

36 Hours Assignment

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36 Hours In Brooklyn, New York

The largest city of the United States that gathered all the diverse culture activities, site visit places, and food and beverage area.



The left-hand side bridge being the Brooklyn Bridge and the right-hand side bridge being the Manhattan Bridge.
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Downtown Brooklyn area that is near the water is known as the Brooklyn waterfront, which is consisted of history that helped the evolution of New York. The Brooklyn waterfront was an important area for transports of goods because of its geographic location. During the 1950s to 1960s, dumbo gained its name of *Shoe Capital of the World* because there was a manufacturer factory that produced $\frac{1}{3}$ of the world's manufactured shoes. Now, near it is the dumbo area, where tons of artists and restaurants are located to express their heritage or culture through the artworks they produce. Various places have their own technique in which they demonstrate the root of their field or the foundation they are setting for their industry.

DAY ONE

1) 12 P.M Heritage Dining

On the edge of the Brooklyn waterfront street corner locates a Japanese-style restaurant called Ramen Bar. This restaurant holds the goal to allow the public to realize the distinction between other Asian cuisines versus Japanese cuisines. “From our Veggie

Miso to our Tonkotsu and our tasty Mayu Black Garlic Oil ramen.” (Ramen Bar, 2019)

Excellent flavor of Veggie miso combined and served with thin-chewy ramen that is special to Japanese cuisines. The prices for ramen ranges from \$14-15. The kitchen is an open-style kitchen to allow their customers not only experience an enjoyable journey of food, but also to able to observe how their food is being prepared. Lastly, the design on the interior is a simple white and brown design with two sides of the wall as window glass. This design highlights the simple life style that Japan is most known for.



2) 1 P.M Jane's Carousel

Do you still remember how European style buildings are constructed? How do designers combine and select the colors they need in order to fit the European style? Originally created in 1922 was the carousel, the paint and color was fading overtime. In 1984, Jane and David Walentas started to preserve this piece of artifact and began to restore it piece by piece. Careful procedures were done in order to recover its original 1922 palette and wood carvings.

This illustrated the heritage of art through its preservation and restoration. The tickets to go in are \$2, with free admission to children under the age of three with a paying adult to accompany. Opening hours are 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM for summer hours, closed Tuesdays, and 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM Thursday to Sunday during the winter time.



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3) 4 P.M Floating Music Concert

Walking towards the Brooklyn waterfront, on Brooklyn Bridge Avenue, there is a small stage for Barge Music. Classical music sets the foundation for almost all genres of music. Music fans will enjoy a delightful musical concert of classical music. The concert hall opens at 4PM on Saturdays for both adults and children. There are tickets on their official websites for family deals and more specific details on the shows. It is the only floating concert hall in the city and it was founded in 1977 by a violinist.

4) 5 P.M Craft DIY

Few blocks away there is a store opened by an online website called Etsy. They offer a workshop called Etsy Labs for the public to join them during craft nights with free admissions. During the workshops, specialists guide you through how to work different craft machines such as sewing machines to a letterpress. This workshop is opened once a month accommodated on different days of the week. They teach you different techniques that have been around for the industry that sets the ground and for the fashion field. Specific dates are available on their website calendar:

<https://www.etsy.com/community/events>.

5) **6PM Brooklyn Bridge**

Coming to New York, it is essential to experience the walk on the Brooklyn Bridge. The bridge was completed in 1883, the bridge is 1,825 m (5,989 ft) with a span of 486 m (1,595 ft). It is one of the most historical landmarks that traces New York City because it was a huge development that enhances the transportation of goods and commute for people between boroughs. It takes about 30-45 minutes to walk one way of the bridge and enjoy the view of both Manhattan and Brooklyn. The bridge is a part of why New York City is the way it is now, it has become a significant part of heritage for a New Yorker.

6) **8 PM Taco For Serve**

After a long trip around Dumbo, a healthy lifestyle diet should be kept as well. Taco Dumbo offers a variety of options, from tuna to vegan style taco. You may also design your own taco. Prices are one taco is around \$5 and \$14-15 for salads and bowls. They also offer soups for sides. If soup doesn't fulfill you, they also offer juice margarita that

you may design on your own.

DAY TWO

7) 11 AM **Enjoy the local**

Also in dumbo, Pearl Street Triangle locates itself on 155 Water Street and Manhattan Bridge Archway. Various different stands are here from 10 AM to 5PM to sell clothings and jewelry. Every stand owner has their own stories in regard to what they sell, especially clothings that are closer to their heritage. Owners are very willing to share their stories at less busy hours. You may get what people come to the Big Apple and what are their goals or plans.

8) 12 PM **Atrium Dumbo**

Striving to offer the most local and fresh meal, atrium dumbo comes in place to become the most favored restaurant in the area. They offer a selection of wines, local draft beer, and seasonal savory cocktail. Bites and share are priced around \$15 to \$20. Meanwhile, the main dishes are from \$25 to \$65. This is a more casual fine dining restaurant.

9) 1:30 PM **St. Ann's Warehouse**

10) At the St. Ann's warehouse is one of the important landmarks of Brooklyn dumbo because of the showcases it offers. Tickets and showcase schedules are on their official website. The showcases they offer speaks to different themes that relates to history as well. The tickets are always \$20 in advanced and \$25 at the door. Their shows are usually 1:30 PM and 7:30 PM. Heritage through performing arts is becoming a new trend into allowing easier understanding as well as more memorable.

11) 2:30 PM General Store



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Weird as it's name, the General Store is very general. The store sells all kinds of things: from clothings, to stationeries. The store offers things that come all over the country such as Italy and Spain, with a majority of vintage style. The store is owned by a Japanese owner wanting to bring a different variety into Dumbo. All the items sold in store are boutique and has its own special unique style. Items for stationeries are around \$12. Meanwhile, the clothings may go up to \$120 per shirt or dress. A walk to the general store will widen your view of things and the particular items that exist.

12) 2:45 PM **Berl's Poetry Shop**



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Quietly laying next to the busy General Store, Berl's poetry shop has many valuable hidden poetry books or just general books. Going into the store, the atmosphere is very calm and casual. The owner works on his own things on a regular desk, no counter.

Going further into the store, there is an area with chairs and a stage. This stage is for their events where different people come and present their works. They also have earphones for people to listen to music and poetry. This is the perfect place to rest your heart as you want to calm down a little from your busy schedule.

13) 3:30 PM **Brooklyn History Museum**

The Brooklyn History Museum is another important landmark of Brooklyn. This place goes out of dumbo but also explores the different time periods of our past and looks at different artifacts, artworks, demonstrations, and etc. There are tickets available for purchase on their official website, as well as at the door. Tickets are \$16 for adults and

\$12 for children. By the name of the museum, it is self-explanatory that the Brooklyn History Museum is consisted of peoples heritage from every places that forms up Brooklyn.

Lodging:

If you prefer a luxury lodging during your trip then, the one hotel is a good choice. They offer dining at their restaurants on the first floor, and a perfect view of Manhattan from their guest rooms. A standard from may be \$399 per night. Or a more affordable option is Tillary hotel in downtown Brooklyn for \$101 per night for two guests.

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