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7 Staycation Packages That Will Make You Want to Spend Your Summer Weekends in NYC

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Summertime in New York is all about getting away and heading out to the beach. But, what if actually staying in the city was the perfect way to get a little R&R and excitement? We've rounded up seven of NYC's top hotels offering unique staycation packages that will make you want to skip out on the Hamptons this season.

Take Shakespeare Along for the Ride with [Dream Midtown](#)



Taking in [Shakespeare in the Park](#) is one of those quintessential New York summertime activities. Add a picnic in the park and you've got yourself a day out that would easily be approved by the Bard himself. Dream Midtown makes it effortless to do both things with their "A Midtown Summer Night's Dream" package, which provides guests with a picnic basket full of items for lunch or dinner, a blanket and map, bike rentals for two, and a Polaroid camera to capture your adventure. Your night is completed with tickets to Shakespeare in the Park at 8 p.m., as well as rooftop cocktails at Dream Midtown's PH-D Terrace to end the evening. [210 W. 55th St., 212-247-2000](#)