

NEW YORK EMPIRE STATE

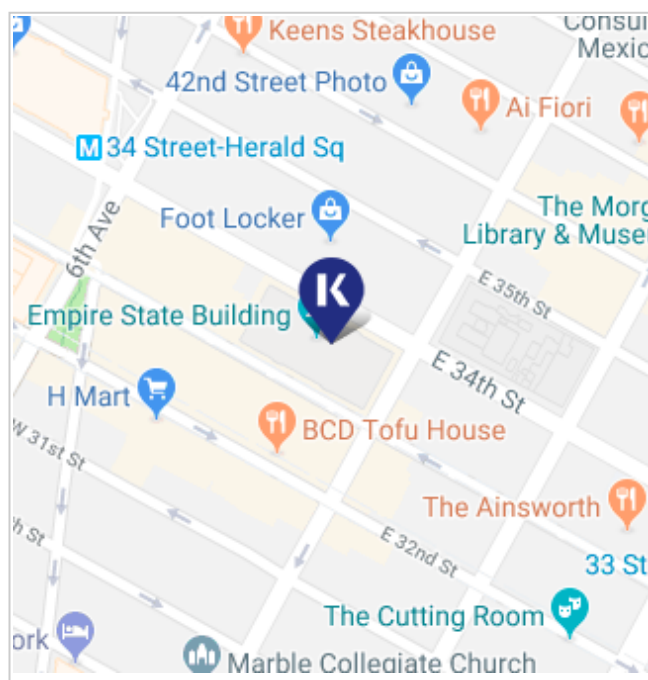
WHY CHOOSE TO STUDY IN OUR NEW YORK EMPIRE STATE SCHOOL?

5 reasons to study here

- Situated on the 63rd floor of the historic Empire State Building
- Located in the heart of Midtown just minutes from Times Square, Bryant Park, New York Public Library, Madison Square Garden, and Fifth Avenue shops
- Provides a variety of Specific Skills classes, including a unique Theater Program
- Offers TOEFL® exam preparation courses
- Study and practice your English with students from 50+ countries

Location and contact information

ADDRESS:	350 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10118
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FAX:	N/A
EMERGENCY CONTACT:	+1 (718) 906-1045
AT THIS ADDRESS SINCE:	2003
PROVIDING ENGLISH COURSES SINCE:	2003



School information

SCHOOL DIRECTOR:	Chris Koutsovitis
TOTAL NUMBER OF TEACHERS:	20+ (Full time teachers: 5-10)
LANGUAGES SPOKEN BY STAFF:	Arabic, Chinese Cantonese, Chinese Mandarin, Japanese, Korean, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish
TEACHER QUALIFICATIONS:	All teachers have a level of education normally represented by a degree and they also have a CELTA or equivalent qualification. Some also hold the higher level DELTA qualification, PGCE, or MA in applied linguistics

Accreditations and memberships



Is this school an exam center?

No, it is not an exam center.

ABOUT THE SCHOOL

NUMBER OF BUILDINGS:	1
NUMBER OF FLOORS:	1
TOTAL NUMBER OF CLASSROOMS:	18 (Classrooms without windows: 6)
SCHOOL FACILITIES:	Elevator, air conditioning, heating, Wi-Fi (free), computer lab/ multimedia center, vending machine, student lounge/ common room
WHEELCHAIR / DISABLED ACCESS:	No
EXTRA COST OF FACILITIES:	No
OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED:	Airport transfer, UPS (University Placement Service), Medical Insurance
EXTRA COST OF OTHER SERVICES:	Airport transfer: \$180; UPS: \$175
NUMBER OF COMPUTERS AVAILABLE:	31
LEVELS OF ENGLISH OFFERED:	Elementary, Lower Intermediate, Intermediate, Higher Intermediate, Advanced, Proficiency
FIRST DAY AT SCHOOL:	Orientation starts every Monday at 08:30. This includes registration, a placement test, presentations, and student introductions. On their first day, students are expected to bring their passport, I-20, proof of health insurance, and at least \$100 cash for weekly activities.



SAMPLE CLASS TIMETABLE

Morning

CLASS:	08:30 - 10:00
BREAK:	10:00 - 10:10
CLASS:	10:10 - 11:40

Afternoon

CLASS:	13:50 - 15:20
BREAK:	15:20 - 15:30
CLASS:	15:30 - 17:00

SAMPLE SPECIFIC SKILLS CLASS TIMETABLE

Morning class (Monday to Thursday)

12:10 - 13:40

Afternoon class (Monday to Thursday)

12:10 - 13:40

SCHOOL MATERIALS

MATERIALS PROVIDED FOR STUDENTS:

K+ curriculum, K +notes, K +tools, K +eXtra, Chromebooks, Interactive whiteboards

IS THERE A BOOK DEPOSIT?

