

ORIENTATION COURT TRIP



Friday, September 8, 2023 INSTRUCTIONS FOR YOUR VISIT:

1 Arrive by 8:30 a.m. at County Court and select Supreme Court Parts (92 Franklin St., Buffalo, New York 14202). Public parking and transportation are available.

2 Proceed through security. Your UB School of Law name tag and lanyard are required for identification. Information about the courts' mask policy will be announced during orientation.

3 Continue to the Ceremonial Courtroom. Part One, 2nd Floor, located on the north end of the building. Ask a security officer for directions. Do not sit in the balcony as we will be taking photographs. You will be welcomed by members of the judiciary before leaving for your tour.

4 After the tour, follow your guides and join us for lunch at the Hotel Lafayette in the Greenhouse Room (391 Washington St., Buffalo, New York 14202) where you will be welcomed by members of the Erie County Bar Association and the Monroe County Bar Association.

KEEP IN MIND:

- Attendance is mandatory.
- Professional attire and your nametag is required.
- Cell phone usage is **not** permitted in the courtroom. All phones must be silenced or on vibrate mode.
- Last Names A-K will commence their tour with Dean Lee and Bridget O'Connell, Esq.
- Last Names L-Z will commence their tour with Ms. Abbott and Tasha Moore, Esq.

Questions during the event?
Contact Assistant Dean Lee
(716.845.6205)



LUNCH IS HOSTED BY:





Driving Directions to Downtown Buffalo:

Route 1: 190 North to Exit 7 – Church Street. Left on Franklin Street.

Route 2: 190 South, Exit 8 – Niagara Street. Right on Niagara Street to Niagara Square. Continue around Niagara Square to third street (Niagara Street) – right onto Franklin Street.

Route 3: NY-33 West to Goodell Street. Cross Main Street – Goodell becomes Edward. Continue onto Edward to Delaware Avenue. Make a left on Delaware Avenue to Niagara Square – around the circle to fourth street (Niagara Street) – right onto Franklin Street.

**Destination:
Erie County Hall
Ceremonial Courtroom
92 Franklin Street, 2nd Floor
Buffalo, NY 14202**



Metro Rail Directions to Downtown Buffalo from UB @ North Campus:

Take the UB shuttle bus to South Campus. Go to the University Station entrance and purchase a ticket (Inbound to Downtown). Get off at the Fountain Plaza Station exit. From that location, you can walk to the courthouse. When you reach the downtown area, please note that the train emerges from underground and will be street level.

Fare – The Metro Rail costs \$2 per ride, \$4 round trip, or \$5 for a day pass (unlimited rides for one person for one day). Click here for full fare information. You can buy your ticket at any rail station (cash only) or download the Token Transit app ahead of time to buy your ticket on your phone. Be sure to activate your Token Transit pass at the top of the stairs – you need internet service to activate your ticket.

Schedules – Click here for the most recent Metro Rail schedule.

Metro Bus – Many bus routes also serve this area of downtown. Visit Google Transit or our Trip Planner for step by step transit directions from any location.



Parking Information:

It is recommended to arrive early downtown to find parking. Downtown Buffalo offers on-street parking, parking lots, and parking ramps. If you use on-street parking, you may want to download the Buffalo Roam app to pay for parking.

Buffalo Roam Parking App information: Park. Pay. Be on Your Way.



Below are some of the parking ramps that are near the Erie County Courthouse. However, there are additional parking lots and parking ramps available. Please know that credit and/or debit cards are generally the accepted methods of payment.

**Fernbach Ramp
200 Pearl St
Buffalo, NY 14202**

**Mohawk Ramp
477 Washington St
Buffalo, NY 14202**

**Main Place Ramp
221 Pearl St
Buffalo, NY 14202**

Please note: This document serves as an informational guide to help you navigate downtown Buffalo for the Court Trip and does not serve as an all-encompassing guide.