

KAPLAN INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES

NEW YORK CENTRAL PARK

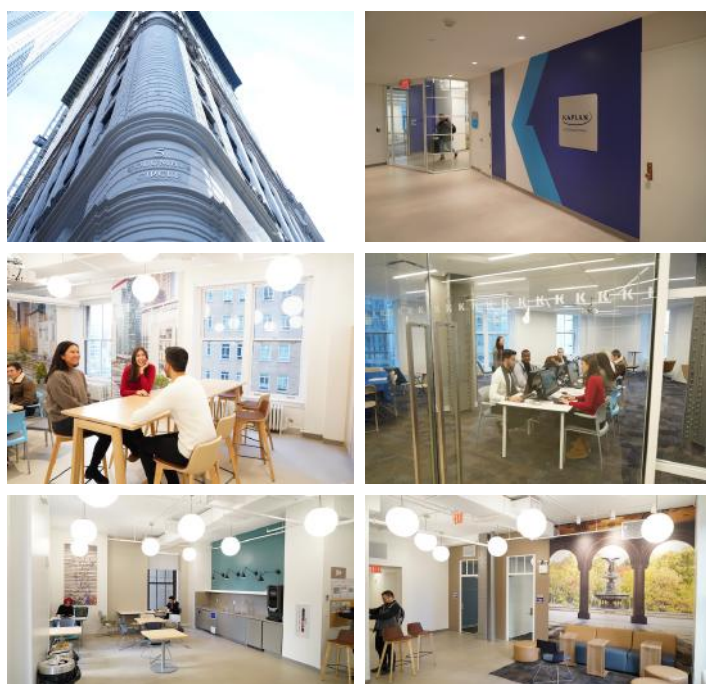
WHY CHOOSE TO STUDY IN OUR NEW YORK CENTRAL PARK SCHOOL?

5 reasons to study here

- Located in Midtown Manhattan next to Central Park and minutes away from Time Square, the Rockefeller Center and Museum of Modern Art.
- New school with state of the art facilities. Easy access to all of New York and next to one of largest subway centers.
- Variety of daily activities organized by the school including Broadway plays, museum trips and sporting events.
- University Placement Services are available; we work directly with 100+ partners
- Real Life English courses in theatre and leadership for a hands on/practical approach to improving English skills. Career development workshops offered by former senior business professionals.

Location and contact information

ADDRESS: 1790 Broadway, New York, NY 10019
 PHONE: 646-285-0300
 FAX: N/A
 EMERGENCY CONTACT: +1 (718)-906-1045
 AT THIS ADDRESS SINCE: 2019
 PROVIDING ENGLISH COURSES SINCE: 2019



School information

SCHOOL DIRECTOR: Chris Koutsovitis
 TOTAL NUMBER OF TEACHERS: 25+ (Full time teachers: 4)
 LANGUAGES SPOKEN BY STAFF: Spanish, Chinese, Turkish, French, Portuguese, Korean, Hindi, Urdu, Polish & Greek
 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

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| NUMBER OF BUILDINGS: | 1 |
| NUMBER OF FLOORS: | 2 |
| TOTAL NUMBER OF CLASSROOMS: | 15 |
| SCHOOL FACILITIES: | Elevator, air conditioning, heating, Wi-Fi, computer lab/ multimedia center, student lounge/ common room |
| WHEELCHAIR / DISABLED ACCESS: | Yes |
| EXTRA COST OF FACILITIES: | None |
| OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED: | Accommodation, Airport transfer, University Placement Service, Medical Insurance |
| EXTRA COST OF OTHER SERVICES: | See our price list |
| NUMBER OF COMPUTERS AVAILABLE: | 28 |
| LEVELS OF ENGLISH OFFERED: | All levels |
| FIRST DAY AT SCHOOL: | Orientation starts every Monday at 08:30 on the 5th floor. 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

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

Afternoon

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| 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, Chromebases, Interactive whiteboards

IS THERE A BOOK DEPOSIT?

No

IS THERE A MATERIALS FEE?

