



Global Leader Experience FAQs

1. Where in NYC will I be?

You will have the opportunity to explore all over NYC! Below is the list of daily programming locations. You will also have the opportunity to visit additional organizations, like the NYC Mayor’s Office and Hunger Free America, as a part of your immersion visit experience.

Each time you return to a programming location following an immersion visit, you will be required to check in with SAIL Staff. It is imperative that you check in at each location so we can ensure that you are present and safe!

Daily Programming Locations

Sunday, June 16th Arrival and Overnight Stays	Coed Hall at FIT; 230 W 27 th Street (Between 7 th and 8 th Avenues)
Day 1: Monday, June 17th	SUNY Global Center; 116 E 55 th Street (Between Park and Lexington Avenues)
Day 2: Tuesday, June 18th	SUNY Welcome Center; 33 W 42 nd Street, 18th Floor (between 5 th and 6 th Avenues)
Day 3: Wednesday, June 19th	John E. Reeves Great Room; 200 W. 28th Street (at 7 th Avenue)
Day 4: Thursday, June 20th	SUNY Welcome Center; 33 W 42 nd Street, 18th Floor (between 5 th and 6 th Avenues)

1. Is transportation provided?

Transportation from home to NYC and back is not provided by SAIL. While in NYC, SAIL will provide you with a \$32 prepaid MetroCard that you will use to get to the various locations throughout NYC. The prepaid MetroCard is to be used **only** for transportation to and from GLE events. Any travel or sightseeing you do on your own time will not be subsidized by SAIL.

2. When is check in/out?

Check in at Coed Hall is from 2pm-4pm on Sunday, June 16th. Please bring with you all of your luggage and have your ID on hand for check in. Check out from Coed Hall is *no later than* 7pm on Thursday, June 20th.

Please note that FIT is a Dry and Tobacco Free Campus. Even if you are of age, you are not permitted to smoke or drink alcohol anywhere at FIT, including the residence hall and John E. Reeves Great Hall. See the [FIT Summer Policies](#) Document for more information.

3. What should I pack?

An extensive packing list will be posted on the [SAIL Website](#). In general, you should bring:

- 4 days of business casual attire**
- Comfortable shoes for walking!
- Twin size linens, pillow
- Towels
- Toiletries

**Note about Business Casual Attire: Please be aware that you are meeting industry leaders and that you are representing SUNY, Common Purpose and your university. You are encouraged to be comfortable in your clothing, but please be mindful that you are dressed appropriately.

4. What if I get lost?

At all points throughout GLE, you will be with other attendees and an experienced guide. We also recommend that you download **Transit**, an app that can help you plan your trips around NYC with detailed directions and live updates



5. What should I be aware of?

NYC is a large and bustling city. We will be doing most of our travelling during the morning and evening rush hours, so it is important that you are always with a group of GLE attendees and that you always have an idea of where you are. We encourage you to always travel with at least one partner and exercise awareness of your environment and the people around you. Do not travel with any highly valuable items, as the SUNY SAIL Institute and FIT are not responsible for any lost or stolen items. Coed Hall is guarded 24/7 by security guards and locked doors. You will be required to show ID each time you enter the residence hall as well as the programming locations. Guests who are not GLE attendees are not permitted to enter Coed Hall.

6. What is there to do in the area of Coed Hall?

FIT is located in the iconic Fashion District of New York City. It is just a few blocks from Penn Station and Herald Square, where there are tons of options for eating and shopping (Macy's Herald Square, Urban Outfitters, Shake Shack). Additionally, the High Line Walking Park and Hudson Yards development are a few blocks west of the FIT campus. To the east is the Flatiron Building, Madison Square Park (another Shake Shack!) and Eataly Italian Market.