NEW ORLEANS

March 9 – 13, $2025 \star April 6 – 10, 2025$





COMMUNITY EDUCATION TRAVEL

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ★ French Quarter Royal Carriage Tour
- ★ Dinner Cruise aboard the SS Natchez
- ★ Guided Tour of New Orleans
- * Mardi Gras World
- ★ Honey Island Swamp Tour
- ★ Café au lait & beignets at famous Café du Monde
- ★ New Orleans School of Cooking
- ★ Dinner at the Court of Two Sisters
- ★ Houmas House Sugar Plantation
- ★ World War II National Museum
- ★ 4-Night Stay at Hotel Monteleone in French Quarter

YOUR ITINERARY

DAY 1 Welcome to New Orleans, Louisiana. Arrive at Hotel Monteleone, located in the heart of the French Quarter for a 4-night stay. Treat your taste buds to dinner in the French Quarter.

DAY 2 Breakfast. Morning guided tour of New Orleans which includes the central business district, Jackson Square, above ground cemeteries, warehouse district, Bayou St. John, Garden District and the famous French Quarter architecture & more! Dinner and jazz entertainment on the Steamboat Natchez — an authentic sternwheeler cruising the Mississippi River.





Discover the most impactful event of the 20th century and the legacy of the WWII generation in thought-provoking exhibits. Explore the American experience in the war that changed the world. From D-Day galleries and the 4D cinematic experience Beyond All Boundaries to the soaring US Freedom Pavilion: The Boeing Center and the groundbreaking Campaigns of Courage, this world-renowned history museum is designed to inspire visitors of all ages in the lessons of World War II and the stories of heroism, tragedy, and liberation.





DAY 3 Breakfast. Behind the scenes tour at Blaine Kern Studios Mardi Gras World. Learn how Mardi Gras floats are made, walk among towering figures of fantasy, marvel at the skill and technology that animate mega-floats and acquire an insider's appreciation of the history and traditions of Carnival. Honey Island Swamp Tour — narrated cruise to see cypress, gators & more! Take a mule-drawn Carriage Tour of the French Quarter. Dinner at famous Court of Two Sisters.

DAY 4 For breakfast today, enjoy a New Orleans tradition, café au lait & beignets at famous Café du Monde. Welcome to the fun, food and folklore of the New Orleans School of Cooking. Enjoy lunch and a demonstration by Creole & Cajun experts who will teach New Orleans specialties & season them with history, tall tales and trivia. Take home the recipes! Guided tour of the historic Houmas House Sugar Plantation.

DAY 5 Breakfast. Visit the World War II National Museum located in New Orleans. Tour ends.





It's been said that the French Quarter begins in the lobby of Hotel Monteleone. This venerable New Orleans hotel sits majestically at the foot of Royal Street. Step outside this historic French Quarter hotel to discover quaint New Orleans restaurants and specialty shops. Enjoy New Orleans attractions just steps from this New Orleans hotel, including Jackson Square, Bourbon Street, the French Market, and the Riverwalk, where you can watch the steamboats along the Mississippi River.

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TOUR PACKAGE

\$2,598 Double Occupancy per Person

\$3,248 Single Occupancy

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN TOUR PACKAGE:

- ★ 4 nights hotel accommodations
- ★ 8 meals: 4 breakfasts, 1 lunch & 3 dinners
- ★ All attractions, tours & admissions, deluxe motorcoach transportation, all tips, taxes & luggage handling, premier local guides, services of your American Classic Tour Director.

TRAVEL INSURANCE:

Add travel insurance to your package at the time of reservation.

DEPOSIT: \$1,000 per Person

FINAL PAYMENT DATE: Due 90 days prior to departure

ACTIVITY LEVEL: 1 2 3





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INCLUDED IN YOUR TOUR PACKAGE

- ★ Hotel Accommodations
- **★ Fine Dining** (see pg. 3 for exact meal count)
- ★ All Attractions, Entertainment & Admission Fees
- **★** Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- ★ Luggage Handling
- ★ Services of an American Classic Tour Director
- ★ Premier Local Guides
- ★ All Tips Included





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