

Chinese Life in America

Chinese Language and Culture Immersion Experience
in Chinatown, New York City

Three-Day or Five-Day Trip



Three-day trip highlights

- Day One New York City and Chinatown Manhattan Asian-American History
- Day Two Chinatown, Flushing Community service and Karaoke
- Day Three Chinatown, Flushing Mingle with Chinese heritage students



Optional two days add-on



One day in New York City
Dumpling making & cooking class



One day in Chinatown, Flushing
Martial arts and Chinese
painting classes

Who Is This Trip For?

All educators, leaders and students of

- Mandarin
- Global education
- East Asia studies
- Asian-American history
- Ethnic studies
- World languages



The Flushing District in the New York City

A True Mandarin World in the U.S.



Why Flushing?

1. Instantly immerse into a pure native speaking environment in the so-called Mandarin Town.
2. The most vibrant ethnic minority borough in New York City.
3. Dive into the biggest contemporary Chinese community life without leaving the U.S.

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4. The "food mecca" of the best and most authentic Chinese regional cuisines outside of Asia.
5. The center of global Asian culture where you will experience traditional performances, activities and arts in their modern settings.
6. Flushing is super quick at importing the latest cultural trends from China and Asia.



This three/five-day adventure will give students opportunities to

- Immerse into the rich, diverse culture and heritage of China,
- Open their minds regarding food, friends, and people,
- Understand the value of diversity and inclusion,
- Learn about traditional and contemporary Asian-American societies,
- Experience Chinese culture through community services and hands on workshops,
- Bond with friends via travel and build new friendships after long period of remote learning.

Day one – Chinatown, Manhattan, NY

- Arrive in New York City
- Lunch at a dim sum restaurant
- WTC Ground Zero
- Columbus Park in Chinatown to see old fashioned activities 打牌 下棋 麻将
- Museum of Chinese in America
- Experience the old Chinatown
- Dinner in 武昌好味道 - one of Ang Lee's favorite restaurants
- Flushing Commons to see new fashion activities 广场舞
- Check into hotel





Dim Sum

Lunch in a Traditional Cantonese restaurant



Visit the National September 11 Memorial
and Ground Zero



Museum of Chinese in America

Columbus Park

Experience old fashioned activities in a true community





Welcome Dinner

Flushing Commons

Experience new-fashioned activities in a true community





Flushing, Queens, NY

Along with ethnic food and fun entertainments, you may also get to experience "unofficial tradition" of local morning or evening exercises and performances

Day two –Flushing, Queens, NY

- Breakfast at 飞达西饼
- Community service in a local senior center
- Visit 纽约金刚雷藏寺 True Buddha Diamond Temple
- Lunch at the New World Mall
- Explore the new Chinatown neighborhood
- Enjoy Asian style karaoke
- Dinner at a world-famous hotpot restaurant
- Return to hotel





Choose and enjoy traditional breakfast at a well-known local Chinese bakery



Community Service

Teach English and technology to seniors

True Buddha Diamond Temple of New York

纽约金刚雷藏寺

Enjoy a relaxing and
mindfulness time





Lunch at an exciting "food mecca" in the New World Shopping Center



Explore the new Chinatown neighborhood



Asian Style Karaoke



Dinner at a popular hotpot restaurant

Day three –Flushing, Queens, NYC

- Chinese regional breakfast
- Mingle with Chinese heritage students
- Souvenir hunting
- Lunch at family-owned bakery
- Departure for home





