



USA - Sample Itinerary

Day One

Arrive at Washington, D.C., the capital of the United States, in the late afternoon and after settling into the hotel after the long journey from Israel, we will meet for dinner and spend the evening exploring the Georgetown Area.

Day Two

The architecture of the city is remarkable and today we will explore most of the major monuments and special buildings. Begin the day at the White House Visitor's Center with an interactive virtual tour, interactive multimedia exhibits, and a wide variety of artifacts from The White House Collection. Next stroll throughout the city on a walking tour of the monuments. See the White House, the National Ellipse; The Lincoln Memorial, The Washington Monument, The Vietnam Veterans Memorial, The Korean War Veterans Memorial, The Reflecting Pool, The World War II Memorial, and more! Finish the tour with a visit to Ford Theatre where the assassination of United States President Abraham Lincoln took place. In the evening, enjoy a comedy show at a local venue.

Day Three

The First Amendment to the United States Constitution protects citizens' right to freedom of speech. Learn about this sacred American value at the Newseum, an interactive museum that promotes free expression, while tracing the evolution of communication in America. Next head over to the Smithsonian Museums and choose to from either the National Museum of the American Indian, the Air and Space Museum, or the Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden (modern and contemporary art). In the evening, visit and explore Dupont Circle.



Day Four

Head up the East Coast to New York City. After a great lunch at Ben's Kosher Delicatessen, spend some time exploring midtown Manhattan including the famous Macy's flagship store. After preparing for Shabbat back at the hotel, join the local Jewish community for "Shabbat Shabbang" at the JCC of Manhattan followed by Shabbat dinner.

Day Five

Walk up the famous 5th Avenue and along the way, see the Plaza Hotel, Tiffany's, Trump Tower, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Radio City Music Hall, Apple Store, Rockefeller Center, and the Empire State Building. A Shabbat picnic in Central Park for lunch followed by time to see the various noteworthy features of this famous park. In the late afternoon, visit the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Enjoy a free evening in the city.

Day Six

We will begin our day at the somber 9/11 Memorial Museum. Remembering that tragic day, we will hear the stories of some of those who perished. Next, we will see the Charging Bull Statue, Wall Street, and the NY Stock Exchange. Take a ride on the Staten Island Ferry and see the Statue of Liberty. After a visit to the Brooklyn Bridge, we will have free time in Times Square followed by a Broadway Show!

Day Seven

In the morning, we will explore Chinatown and Soho. In the afternoon, you will meet the camp bus to head to Pennsylvania.

July/August

Have a wonderful two months working as a counselor at the NJY Camps!