No



Courses and students

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| COURSES PROVIDED AT THIS SCHOOL: | General English, Semi-Intensive English, Intensive English, Academic Year, Academic Semester, Business Supplementary, TOEFL IBT & Academic English Exam Preparation, GRE preparation, GMAT preparation |
| SPECIAL / EXTRA COURSES PROVIDED: | N/A |
| AVERAGE NUMBER OF STUDENTS PER CLASS: | 10–15 |
| MINIMUM AGE OF STUDENTS: | 16 |
| AVERAGE AGE OF STUDENTS: | 26 |
| STUDENTS PER AGE GROUP: | |
| TOP 10 STUDENT NATIONALITIES: | Brazil, Colombia, Chile, China, Germany, Japan, Mexico, Saudi Arabia, South Korea, and Taiwan |

School location and transport

| | By foot | By bike | By bus | By subway/train |
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| 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: | 3-5 minutes | 1 minute | 1 minute | 1 minute |
| Time to the nearest hospital: | 2 minutes | 1 minute | 1 minute | 1 minute |
| Time to the city center: | 1 minute | 1 minute | 1 minute | 1 minute |



AIRPORT TRANSPORT

CLOSEST AIRPORT: **John F Kennedy International Airport**

| | Line or Number | Cost | Duration |
|---|-----------------------|------|------------|
| Airport to city center by bus: | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Airport to city center by train: | Airtrain JFK Red Line | \$8 | 60 minutes |
| International train station to city center: | N/A | N/A | N/A |

ABOUT NEW YORK CENTRAL PARK

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| NAME OF LOCATION: | New York Central Park |
| FAMOUS LANDMARKS: | Central Park, Times Square, Statue of Liberty, Empire State Building, Madison Square Garden, Macy's, Museum of Modern Art |
| CUISINES WITHIN A 20-MINUTE WALK: | American, Brazilian, 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: | Located in the heart of Midtown Manhattan next to Central Park, minutes away from Times Square, new school with state of the art facilities, next to one of the largest subway centers, University Placement Services are available; we work directly with over 100 university partners |
| WHAT MAKES THIS CITY UNIQUE? | Located next to the iconic and beloved Central Park |
| ALTERNATIVE THINGS TO DO: | Explore the local museums, enjoy some world-class shopping, go watch some comedy in Greenwich Village, watch the sunset from the High Line |
| CITY PERSONALITY: | Active, alternative, artistic, big city, bookstores, Broadway, business capital, buzzing, cosmopolitan, creative, cultural, entertainment capital, famous, fashion, foodie scene, iconic landmarks, independent, professional, sophisticated |

Examples of nearby cities to visit

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| 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

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



Typical 2-week social schedule

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

ACCOMMODATION IN NEW YORK CENTRAL PARK

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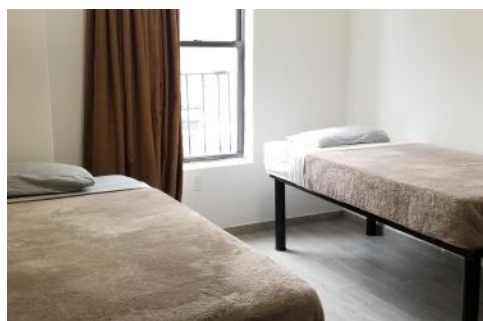


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| ADDRESS: | 481 8th Avenue NY, NY 10001 |
| WEBSITE: | N/A |
| ACCOMMODATION TYPE: | Student halls, single room(s), twin room(s), en-suite bathroom(s), 1 bathroom, shower, communal kitchen for the halls/ hostel, communal lounge/ common area for the halls/ hostel, study area for the halls/ hostel, dining area for the halls/ hostel, TV in the bedroom and common area |
| SERVICES AVAILABLE: | Laundry (extra charge), Wi-Fi, cleaning service (free, additional charge for extra cleaning), students should bring own towels and toiletries |
| EXTRA COST OF SERVICES: | Laundry: \$4 wash and dry; extra cleaning outside of every 4 weeks is \$50 |
| BEDROOM: | TV, mini fridge, wardrobe/ closet, desk, chair |
| KITCHEN: | Microwave, oven, stovetop, toaster, cleaning supplies |
| FACILITIES: | Gym, vending/ snack machine, laundry facilities, coin-operated laundry facilities, lounge with pool table and TVs |
| EXTRA COST OF FACILITIES: | Laundry: \$4 wash and dry |
| FAMOUS LANDMARKS NEARBY: | Central Park, Madison Square Garden, Empire State Building, Time Square, Museum of Modern Art |
| VISITORS OR GUESTS ALLOWED? | Yes - \$5/night for first 3 nights & \$20/night for 4th to 7th night; 7 night maximum; no additional beds available |
| NOISE RESTRICTIONS? | Yes (From 21:00 every day) |
| SMOKING ALLOWED IN THE RESIDENCE? | No |
| 24-HOUR SECURITY? | Yes |
| ROOM CLEANING: | Cleaned on arrival, students are responsible for cleaning their own rooms, one free cleaning every 4 weeks on request; additional charge \$50 for extra cleaning |
| LINEN CHANGING: | Linen cleaned on arrival, students are responsible for washing their own linen |
| AVAILABILITY: | Year-round |
| MINIMUM NUMBER OF WEEKS? | No minimum |
| CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT TIMES: | Check-in: Saturday 15:00 / Check-out: Saturday 10:00 |
| ROOM DEPOSIT? | No |