Choose breakfast food from different regions



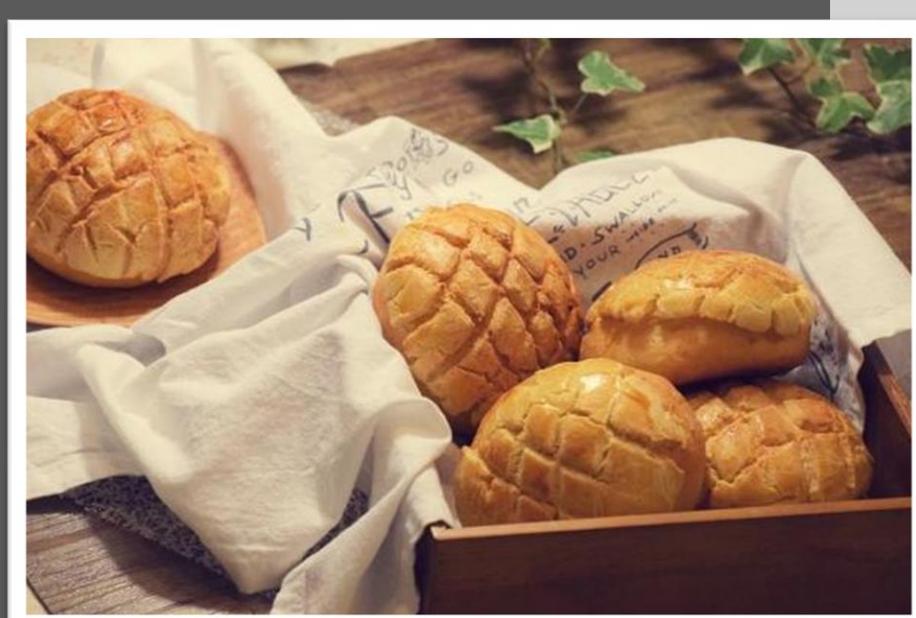
Mingle with Chinese heritage students



Experience true community and make new friends



Souvenir hunting
Experience communicating with the locals



Bubble Tea 奶茶

Experience new fashion food culture in America



Optional Two-Day **Extension**

Experience more in Chinatown and New York City

Day four – New York City

- Breakfast in hotel
- Ride subway to Manhattan
- Comprehensive New York City tour
- The Metropolitan Museum of Art
- Lunch at a famous Sichuan restaurant
- Cooking workshop-making dumplings
- Enjoy after dinner walking in Times Square and on Broadway





Explore New York like a native - by foot and subway

The Metropolitan Museum of Art

The Met's collection of Asian art is one of the largest and most comprehensive in the world.



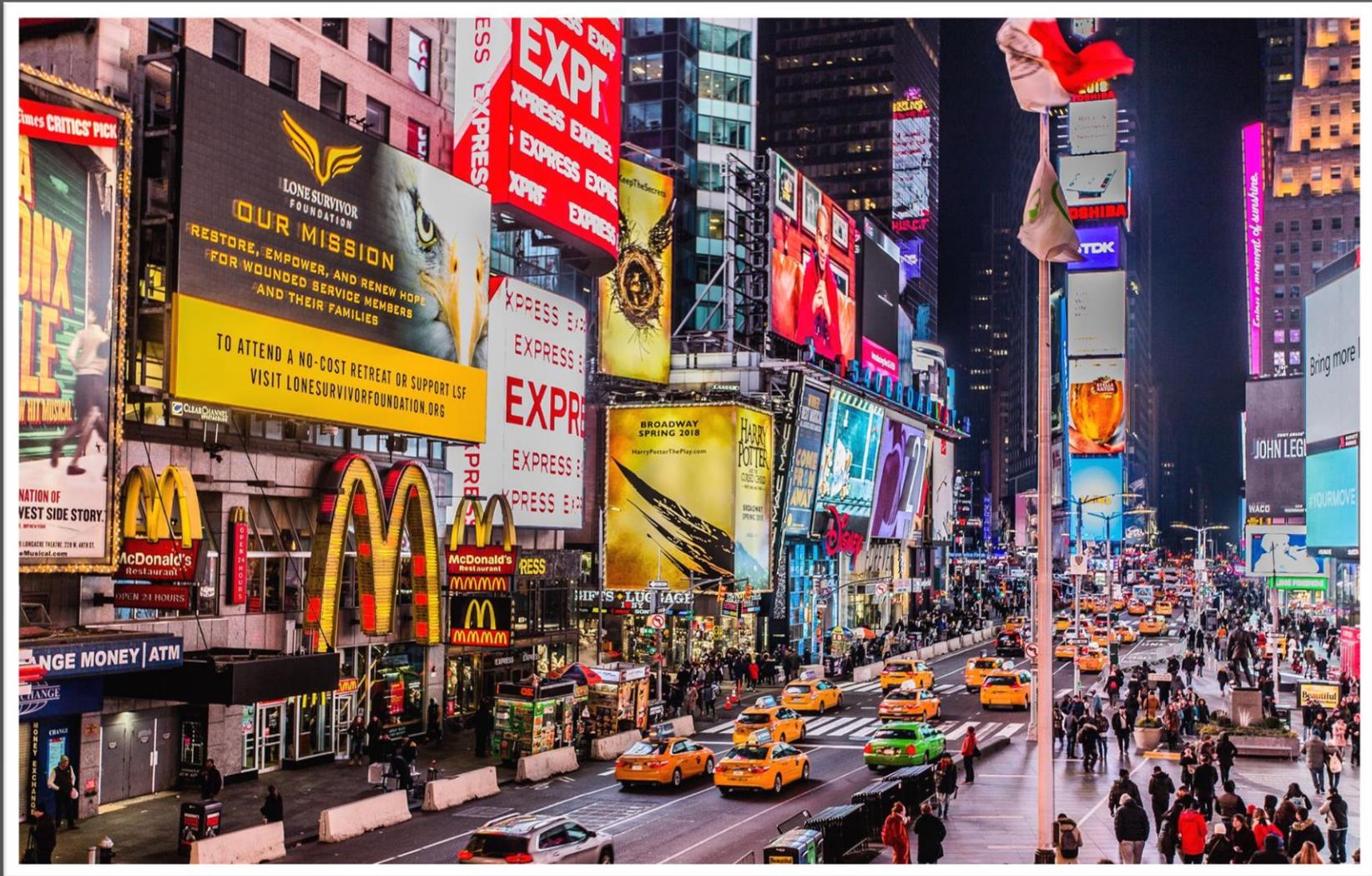
Enjoy Sichuan hot spicy lunch in the heart of New York City



