

NYC Food Tour

It was a fulfilling trip...

DAY 1: Brooklyn

Started off my trip with a day in the borough of Captain America! I tried donburi and curry rice from this food hall and supermarket complex—the largest of its kind in the city. I then took the D train all the way south and stopped for a hot dog at the original location of this well-known fast food chain. Not feeling quite full yet, I made my way up to this Italian restaurant, known for their Sicilian square pizza, but I was a little disappointed with the doughy crust and saturation of sauce. I looked for a real slice of NYC pizza, which I found at this small corner pizzeria. Every pie was made by the owner himself! I had to wait almost an hour to get my slice with freshly cut basil leaves on top, but it was definitely worth the long wait. After that delicious meal, I realized I left my wallet back at the Italian restaurant, so I head back there before going to my last stop of the day, this small seafood shack with a waterfront view, known for their cherrystones and littlenecks.

DAY 2: Downtown Manhattan, DUMBO, Williamsburg

Breakfast was egg-cellent at this aptly named restaurant, near the east side of the Williamsburg Bridge. For lunch, I headed back into Manhattan to this market, named after the neighborhood it's in. There were so many restaurants and food stands to choose from! I missed yesterday's pizza, so I took the subway to this pizzeria, down under the Brooklyn Bridge. There was a line across the block to get in! I wanted a snack, so I bought a cronut from this bakery and walked to this dim sum restaurant, originally from Hong Kong, for dinner.

DAY 3: Manhattan, Flushing

I started my day with a lox bagel at this 106-year-old bagel shop and deli, before taking a taxi up to this Koreatown food court. With kimbap in hand, I head to this fine dining, three Michelin starred restaurant for a stunning early dinner. I especially enjoyed the view overlooking the park! Finally, I take the 7 train all the way to this Shanghainese restaurant to try their famous soup dumplings.

DAY 4: All over town

I woke up with a sweet tooth today, so I picked up two chocolate chip cookies from this bakery on the upper west side. While I was there, I found out that they donate their unsold baked goods to charity! For lunch, I grabbed a burger at the original location of this NYC chain that uses only local, organic, and sustainable ingredients. Their Buckaroo was amazing! The next stop was this small ice cream parlor in Chinatown, and I was wowed by the number of flavors they had. After that, I head to Williamsburg to this famous steak house founded in 1887.

There's only one stop left...