27 Things Guaranteed To Piss Off Any New Yorker

I'm in a New York state of—MOVE IT OMG WHY ARE YOU SO SLOW?!

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1. When people just stop in the middle of the street to look at their phone and have no awareness of anyone else around them.

2. Finding out your subway is under construction for the whole weekend and feeling stranded in your neighborhood.
3. Paying an astronomical amount for rent, which doesn't even come with basic-ass amenities.
If you find an apartment with central AC, or laundry, or a dishwasher, you've peaked.

4. When you're wearing headphones (a clear sign of "don't bother me") and someone asks you for directions.

There are 10 other people standing next to me, and they are NOT wearing headphones. Who hurt you?
5. When someone blocks the stairway at a subway station, which makes you miss your train.

OMFG, JUST MOVE TO THE RIGHT SIDE.

6. When a human decides it's a good idea to blare their music on the subway with NO HEADPHONES.
HBO

You are not in your own home, you are on a crowded train with strangers. Please stop.

7. "IT'S SHOWTIME!"

8. Swiping your metro card and getting gut-punched by the turnstile.
9. And then getting the "Please Swipe Again" message multiple times, eventually locking you out for 18 minutes.

WHO MADE THIS 18-MINUTE RULE???

10. When some asshole upstreams your cab.
^ This is what it feels like.

11. When someone blocks the left side of the escalator in the subway station instead of standing on the right.
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Netflix

It's not hard. It's really not.

12. TIME WARNER.

Zack Klapman
@ZackKlapman

Time Warner Cable tip #56: If your internet is slow, unplug your router, pack your house, move to Romania, and connect there. It's faster.
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13. Commuting on the morning L train.

rachel leishman @RachelLeishman
Replying to @Sharronica
LOL YEP. I'm just going to broadway junction and taking the ACE
8:45 AM - Feb 15, 2018

Sharron Paul
@Sharronica

I've been on the L train for over 25 minutes trying to go 3 stops. SO close to Broadway Junction. Texted my boss to let her know. pic.twitter.com/103DWnsXJU
8:45 AM - Feb 15, 2018

Good morning, a sick passenger at Myrtle-Wyckoff is trying to ruin my life

Ok

*screams*
14. When you're running late so you hop in a cab, but it's always slower than taking the subway, and now you've wasted your time AND money.

15. Being trapped by post-snow ice puddles at the corners of streets.
It's like if that childhood game about lava on the floor came to life, except your wet socks are real.

16. Cabs that take the long way to your destination.

If I have to listen to Sandy Kenyon talk about movie reviews on repeat for another 20 minutes I'm gonna straight up murder you. (I'm not, please don't call the police.)
17. When people stand at the doors of the train instead of just moving to the middle like a considerate human.

Twitter: @DavidBoles

18. And when people try to get up from their seat on a very crowded train WHILE it's still moving.
Bro, I can't move. Now you're just very deep in my personal space when you could just wait 30 seconds for the train to stop.

19. Manspreaders.
20. People who lean on the subway poles.
Hi, I'd like to HOLD ON TO THE RAIL SO I DON'T FALL SO I WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU COULD NOT GLUE YOUR BODY TO THE POLE THANKS.

21. Waiting in line for fad food like cronuts and cookie dough.
It's never worth it.
22. When a group of slow ass people walk in a horizontal line, blocking the entire sidewalk.

23. When you mention to a non-New Yorker that you're from New York and they respond with, "'Ey, I'm walkin' 'ere!"
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No one does this. Who spread this lie?

24. Moving and having to pay a broker fee. And security. And first month. And last month. And getting a guarantor. And a moving truck. And giving up your firstborn child.

No wonder I don't have a savings account.

25. Trader Joe's lines.

The fourth circle of hell is any Trader Joe’s in New York City at literally any time of day.

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26. When strangers try to strike up a convo on a day that you're just NOT having it.

27. And Times Square.
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[Image: GET OUT THE WAY]

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Today is my sister’s birthday and when we went to pick up her cake someone had already paid for it

“I guess in my diary I’m not afraid to be boring. It’s not my job to entertain anyone in my diary.”
—David Sedaris

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