New York State

Major cities, towns & waterways

Scenic Vistas

New York City
Empire State Building & Top of the Rock (W-23, 24)
Central Park (W-23, 24)

Long Island
Cold Spring Harbor (V-25)
Planting Fields Arboretum, Oyster Bay (V-25)
Sand Point Preserve, Port Washington (W-24)
Welwyn Preserve, Glen Cove (V-25)

Hudson Valley
DeLaVergne Hill, Amenia (Q-25)
Bear Mountain State Park, Bear Mountain (T-23)
Clermont State Historic Site, Germantown (P-24)
Elks-Brox Park Overlook, Port Jervis (T-21)
Harvey Mountain State Forest, Austerlitz (O-25)
Minnewaska State Park, New Paltz (R-23)
Olana State Historic Site, Hudson (O-24)
Sky Top Tower at Lake Mohonk, near New Paltz (R-23)
Trophy Point, US Military Academy at West Point (T-23)
Vanderbilt Mansion, Hyde Park (R-13)

The Catskills
Kaaterskill Falls, Haines Falls (P-23)
Point Lookout, East Windham (O-22)
Sam's Point Dwarf Pine Ridge Preserve, Ellenville (R-22)

Capital-Saratoga
Corning Tower at the Empire State Plaza, Albany (M-24)
Grafton Lakes State Park, Grafton (M-25)
John Boyd Thatcher State Park, Voorheesville (M-23)
Saratoga Monument, Schuylerville (K-25)
Saratoga National Historical Park, Stillwater (K-24)

The Adirondacks
Bald Mountain, Old Forge (H-19)
Summit of Mt. Defiance, Ticonderoga (G-25)
Mount Arab Fire Tower, near Tupper Lake (E-21)
Prospect Mountain, Lake George (I-24)
Whiteface Mountain, Wilmington (E-23)

Thousand Islands-Seaway
Henderson Scenic Overlook, Henderson Harbor (G-15)
Salmon River Falls, Orwell (I-16)
Thompson Park, Watertown (G-16)
Thousand Islands International Bridge (E-16)

Central New York
Chittenango Falls State Park, Cazenovia (L-16)
Schoharie Crossing State Historic Site, Fort Hunter (L-22)
Round Top picnic area, Endicott (P-15)
Torture Hill near the Auriesville Shrine, Auriesville (L-22)
Vroman's Nose, Middleburgh (N-22)

Finger Lakes
Bristol Mountain, Canandaigua (L-11)
Chimney Bluffs State Park, Wolcott (J-12)
Fillmore Glen State Park, Moravia (M-14)
Tanglewood Nature Center, Elmira (P-13)
Harris Hill & Harris Hill Overpass, Elmira (P-13)
Hill Cumorah, Palmyra (K-11)
Jump Off Point, Ontario County Park, Naples (N-10)
Scenic Overlook on Rte 12, Naples (N-10)
Watkins Glen State Park, Watkins Glen (O-12)

Greater Niagara
Devil's Hole State Park, Niagara Falls (K-4)
Whirlpool State Park, Lewiston (K-5)
Letchworth State Park, Mt Morris (N-8)
Orleans County Marine Park, Point Breeze (J-7)
Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls (K-4, 5)

Chautauqua-Allegheny
Allegany State Park, (P-5)
Erlandson Overview Park, Frewsburg (P-4)
Luensman Overview Park, Portland (O-3)
Rock City Park, Olean (P-6)

Travel Information

GATEWAY INFORMATION CENTERS

Adirondack/Beekmantown. I-87 southbound between exits 41 and 40, West Chazy. 800/487-6867, 518/846-8016. Memorial Day-Labor Day, 8am-8pm; other dates, 8am-5pm.

Binghamton/Kirkwood. I-81 northbound, Kirkwood. Summer, 8am-8:30pm; spring/fall 8am-8pm; winter, 8am-6pm.

Thousand Islands International Council. I-81 southbound, Exit 50S. 800/8ISLAND, 315/482-2520. Mid-May—Columbus Day, daily 8am-6pm; mid Oct—mid May, Mon-Fri 8am-4:30pm.

ROAD CONDITIONS AND RULES OF THE ROAD

- **For travel and traffic information, go to 511ny.org or call 511.**
- For roadside assistance call **911** or look for instructions posted on some highways.
- **Seat belts are required** in NYS for all front seat passengers regardless of age and rear seat passengers under 16 years of age.
- **An appropriate child safety restraint system is required for all children until their 8th birthday.** It must meet the size and weight requirements for the child based on the Federal requirements and the recommendations of the manufacturer. This can be a child safety seat, a harness, a vest or a booster seat attached with the vehicle seat belt or latch system. It should not be used in the front seat of the vehicle. If the child is eight years old or more and is under 4'9" tall or weighs less than 100 lbs, it is recommended that you continue to use a child restraint system.
- **Only passenger vehicles are permitted on NYS parkways.** Trucks, utility vans and other commercial vehicles are prohibited.
- **Use of handheld cellphones is prohibited** while operating a motor vehicle in NYS.
- **New York State Thruway E-Z Pass** information: **e-zpassny.com** or call 800/333-8655.
- **Pedestrians have the right of way in crosswalks.** When traffic controls are not in place, or inoperative, drivers of motor vehicles must yield to pedestrians entering or crossing within a crosswalk.