| | By foot | By bike | By bus | By subway/train |
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| Time to the school (Central Park) | 20 minutes | 8 minutes | 8 minutes | 10 minutes |
| Time to the school (Empire State) | 12 minutes | 5 minutes | 5 minutes | N/A |
| Time to the school (Soho) | 45 minutes | 15 minutes | 25 minutes | 20 minutes |
| Time to the nearest café / restaurant: | 1 minute | 1 minute | N/A | N/A |
| Time to the nearest supermarket: | 1 minute | 1 minute | N/A | N/A |
| Time to the nearest ATM / bank: | 1 minute | 1 minute | N/A | N/A |
| Time to the nearest sports center: | On-site | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Time to the city center: | 1 minute | 1 minute | N/A | N/A |
| Time to the main airport: | N/A | N/A | 45-60 minutes | 45-60 minutes |

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WEST SIDE RESIDENCE



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| ADDRESS: | 315 West 94th Street NY, NY 10025 |
| WEBSITE: | None |
| ACCOMMODATION TYPE: | This residence offers small, studio style single and twin rooms with private bathrooms and efficiency style kitchenettes |
| SERVICES AVAILABLE: | 24 hour concierge, security, wifi, linen and cleaning service |
| EXTRA COST OF SERVICES: | One free cleaning per month on request; additional cleanings cost \$50 |
| BEDROOM: | Studio style with single bed, double beds, or loft / bunk depending on room |
| KITCHEN: | Efficiency kitchenettes are provided in each room with a small fridge, two burners, a sink, and a set of pots and pans, cooking utensils, and dishes |
| FACILITIES: | 24 hour concierge and security, lounge, roof top access (seasonal) |
| EXTRA COST OF FACILITIES: | Laundry is \$4 for a wash and dry; \$50 for extra cleaning |
| FAMOUS LANDMARKS NEARBY: | Central Park, Riverside Park, Beacon Theater, and Columbia University |
| VISITORS OR GUESTS ALLOWED? | Yes; no cost but must present ID |
| NOISE RESTRICTIONS? | Quiet after 10pm |
| SMOKING ALLOWED IN THE RESIDENCE? | No |
| 24-HOUR SECURITY? | Yes |
| ROOM CLEANING: | Yes |
| LINEN CHANGING: | No; students given linen upon checkin but are responsible for washing it throughout the duration of their stay |
| AVAILABILITY: | Year round |
| MINIMUM NUMBER OF WEEKS? | 1 week |
| CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT TIMES: | Check-in: Saturday 3:00pm / Check-out: Saturday 10:00am |
| ROOM DEPOSIT? | None |

| | By foot | By bike | By bus | By subway/train |
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| Time to the school: | 40-50 min | 15 min | 30 min | 20 min |
| Time to the nearest café / restaurant: | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min |
| Time to the nearest supermarket: | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min |
| Time to the nearest post office: | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min |
| Time to the nearest ATM / bank: | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min |
| Time to the nearest sports center: | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min |
| Time to the nearest hospital: | 15 min | 5-10 min | 5-10 min | < 5 min |
| Time to the city center: | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min | < 5 min |
| Time to the main airport: | N/A | N/A | 90 minutes | 90 minutes |

HOST FAMILY INFORMATION



THINGS STUDENTS NEED TO BRING:

Toiletries, personal items to make their room feel like home, prescription medication

SERVICES INCLUDED:

Bed linen, towels, telephone use for emergencies

EXTRA COST OF SERVICES:

No; laundry often not available in home; common price for laundry is \$4 for wash and dry at facilities in building or laundromat nearby

MEALS PROVIDED:

Yes

- **BREAKFAST:** Breakfast is usually a light meal consisting of cereal, fruit, toast, juice, or coffee. Hosts will usually ask you to prepare your own breakfast.
- **LUNCH:** You will be responsible for buying your own lunch at school, from a local restaurant, or the local shops.
- **DINNER:** You will usually eat dinner with your host, or occasionally you may prepare your own meal with food supplied by your host.

WILL THE HOMESTAY ARRANGE TO PICK UP THE STUDENT FROM THE AIRPORT?

No

TRANSPORT TO SCHOOL:

Your host will help you plan your way to and from school on your first day and explain how to use public transport.

WHERE ARE THE HOST FAMILIES LOCATED?

Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, Bronx

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Homestays are 45-60 minutes of commute time to the school.