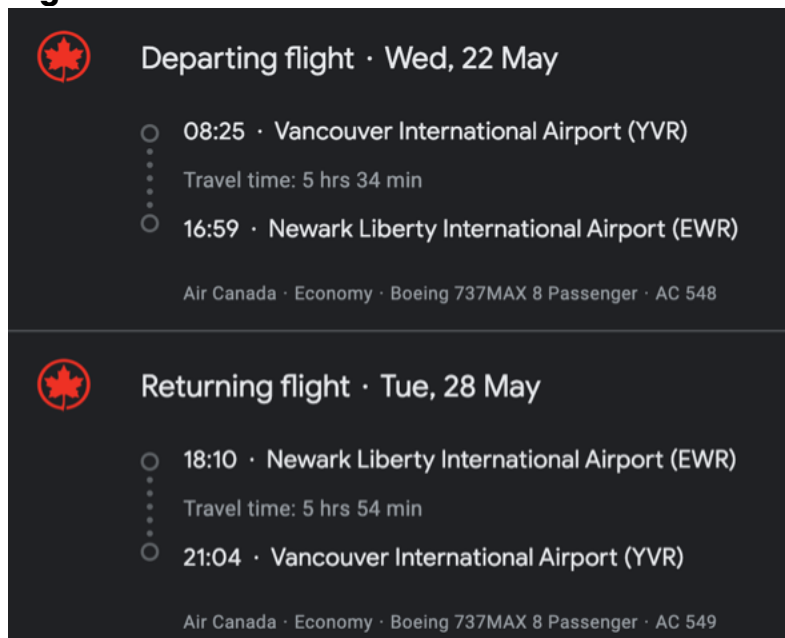


PG NY 2024 Parent Info Night Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Itinerary
3. Flights / Hotels

Wednesday, May 22th: meet at YVR, international departures, Air Canada kiosks at 5 AM sharp for check in.

Flight



The screenshot displays two flight segments. The first segment is a departing flight on Wednesday, May 22, from Vancouver International Airport (YVR) at 08:25 to Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR) at 16:59. The travel time is 5 hours and 34 minutes. The aircraft is a Boeing 737MAX 8 Passenger, flight number AC 548. The second segment is a returning flight on Tuesday, May 28, from Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR) at 18:10 to Vancouver International Airport (YVR) at 21:04. The travel time is 5 hours and 54 minutes. The aircraft is a Boeing 737MAX 8 Passenger, flight number AC 549. Both flights are operated by Air Canada in Economy class.

Please make sure that you are on time Tuesday evening, May 28th, 9:30 PM to pick up your child. Your intrepid chaperones will be aching for bed!

Hotel

Holiday Inn Express Manhattan Midtown West

538 West 48th Street, New York City, NY, 10036, US

4. Packing, luggage

We'll update on the weather as we get closer to the date. Be prepared to dress in layers.
Camera (photography students – required)
Sketchbook and drawing supplies (ziplock bag)

GOOD WALKING SHOES!

Toiletries (100mls max for liquids in ziplocks)

Cathay Pacific

ONE bag 50lbs max recommended. That should be more than enough for a short trip to New York.

Dimensions are 62inches (WxHxD). It's basically most standard large suitcases.

Cabin Bag – 15lbs & 9”H x 14”W x 22”D

Personal Item – laptop bag, purse, camera bag, small backpack, etc. not really monitored on weight.

Returning to Canada:

You may return with a total of \$800 dollars worth of purchases without paying duty on them.

Keep all receipts! You'll need to declare everything when you return to Canada

Please go to the following Gov. of Canada website for further information on international trips.

<http://travel.gc.ca/air>

other helpful links:

<http://travel.gc.ca/air/what-to-pack>

<http://travel.gc.ca/returning/customs/what-you-can-bring-home-to-canada#conditions>

5. Behaviour expectations – tours, airplane, hotels

See attached student behavioural contract.

Hand out forms.

6. PASSPORT INFO

All passports will be collected at hotel and kept in a safe until departure date.

Anyone with Canadian passport — good to go.

Anyone with a foreign passport — need to verify both if they need a visa for travel TO the USA and then also the right documents to get back in, correct. That would be the PR card. Typically the issue is people have an expired PR card and so they cant get back in by air (and have to fly to Seattle and drive in). So yes, please make sure anyone not on a Canadian passport has the appropriate visa needed for both going to the USA and also up to date documents (PR card) for getting back into Canada.

6. Money –

ATM machines – are readily available – yes!

credit cards – careful!

cash? – small amounts on person. (no more than \$100 at one time?)

7) Additional Costs / Expenses /Tips/ Spending Money

Food costs: aprox. \$50 a day would be very reasonable but could certainly be done for less (or more ;)

Breakfast is included with hotel.

Extra spending money at your own discretion.

13) Contact information / phone tree

Mr Long

- Cell- 604 290 1034

- Ms Dodge

- Cell - 604 785 0879

14) Cell Phone options

Recommended that you contact your cellular provider and select a "roam like home" service

15) Travel insurance part of the cost. The insurance information will arrive soon.

17) Questions and Answers