



# **Explore New York**

There are few cities in the world as exciting and as celebrated as New York. Whether it's history, culture or entertainment that you want, it's a place that will never disappoint.



# **Key facts:**

Location: East Coast, USA

Population: New York: 8.4 Million, Bronxville: 6,400

Nearest airports: JFK, Newark

Nearest cities: Philadelphia, Washington D.C. and

Boston

# New York highlights



Manhattan is home to some of the world's most iconic landmarks and attractions. **Grand Central Station, The Empire State Building, Times Square** and **The One World Observatory** are just a few of the places you'll want to see.



A short boat trip on the Hudson River will take you to the <u>Statue of</u> <u>Liberty and Ellis Island</u>, where you can learn about America's fascinating history of immigration.



New York has plenty of parks to enjoy, no matter what the season. Some of the best include <u>Central Park</u>, <u>Battery Park</u> and the unique <u>High Line Park</u>



New York has an array of distinctive neighborhoods to explore, some of which are the <u>West Village</u>, <u>Soho</u> and <u>Tribeca</u>



Don't miss the opportunity to catch a world-famous show on <u>Broadway</u>- choose from one of hundreds with leading artists from around the world!

#### Food and drink

Go for Brunch at one of New York's famous breakfast diners – make sure you are hungry before you leave!

Try an original Italian pizza – brought to New York by Italian immigrants in the 1900s, pizza has been a New York speciality ever since

Don't miss a delicious fresh bagel or pretzel from one of the many street stands offering them hot and crispy!

Go into one of the many tempting local delicatessens, where you will be overwhelmed with options: sandwiches, salads, pastries, smoothies and much, much more!

Check out the many local guides for your favourite type of food:

- NYC.com
- Time Out New York Restaurant Guide
- The New York Times Dining Guide
- Zagat

#### **Sports and fitness**

New York has a whole host of sporting teams to watch in action, and support. They include:

- Giants: www.giants.com
- Jets: www.newyorkjets.com
- Yankees: newyork.yankees.mlb.com
- Mets: newyork.mets.mlb.com
- Rangers: www.newyorkrangers.com
- Islanders: www.newyorkislanders.com
- Knicks: www.nba.com/knicks
- Liberty: www.wnba.com/liberty

There are also many opportunities for Kings New York students to get involved in sports on-campus year-round.



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#### Entertainment, arts and culture

Don't miss the opportunity to see your favourite artist at one of the many <u>concerts</u> held in New York – from rock, to jazz, to pop, to blues – there is a musical event to suit everyone - every night of the week!

Spend a day touring some of the world-famous museums and art galleries – <u>MOMA, The Guggenheim, The Met</u>, and many, many more

Go see a movie at one of the many <u>movie theaters</u> around the city, from independent films to Hollywood blockbusters

Practice your English skills with a trip to a Comedy Show and get under the skin of the New York sense of humour!

#### Day trips and excursions

Visit the historical city of <u>Boston</u> – just a short 1-hour flight or a peaceful 4-hour train ride up the coast – for some fresh seafood and a change of scene

Spend a day in <u>Philadelphia</u> – known as one of the coolest cities on the East Coast and declared a World Heritage City since 2015

Visit the political center of the USA with a trip to <u>Washington D.C</u>

<u>Woodbury Common Premium Outlet Park</u> is a great place to find a bargain within easy reach of NYC

Get back to nature and visit the world-famous Yosemite Natural Park





# Explore Kings New York

Kings New York is a great option for students who want to experience living and learning in the USA in a safe, relaxed campus environment, whilst still only 30 minutes from the bright lights and excitement of New York City. Kings New York is on the campus of Concordia College, just 35 minutes from Manhattan by train, offering on site residence accommodation and a range of athletic and sporting facilities.

### **School facilities**

Well-equipped, spacious classrooms

Well-stocked libraries

Performing arts and worship center

Athletic center with full-size gymnasium, weight room, fitness and sports training center, squash courts, indoor and outdoor tennis courts, baseball, soccer, and softball fields

Music practice rooms in the Concordia College Conservatory

Computer Learning Centre

Free WiFi internet in College















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# **School location**

The campus is set in the safe, affluent village of Bronxville in Westchester County, New York, and is around 30 minutes by train from the heart of Manhattan.