Cooking Working Shop

Make dumplings and cook for your own dinner in a famous Chinese restaurant in New York City





Times Square Excursion

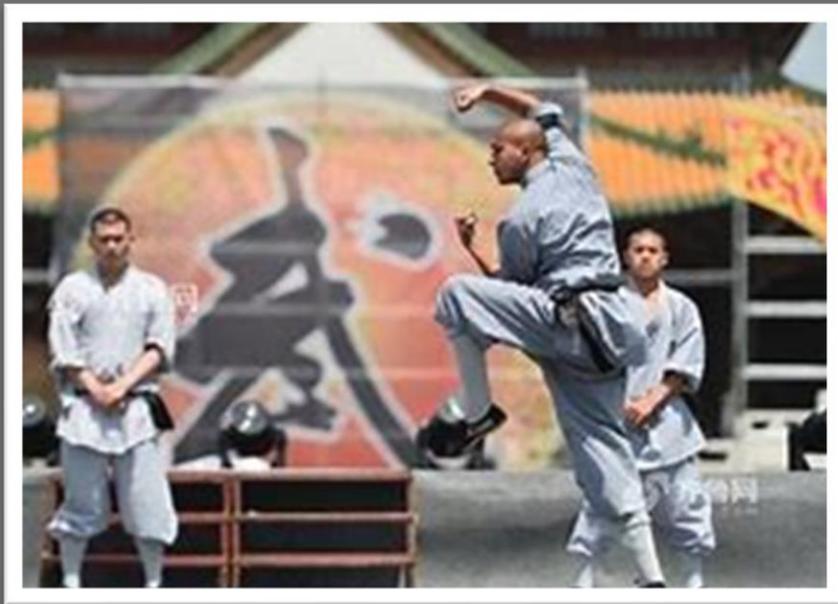
Day five – Chinatown, Flushing, NY

- Chinese style breakfast
- Martial arts class at the Wu Tang Martial Arts Institute
- Lunch at the New World Mall
- Chinese painting at the Red, Yellow, Blue arts school
- Chinese style BBQ dinner



Martial Arts

Learn traditional Shaolin and Wu Tung in a local martial arts institute





Painting Class

Learn Chinese watercolor painting and bring your work home as a special souvenir





Three-day trip

# students	All inclusive price
12-29 pax	\$996
30-41 pax	\$869
42+	Please inquire

Five-day trip

# students	All inclusive price
12-29 pax	\$1714
30-41 pax	\$1543
42+	Please inquire

Prices Include:

- 3-star hotels
- All ground transportation
- English/Chinese speaking local guide
- All meals
- Cultural activities and tours
- Tips for guides and drivers

Prices Don't Include:

- Airfare
- Travel Insurance



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The background of the entire page is a photograph of two women from behind, standing on a waterfront promenade. They are looking across a body of water at the New York City skyline, which includes several prominent skyscrapers under a cloudy sky. The woman on the left has her hair in a large braided bun and is wearing a light-colored top with a tan backpack. The woman on the right has long brown hair and is wearing a light-colored top with a dark grey backpack.

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