SPOTLIGHT ON UTICA





WELCOME TO UTICA, NEW YORK

Utica is a city in the Mohawk Valley and the county seat of Oneida County, New York, United States. The tenth-most-populous city in New York, it has a population of 62,235. Utica is approximately 90 miles (145 km) northwest of Albany and 45 miles (72 km) east of Syracuse. It has all the amenities of a large city, but without the congestion. With warm summers and snowy winters, Utica offers exciting things to in all seasons.

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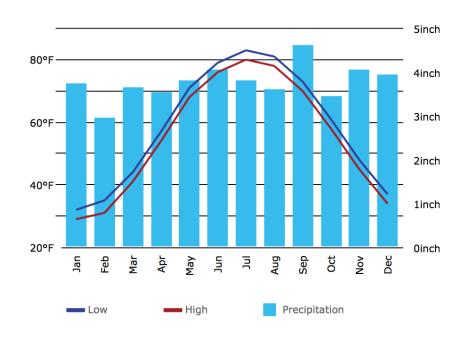
Like most of New York, Utica has a humid continental climate, it is characterized by warm to hot, humid summers and moderately cold winters. The mean annual precipitation total of 118 inches (3 m) is fairly evenly spread throughout the year, and falls on an average of 156 days per annum.

Average High/Low Temperatures

	Low / High
December	12°F / 20°F
July	80°F / 87°F

Average Precipitation

Rain	42 in.
Snow	76 in.



Utica Climate Graph - New York Climate Chart



Formerly a river settlement inhabited by the Mohawk tribe of the Iroquois Confederacy, Utica is located on the Mohawk River at the foot of the Adirondack Mountains. Utica attracted settlers strengthened its position as a layover city between Albany and Syracuse on the Erie and Chenango Canals and the New York Central Railroad.

Utica is less than an hour drive from Syracuse and under 95 miles from the New York State capital of Albany.





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COST OF LIVING

The cost of living in Utica, NY, is 12% less than that of the national average, and substantially lower than the average for New York State which trends above the national average in all categories. Furthermore, housing in Utica is 42% lower, than the national average, and easy access to major metropolitan areas such as Syracuse, Albany, and New York City, it's simple to see why Utica continues to attract new residents.

Key Metrics



TRANSPORTATION

Highways	
State Highways	5A, 8, 12, 49
Interstates	I-90, I-790

Airports

Griffiss International Airport (RME) 13 miles from Utica Syracuse Hanckock International Airport (SYR) 45 miles from Utica

Department of Motor Vehicles 321 Main Street Utica, NY 13501

http://www.dmv.ny.gov/office/utica





LIFESTYLE & ENTERTAINMENT

As an important stop along the Erie Canal, history buffs can spend a seemingly endless number of days exploring preserved buildings, and museums. Adventurers will enjoy hiking through the Adirondack Mountains and boating in the Mohawk River during the summer, as well as skiing and snow-tubing during the winter. While Utica does not field any major league sports teams, it is home to several minor league squads, including the Utica Comets (Vancouver Canucks) and the Utica Blue Sox (Miami Marlins).



Ride the Rails

The Adirondack Scenic Railroad offers amazing views of beautiful upstate New York. Tourists can ride the train from Utica to Lake Placid, exploring historic stops all along the way. Taking the trip during the vibrant fall foliage is a breathtaking experience.



Walk on the Wild Side

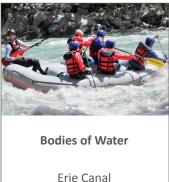
The Utica Zoo has served the region for over 100 years. Currently, the zoo cares for over 200 individual animals representing 99 species. In the main exhibit collection, there are over 140 individual animals representing 64 species.

OUTDOORS & ADVENTURE



Parks & Trails

Johnson Park Proctor Park Roscoe Conkling Parks



Mohawk River Oneida Lake



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SHOPPING & DINING



Eclectic, Eco-Friendly, and Enjoyable

The Tailor and the Cook is one of the brightest spots in Utica's already rich Culinary nightlife. Attentive service and a comfortable atmosphere support provocative cuisine produced with the finest local products, whenever possible.

ART & CULTURE

The City of Utica and its surrounding areas are home to a diverse and thriving arts community. From streetcorner sculpture to parks alive with summer festivals and lunch hour concerts to restaurants filled with local art and live music, every corner of Utica is vibrant with creative expression. Whether you interests lie in the city's rich historical culture or the modern and industrial edged flavor of Utica's contemporary art and poetry scene, there is more than enough to fill your day with adventure. Let the art, culture and history of Utica be the spark that fires your creativity and imagination!

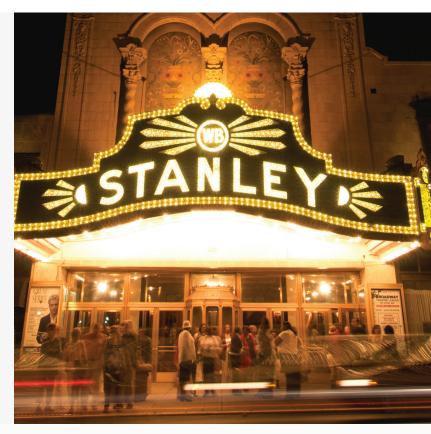
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- Munson-Williams-Proctor Art Institute
- Stanley Center for the Arts
- Utica Children's Museum



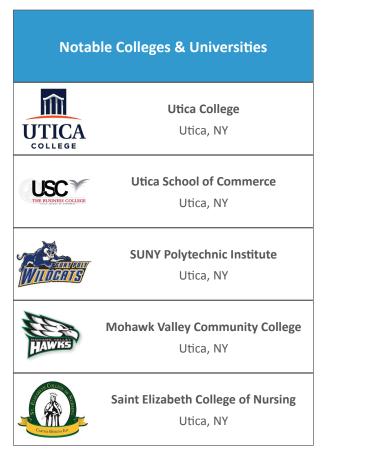
See the Suds

F.X. Matt Brewing Company is a familyowned brewery in Utica, New York. It is the fourth oldest family-owned brewery in the United States, having brewed beer since 1888. Its most popular product is the Saranac line of beers. The brewery offers tours through its historic building that end in its beautiful tasting room.



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EDUCATION IN UTICA, NY



Elementary & High School Utica School District Schools 10 **Elementary Schools** 2 Middle Schools 3 **High Schools Average SAT Scores** 1455 Utica 1497 United States **Utica Educational Attainment** 77% High School Graduates or higher 18% Bachelor's Degree or higher

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