

## Metropolitan Youth Symphony

### New York City Carnegie Hall Performance Tour

Friday, June 5 – Tuesday, June 9, 2026

5 Days / 4 Nights

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#### Friday, June 5, 2026 – Travel Day & Times Square

##### Flights from Phoenix

##### Flight 1 – American Airlines #636 Terminal 4 / 4:30am arrival JFK

- Depart: Phoenix (PHX) — 7:00 AM MST
- Arrive: New York (JFK) — 2:59 PM EST

**Greeted by Tour Manager:** Trey G.

Airport transfers provided.

##### Flight 2 – American Airlines #1997 Terminal 4 / 7am arrival EWR

- Depart: Phoenix (PHX) — 9:34 AM MST
- Arrive: Newark (EWR) — 5:29 PM EST

Meet & Greet with EPT Representative.

Airport transfers provided.

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##### Hotel Check-In

##### Park Central Hotel

870 7th Ave at 56th Street

New York City, NY 10019-4038

- Regular hotel check-in begins at 4:00 PM
  - Week-long Unlimited MetroCard provided
    - Unlimited subway and bus transportation for 7 days
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## Evening Activities Friday, June 5, 2026

- Dinner Sandwiches & Chips Provided
- Visit Times Square

### Admission to Top of the Rock

Enjoy panoramic 360-degree views from Rockefeller Center's famous observation deck.

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## Saturday, June 6, 2026 – Exploring New York City

### Morning

- Light Breakfast Funds provided

### 10am: Admission to RISE NY Flying Theater Experience

*Lunch on your own*

### Central Park Visit

Enjoy time in New York's famous 840-acre park featuring:

- Belvedere Castle
  - Carousel
  - Wollman Rink
  - Loeb Boathouse
  - Lakes & walking areas
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## Evening Saturday, June 6, 2026

- Return to hotel to change
- Dinner at John's Pizzeria & Restaurant
  - New York pizza, calzones, and salad bar

### Broadway Show – *The Lion King*

Experience Broadway in the heart of the Times Square Theater District.

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## **Sunday, June 7, 2026 – Clinics & Downtown NYC**

### **Morning**

- Light Breakfast Funds provided

### **10:30-12 Ensemble Clinic – MCP**

- One-hour clinic at Westin Times Square
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### **Afternoon Activities**

*Lunch on your own*

### **Visit the 9/11 Memorial**

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### **Evening**

### **6pm Dinner at Jing Fong**

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## **Monday, June 8, 2026 – Carnegie Hall Performance Day**

### **Morning**

- Light Breakfast Funds provided

### **Symphonic Series Performance – Carnegie Hall**

Perform in Stern Auditorium as part of the Carnegie Hall Symphonic Series.

Participating ensembles receive written or recorded comments from nationally recognized conductors.

### **Performance Window**

11:00 AM – 2:00 PM

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*Lunch on your own – want to feed the kids something before they play.*

**Evening Monday, June 8, 2026**

**DJ Dinner Cruise – City Cruises New York**

- Boarding begins at 5:30 PM

Enjoy dinner and breathtaking nighttime views of New York City aboard City Cruises New York.

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**Tuesday, June 9, 2026 – Departure Day**

**Morning**

- Breakfast on your own
  - Hotel check-out
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**Lincoln Center Tour**

Guided tour featuring:

- Metropolitan Opera House
- New York State Theater
- Avery Fisher Hall or Vivian Beaumont Theater

**Free Time**

- Shopping
- Photos at Lincoln Center

**Return to hotel to collect luggage**

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**Return Flights – Airport Transfers**

**Flight 1 – American Airlines #2689 JFK**

- Depart: New York (JFK) — 6:30 PM EST
- Arrive: Phoenix (PHX) — 9:16 PM MST

**Flight 2 – American Airlines #1816 - EWR**

- Depart: New York (EWR) — 5:25 PM EST
- Arrive: Phoenix (PHX) — 7:53 PM MST