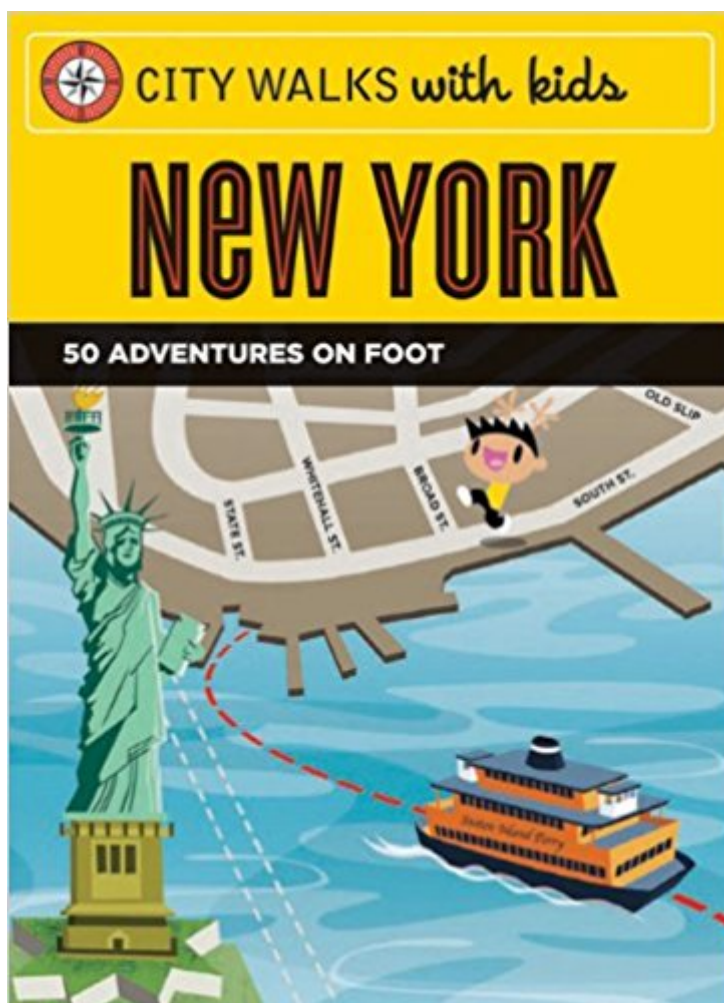


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City Walks With Kids: New York: 50 Adventures On Foot



Synopsis

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Customer Reviews

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We just got back from a 1.5 week trip to NYC and these cards were so great in helping me decide what would be best to do with my kids (age 5 and 8). I appreciated the food suggestions too and how easy the directions were to follow. Great find!

Our family recently returned from a visit to Manhattan. We used 5 or 6 texts as well as this boxed set of walking tours. The set consists of 50 3-3/4 by 5-1/2 inch heavy stock cards and a folding master card that shows all the walks in the context of a five boroughs map. There are 3 walks in Central Park, 6 Midtown, none north of the park and 20 south of the Flatiron Building. Four walks cover The Bronx, one is in Queens and 4 in Brooklyn. Each walk card shows a moderately useful map on one side, which does not show all streets but does list subway and bus information as well as web and phone information; on the other side the text points out historic buildings, book stores and museums. It was very convenient to grab a few cards as we went out the door. There is also

information about kid-friendly restaurants, which was very helpful. We also had the City Walks set (for adults) and while there was overlap in areas covered, there was not much in content, which made this worthwhile. I would definitely buy this set again.

This was only appropriate for people with very little kids who only want to play in parks and shop. My 7 and 11 year olds want some history and art knowledge too. Not anywhere in these cards is that information imparted. A HUGE waste of money for me...Oh, and Sony Wonderland, as well as Toys-R-Us are both closed.

These cards are handy and provided some good ideas but the instructions are not super clear. We tried the Brooklyn Bridge card which has you cross the bridge on foot (great walk!) but then instructs you to places to eat in Brooklyn and the directions were very vague and almost misleading. We have a five year old and an eight year old and, after walking the bridge, were in no mood to get lost which is exactly what we did until a police officer helped us out. These are so small they can easily slip into a purse. We picked a few out and left them in my purse to reference when we had spare time.

Adorable package, however, a lot of the content is out of date. Useful though.

Bought it for my family for a NYC tour. The kids really like it.

After living in NYC for a few years, I got this for some friends visiting the city. There were cool places I did not previously know about (especially in non-Manhattan areas like Bronx and Queens). The cards can help you plan trips around each attraction, which is helpful so you often don't have to do extra research to find out transportation, for example. The illustrations are colorful and fun, but definitely kid-ish in design. The cards and box are slightly clunky to carry around, however.

These cards are so cute, they could be used for decoration. I worked at a church where we gave these as gifts to new moms. Great for someone who lives in NYC or will be traveling there with children.

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