

LINCOLN WAY EAST & WEST HIGH SCHOOL THEATER & CHOIRS
HANNA SAMAWI & TOM VENUTOLO; DIRECTORS
DESTINATION: NEW YORK CITY, NY
DATES: APRIL 3-6, 2025

SUGGESTED ITINERARY AS OF SEPTEMBER 6, 2024

THURSDAY, APRIL 3

5:30 AM Group arrives at **Chicago O'Hare Airport** (*group arranging transportation*)
(2 hours in advance)
***Meet your BRT Airport Greeter to help** with check in

Upon arrival Begin check-in process and head through security. **EVERYONE** needs to bring a picture ID along with his/her ticket. Keep them handy throughout check-in & security processing.
Anyone 18 years or older needs to have a state issued ID.

7:30 AM	78 Passengers depart O'Hare for LaGuardia (LGA) on American flight #2723
10:38 AM	Passengers arrive at LaGuardia (LGA)

Upon Arrival: Depart for baggage claim and meet your **BRT Tour Director**

11:40 AM Load **2 local motor coaches**; depart for **your local Manhattan hotel**

12:30 PM Put luggage at the bell stand; walk to **Central Park**

PM Lunch in the area (*student cost*) – *Columbus Circle recommended*

3:00 PM Return to the hotel

PM Check into the hotel; relax until dinner

5:30 PM Walk as a group to **John's Pizzeria**

6:00 PM Enjoy a **pizza dinner!**

7:00 PM Walk over to your **local Broadway Theatre**

8:00 PM Enjoy a **Broadway Show!** (*based on \$100 tickets*)

10:30 PM Enjoy a talk back (*based on availability*)

PM Return to the hotel

FRIDAY, APRIL 4

- AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel
- 8:30 AM Meet in the lobby
- 8:40 AM Walk as a group to a **local Studio Space**
- 9:00 AM **Lincoln Way HS Theater Participates in a Broadway Imagined Workshop – Broadway Up Close**
(based on availability)
This is an up-close and personal 60-minute moderated Q&A panel with Broadway performers and industry professionals. In this open forum, students observe Broadway’s best talking about their lives, sharing personal show-biz stories, and singing special repertoire! Workshop can be tailored to specific interests and fields in the industry
- AM Walk back to the hotel; and change for the rest of the day
- PM Explore **Times Square!**
- Afternoon: Lunch in area (student cost)
- PM Check out the **Drama Book Shop**
266 W 39th St, New York, NY 10018
- 4:30 PM Walk as a group to **Gayle’s Broadway Rose**
228 W 47th St at Friedmans at the Edison Hotel, New York, NY 10036
- 5:00 PM Arrive at **Gayle’s Broadway Rose and enjoy a group dinner**
Gayle’s Broadway Rose features the most talented aspiring NYC Broadway performers, actors, and actresses as your personal singing waiters, waitresses and wait staff.
- 6:15 PM Walk over to your **local Broadway Theatre**
- 7:00 PM Enjoy a **Broadway show!** (based on \$100 tickets)
- 9:30 PM Enjoy a talk back (based on availability)
- 10:00 PM Walk to your hotel

SATURDAY, APRIL 5

***4-ride Metrocard included for the day**

7:00 AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel

8:00 AM Take the subway to **NYU**

9:00 AM **Lincoln Way HS Choir/Theater Participates in a clinic at NYU**
(directors to setup)

Afternoon: Lunch in area (student cost)

11:30 AM Take Subway to **Pier 83**

12:30 PM Enjoy a **“Landmarks of NYC”** cruise!
Head down the mighty Hudson River, past Hudson Yards and Little Island, gliding by the towering One World Trade Center, past Ellis Island until you are just feet away from the Statue of Liberty. Experience breathtaking views of lower Manhattan before quietly slipping under the Brooklyn, Manhattan and Williamsburg bridges for a short journey up the East River before returning to Pier 83 in midtown Manhattan. See all of this in less time than it takes to see a matinee.

2:15 PM Head to **Rockefeller Center**

3:00 PM Enjoy the **Top of the Rock!**
Believe the hype. Top of the Rock’s three levels of indoor and outdoor observation decks deliver spectacular, unobstructed views of the city skyline. With terraces facing east, west, north, and south, Top of the Rock’s panoramic sights make it the ultimate observation deck in NYC. At the pinnacle of 30 Rockefeller Plaza’s 70 floors, it’s one of the top things to do in New York City.

4:30 PM Walk to **Hard Rock Café – Times Square**

5:00 PM Enjoy a **group dinner**
Menu to include a choice of: Original Legendary Burger, The Impossible Burger; Grilled Chicken Sandwich, Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad, Twisted Mac, Chicken and Cheese, Tupelo Chicken Tenders and 2 cookies for dessert.

