. Students will have the opportunity to enhance their language learning experience as they explore the best of New York City with visits to museums, tourist attractions and historical places. On-site activities include dance parties, talent shows and sports competitions that allow students to have fun, practice the learned language and develop friendships.

As New York City lies within proximity to other Great American cities along the eastern corridor of the United States, optional trips may be customized and organized for interested groups and individuals as one-day trips or overnight stays.

In addition, groups and individuals may combine their stay in New York with stays in additional SLS Summer Ambassadors centers in Boston, MA and Los Angeles, CA.

Full-Day Excursions:

- Statue of Liberty Cruise & Museum Visit
- Central Park & 5th Avenue
- Coney Island Beach Visit
- Lower Manhattan Walking Tour (includes SoHo, Little Italy, and Chinatown)

Half-Day Excursions:

- Times Square & Broadway
- Empire State Building
- Brooklyn Bridge Walking Tour
- World's Largest Macy's, 34th Street and Herald Square Shopping Experience
- 9/11 Memorial, Wall Street & Financial District Walking Tour
- DUMBO (Down Under Manhattan Bridge Overpass) Tour
- Chelsea Market & High Line Walking Tour
- Greenwich Village:
- Grand Central Station
- Museum of Modern Art (MoMA)
- American Baseball Game
- New York by Night (3 Evening Outings)
- Dinner at Hard Rock Cafe
- Rockefeller Center
- Skyline Sports Night

Optionals:

- Great Adventure (Six Flags Amusement Park)
- Washington, D.C.
- Philadelphia, PA
- Boston, MA

Sample Program

	Arrival	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
Breakfast		On-Campus					
Morning		Orientation & Testing	Statue of Liberty (Full Day)	Soho, Little Italy & Chinatown	Lesson	Lesson	Lesson
Lunch		On-Campus	Off-Campus		On-Campus		
Afternoon	Check-In	Lesson	Statue of Liberty (Full Day)	Grand Central Station	Central Park & 5th Avenue	Museum of Modern Art (MoMA)	Empire State Building
Dinner	Packed	On-Campus		Off-Campus	On-Campus		Off-Campus
Evening	Icebreakers	Brooklyn Bridge/ DUMBO	Times Square by Night	Baseball Game	Rockefeller Center	Sports	Macy's / 34th St Shopping

*Please note that the above program is a sample of a typical week and is subject to change.



Center Dates

- ▶ Opens: June 20, 2024
- ▶ Closes: August 29, 2024

Duration

- ▶ 1 week or 2 weeks
- ▶ Starting day: Thursdays