NEW YORK STATE – LAKE GEORGE  
(BOLTON LANDING, TICONDEROGA)

Lake George is nicknamed the Queen of American Lakes and is a long, narrow lake located in the Adirondack Mountains, in northeastern New York. Situated on the rail line halfway between New York City and Montreal, the town of Lake George attracted the rich and famous at the turn of the 20th century, which developed the look of the town, including its famous “Millionaire’s Row”. Today, Lake George remains a popular tourist destination and resort center in the summer months. A popular activity here is hot air ballooning and the area is host to the nation’s oldest gathering of hot air balloons every September. Popular lake activities include fishing, boating, swimming, and island camping. The lake is surrounded by the Adirondack Mountains and is very picturesque.

WEATHER

CITIES/AIRPORTS
Albany – 1 hour  
New York City – 3.5 hours

COMMUNITY GROUPS/RESOURCES
Lake George Forum @ http://www.lakegeorgeforum.com

CULTURAL EVENTS OPPORTUNITIES
NYC, Niagara Falls, Lake Placid
PROS & CONS

PRO: Second jobs are easy to find. It is easy to get around with plenty of public transportation, including a trolley system in town. Plenty of cultural activities in local area.

CON: Lake George housing is limited and is almost 4 hours away from New York City

THINGS TO DO

• Six Flags Theme Park
• Summer Concerts on Main Street Park
• Fort Ticonderoga
• Steamboat tours around the lake
• Kayak rental
• Paddle boarding

HOT TIPS

Lots of J.1 students in the area and housing is very affordable. Great public transportation and a trolley in town that students can purchase a ride pass for.

MAP OF THE AREA

http://www.nationsonline.org/oneworld/map/USA/new_york_map.htm