6:15 PM Walk over to your **local Broadway Theatre**

7:00 PM Enjoy a **Broadway Show!** (based on \$100 tickets)

10:00 PM Walk back to your hotel

SUNDAY, APRIL 6

- AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel
- 8:30 AM Meet in the lobby; store luggage at the bell stand
AM Check out of the hotel
- 10:00 AM Depart for the **Museum of Broadway**
145 West 45th Street
- 10:15 AM Travelers explore the Museum of Broadway
The Museum of Broadway has teamed up with internationally renowned artists, designers, and theatre historians to create an interactive experience that highlights groundbreaking moments in Broadway's history - the moments that pushed creative boundaries, challenged social norms, and paved the way for those who would follow
- Afternoon: Lunch in area (student cost)
- 12:00 PM Meet at **Radio City Music Hall under the marquee**
260 6th Ave, New York, NY 10020
- 12:15 PM Travelers enjoy a **Backstage Tour** (Tour will last about 1.5 hours)
- 1:45 PM Return to the hotel and retrieve luggage
- 2:15 PM Load motor coaches; depart for **LaGuardia Airport**
- 3:00 PM Arrive at the Airport
- Upon arrival* Begin check-in process and head through security. *EVERYONE* needs to bring a picture ID along with his/her ticket. Keep them handy throughout check-in & security processing.
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5:00	PM	78 Passengers depart LaGuardia (LGA) for O'Hare on American flight #527
6:49	PM	Passengers arrive in Chicago O'Hare (ORD)

Upon arrival: Group arranging transportation home

BRT PAYMENTS

We are excited your group is traveling with us!
Below is some information regarding registering and paying for your trip.

Group Name	Lincoln Way East & West H.S. Choir & Theater	Destination	New York City
Group Leader	Hanna Samawi & Tom Venutolo	Trip Dates	April 3-6, 2025

All package costs are based on projected participation and occupancy, and are subject to change.

Participant Type	Trip Price & Occupancy	
Student	\$2,079.00 (all students in quad occupancy)	
	Double	Single
Chaperone	\$2,423.00	\$3,111.00
Registration Link	https://bobrogerstravel.grcoll.co/v2/go/lincolnwayewnyc25	

Payment Details	Due Date	Amount Due
Registration Deadline	October 18, 2024	---
Deposit + Insurance Premium (if selected)	October 25, 2024	\$200.00 + Insurance Premium (if selected) per traveler
Payment #2	November 22, 2024	\$600.00 per traveler
Payment #3	January 17, 2025	\$600.00 per traveler
Payment #4	February 28, 2025	Remaining Balance

Travelers are expected to be up-to-date with payments according to the schedule above in order to maintain a spot on the trip.



CANCELLATION POLICY

All money and fees paid to Bob Rogers Travel prior to cancellation are non-refundable. No refunds or credits will be issued for a canceled traveler without the additional purchase of travel protection. All cancellations must be confirmed via email by Bob Rogers Travel. **No refunds or credits will be issued for a cancelled participant without the purchase of travel protection.**

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INSTRUCTIONS – Must be 18 or older to create an account

STEP 1

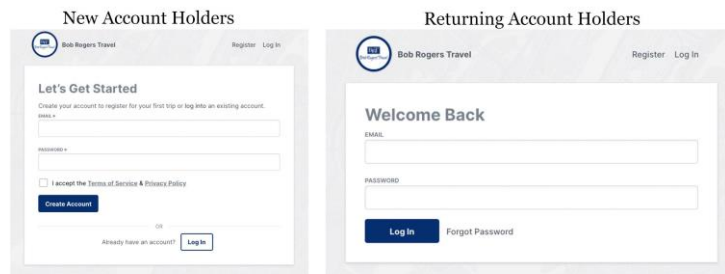
Option 1 (Registration Link)

- Follow the registration link on page 1 and click “Register for this Trip”



Option 2 (Trip Code)

- www.brtpayments.com to begin the registration process.
- Click ‘Register’ and create an account by entering your email address and desired password, accept the Terms of Service and Privacy Policy by clicking the checkbox and click ‘Create Account’
- If you are a returning user, select ‘Log In’ in the right-hand corner and enter your email and password to access your existing account. You’ll be prompted to select an existing trip or enter a new trip code (found in the top right corner of these instructions).



STEP 2: To reserve your spot you must:

- Complete all of the required information by clicking “Add Missing Info” (including personal info, medical info, package type, insurance selection, BRT Terms and Conditions and emergency contact)
- Save a form of payment (either a credit/debit card or bank information)
Credit & debit card payments are charged a 3.0% convenience fee

A partial registration, or a registration without saving a form of payment does not reserve your spot.

STEP 3: Return to pay your deposit on or before the deposit due date (you can also pay at the same time as registration).

- All future notifications will come via email. *(Check junk/spam folder if emails are not received.)*
- If you need to register additional travelers, please login using your email and password, then click on the trip that you’d like to register additional passengers for and select “Add More Passengers”.

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Information About Trip Protection Options

All payments made to Bob Rogers Travel are non-refundable without the purchase of additional trip protection, which is available during the registration process.

Bob Rogers Travel highly recommends you purchase the “Enhanced” plan, as it includes a Cancel For Any Reason provision. This allows you to cancel for any reason and receive a 75% refund.

Covered Cancellation Reasons

Standard Protection	Enhanced Protection
<p>Only covered reasons as outlined in the plan document available at: https://bit.ly/TripMateStandard</p>	<p>Any reason up until 48 hours prior to departure, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poor Grades • Disciplinary Issues • Moving to a new school • Scared to travel • COVID-19 Concerns • Illness of a non-traveling friend or family member • https://bit.ly/TripMateEnhanced

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