Students here enjoy safe, attractive surroundings, but with the benefit of easy access to the bright lights of New York City.

Except for a few chain stores, including a Starbucks, most shops in Bronxville are independent. There is also a variety of restaurants to enjoy.

### **Courses offered**

**Intensive Course** 

**Diploma of Intensive English** 

English For Fashion, Art and Design

**TOEFL Preparation** 

**Compact Course** 

**Vacation Course** 

**Vacation TOEFL** 

**Discover New York** 

**GO: Prepared** 

## **Key dates**

Kings New York is open all year except for the following public holiday dates:

### Public Holidays 2020

Monday 20 January (Martin Luther King Day) Monday 13 April (Easter)

Monday 25 May (Memorial Day) Friday 3 July (Independence Day)

Monday 7 September (Labor Day)

Thursday 26 November (Thanksgiving) Friday 27 November (Thanksgiving)

#### Christmas holiday dates 2020 - 21

21 December 2020 to 3 January 2021 inclusive



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## Who you'll meet



"I experienced first-hand what it was like to learn the English language in an academic setting and navigate American society and culture. At Kings, I draw upon my experiences to ensure optimum educational outcomes for our students."



"I love welcoming and supporting new students and helping them find their way around campus, Bronxville and Manhattan. We try and create a warm and caring environment where students feel they can come to the office at any time and know we are here to help them."



"Here at Kings, it is a warm and welcoming ambiance for each and every student. Along with the wonderful team, I have the opportunity of coming up with new ideas to improve student lives and ways in which they can have the best experience living on campus."

# **Accommodation options**



#### On campus student residence

The <u>on-campus student residences</u> are just a 1 – 5-minute walk from the main Kings New York teaching centre, and there are single, twin and triple rooms available.

The residences are divided into sections with 9 – 19 beds per section and 2 showers and 2–3 toilets per section and separate floors and areas for male and female students.

Students have the use of at least one common room per hall, with TV, microwave and vending machines.

Students may be housed in either the Romoser and Rippe, Koepchen, Sieker, Bohm residence halls.

Full-board meals (19 per week) are included in the price and are provided at the campus dining hall in a self-service format.



#### **Homestay**

Homestay is a great way to experience day-to-day home life in the USA.

We have strong relationships with many local hosts including working families, couples, single people and retired people, who would all like to welcome you into their home.

Our homestays are all very carefully selected and regularly inspected by our experienced Accommodation Officer

The average distance from our host families to the school is around 45–55 minutes by public transportation

## Download all New York accommodation factsheets and photo galleries here

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# **School life and community**

Take advantage of the wealth of extra-curricular opportunities available at Kings New York. These enrichment options are fantastic for both personal and professional development and allow you to put your new language skills into practice outside class.

#### Social programme

Our exciting and varied social programmes offer the opportunity to get involved in just about any activity you wish!

From sports to cultural activities, visits to museums, art galleries, concerts, or even trips to another city or country, your free time will always be full of fun, friendship, and adventure.

#### Popular activities include:

International picnics

Movie night

Ice cream social

Brunch with Kings

NYC museum, gallery and attraction visits

On-campus sports

Game nights

Karaoke nights

Local park visits

### Career guidance opportunities

All English language students also have the option to get involved in a range of career guidance opportunities.

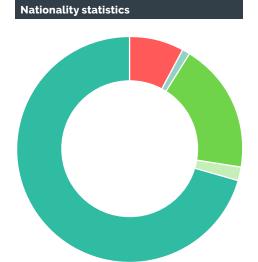
This additional support is designed specifically for students who are preparing for their next steps in life, whether that be university progression, preparing to start a new job, or even entering the world of work for the first time.

Example options include — workshops or lectures; one-to-one university counselling; Special Interest Group (SIG) options.

# Fundraising, community engagement and volunteering

Kings is proud to support our official charity partner United World Schools. Our students get involved in all kinds of exciting fundraising activities and events throughout the year.

There are also opportunities to get involved in volunteering outside of Kings in the local community, which can teach you a wide range of skills, as well as being hugely rewarding



- Western Europe 15%
- Middle East 1%
- Asia 26%
- China/Hong Kong/Macau 1%
- Americas 57%

Nationality Statistics July 2018 – July 2019