No

IS THERE A MATERIALS FEE?

No



Courses and students

COURSES PROVIDED AT THIS SCHOOL:

General English, Semi-Intensive English, Intensive English, Academic Year, Academic Semester, Business Supplementary, TOEFL IBT & Academic English Exam Preparation

SPECIAL / EXTRA COURSES PROVIDED:

AVERAGE NUMBER OF STUDENTS PER CLASS: 11-15

MINIMUM AGE OF STUDENTS: 16

AVERAGE AGE OF STUDENTS: 26-30

STUDENTS PER AGE GROUP: 18-21: 20% / 22-25: 35% / 26-30: 30% / Over 30: 15%

TOP 10 STUDENT NATIONALITIES: Germany, Italy, Spain, Brazil, South Korea, Turkey, Japan, France, Argentina, Thailand

School location and transport

	By foot	By bike	By bus	By subway/train
Time to the nearest café / restaurant:	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute
Time to the nearest supermarket:	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute
Time to the nearest post office:	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute
Time to the nearest ATM / bank:	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute
Time to the nearest sports center:	10 minutes	10 minutes	10 minutes	10 minutes
Time to the nearest hospital:	10 minutes	10 minutes	10 minutes	10 minutes
Time to the city center:	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute



AIRPORT TRANSPORT

CLOSEST AIRPORT: **La Guardia Airport**

	Line or Number	Cost	Duration
Airport to city center by bus:	NYC Airporter	\$15	60 Minutes
Airport to city center by train:	Train F	\$3	60 minutes
International train station to city center:	N/A	N/A	N/A

ABOUT NEW YORK EMPIRE STATE

NAME OF LOCATION:	New York Empire State
FAMOUS LANDMARKS:	Empire State Building, Madison Square Garden, Macy's, Flatiron Building, Times Square, Central Park
CUISINES WITHIN A 20-MINUTE WALK:	American, British, Chinese, European, French, Greek, Indian, Italian, Japanese, Mexican, Middle Eastern, Seafood, Spanish, Thai, Turkish, Vegetarian
TRANSPORT WITHIN A 10-MINUTE WALK:	Train, metro, buses
TOP 5 REASONS TO CHOOSE THIS CITY:	New York City is one of the most exciting cities in the world, the US financial capital, the US cultural capital, the center of art and history in the US, and the top tourist destination world-wide
WHAT MAKES THIS CITY UNIQUE?	Located on 63rd floor of historic Empire State Building
ALTERNATIVE THINGS TO DO:	Explore the local museums, enjoy some world-class shopping, catch some live music, taste cuisines from all over the world
CITY PERSONALITY:	Academic, active, alternative, architecture, artistic, big city, bookstores, broadway, business capital, bustling, buzzing, cosmopolitan, creative, cultural, entertainment capital, famous, fashion, foodie scene, iconic landmarks, independent, professional, sophisticated

Examples of nearby cities to visit

BOSTON	Travel time: 4.5 hours, price of return ticket: \$20-80
WASHINGTON, DC	Travel time: 5 hours, price of return ticket: \$25-80

Regular social activities

SUNSET PARTY ON ROOF	\$10-15
BROADWAY SHOW	\$40-100
BROOKLYN BRIDGE WALKING TOUR	Free
MUSEUM OF MODERN ART	Free
MOVIE NIGHT	Free
MENTOR LUNCH	\$10-20
WASHINGTON, DC WEEKEND TRIP	\$239-420



Typical 2-week social schedule

Days	First week	Second week
MON	New Student Icebreakers	Walking tour
TUE	Bar night	Dance class
WED	Soccer	Museum tour
THU	Brooklyn Bridge and ice cream	Baseball or basketball game
FRI	Sunset party	Broadway show
SAT	Overnight trip to Washington DC	Overnight trip to Boston

Number of Social activities per week: 5



LIVING COST (SAMPLE PRICES FOR ITEMS IN THIS CITY)

- Bottle of water: \$3
- Meal out for two: \$60
- Local bus ticket: \$3
- Cinema ticket: \$13-15
- Coffee: \$2-5
- Takeaway pizza: \$20
- Local train ticket: \$3
- Can of coke: \$2-3
- Sandwich: \$6-9
- Bike rental: \$12/day