

SEPTEMBER 11, 2001, TIMELINE

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- 8:46:40 American Airlines Flight 11 crashes into 1 World Trade Center (the North Tower)
- 08:47 MTA subway operator alerts MTA Subway Control Center of an explosion in the WTC and begins emergency procedures
- 08:52 PATH trains begin emergency procedures and proceed to evacuate WTC station and return Manhattan-bound trains to New Jersey
- 09:02:59 United Airlines Flight 175 crashes into 2 World Trade Center (the South Tower)
- 09:10 U.S. Coast Guard closes Port of New York and New Jersey Port Authority of NY and NJ closes all its bridges and tunnels
- 09:17 FAA shuts down all NYC airports
- 09:37:45 American Airlines Flight 77 hits the west wall of the Pentagon
- 09:58:59 South Tower collapses
- 10:03:11 United Airlines Flight 93 crashes in Pennsylvania
- 10:20 NYC Transit suspends all subway service
- 10:28:22 North Tower collapses
- 10:30 NJ Transit stops rail service into Manhattan's Penn Station
- 10:45 U.S. Coast Guard calls for "all available boats" to assist evacuation of Lower Manhattan; PATH operations suspended
- 11:02 Mayor Giuliani calls for evacuation south of Canal Street

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- 05:20 7 World Trade Center, headquarters of NYC Office of Emergency Management, collapses

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