

**Welcome to New York**

**Lesson 7-8 “Streets and avenues”**

**For the 9<sup>th</sup> form**

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**“The City That Never Sleeps”, “The Capital of the World”, “The Center of the Universe”, “The Big Apple”**



# New York!





# Writing and reading dates

- **In BrE** they write "2 July / 2nd July / July 2". They say the "second of July" or "July the second".  
**In AmE** they write "July 2nd / July 2". They say "July second".  
Dates are sometimes written as numbers, for example, 3/10.
- **In BrE** this means the third of October.
- **In AmE** it means the tenth of March.

*It's difficult to get lost in New York. It has a very clever system of streets and avenues. Streets run east to west across the island and are often called cross-streets, while avenues run north to south down the island.*



*5<sup>th</sup> Avenue is one of the most expensive streets in the world*



# *Apple Store, 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue*



# *Manhattan Avenue*



The story of Manhattan Avenue really starts a block away, at the corner of 105<sup>th</sup> Street and Central Park West. This great building was the New York Cancer Hospital, built in 1884. It's the predecessor of Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center.



*Grand Central Terminal is situated at the cross of 42 Street and Park Avenue.*

*Park Avenue goes from Grand Central Terminal*



*Wall Street is the financial center of the world*



# *Korea Town*



- *On 32nd Street, between Broadway and 5th Avenue, is "Korea Town", although it would more properly be called "Korea Block".*

# *East 19th Street*



# *The Metropolitan Museum of Art (the Met)*

*It's located in Central Park*



*Subway (underground) station near Ground Zero Memorial*





*“Means of transport in New York”*



• *Most of the subway stations have the same names as the streets.*





**Say if the following information is true, false or not mentioned. If there is no information, try to guess. Explain your answers.**

1. Mark and Rob are very excited about their first days in New York.
2. It's easy to find your way in New York.
3. Avenues run north to south.
4. Streets run parallel to the Hudson River.
5. All New York streets have numbers instead of names.
6. It doesn't take long to visit the Empire State Building.
7. Mark and Rob have been inside the Empire State Building.
8. Mark and Rob have been inside Rockefeller Center.
9. Mark and Rob have not been inside the Guggenheim Museum.
10. Broadway is famous because it's the longest avenue in New York.
11. There are streets called Broadway in many American cities.
12. Central Park isn't very big.

# Home task:

Imagine that you have visited New York.  
Tell about the most interesting sights.

# STREETS AND AVENUES

1. The Empire State Building
2. The Rockefeller Center
3. The Guggenheim Museum
4. Central Park
5. The Statue of Liberty
6. Central Station
7. The Chrysler Building
8. The American Museum of Natural History
9. The UN Headquarters
10. The World Trade Center



# FILL IN THE GAPS AND COMPLETE THE NOTES

New York is on ... River. Another name of New York is ... . It consists of 5 boroughs: ... The heart of New York is ... It has a lot of ... . One of them is ... State Building. It is the tallest ... in New York. One of New York's most famous museum is ... . One of the famous symbols of America is ... of Liberty. ... is one of the longest avenues in Manhattan.

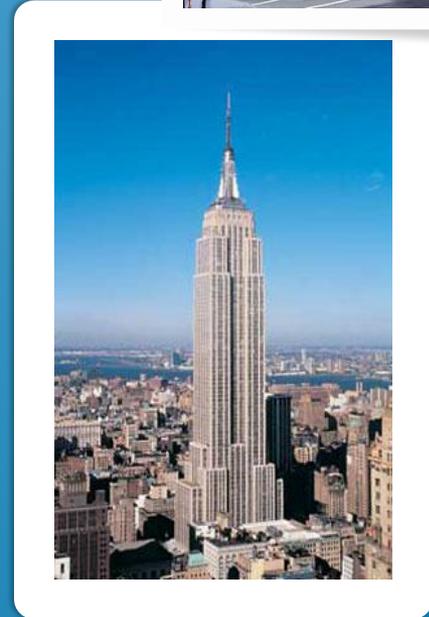
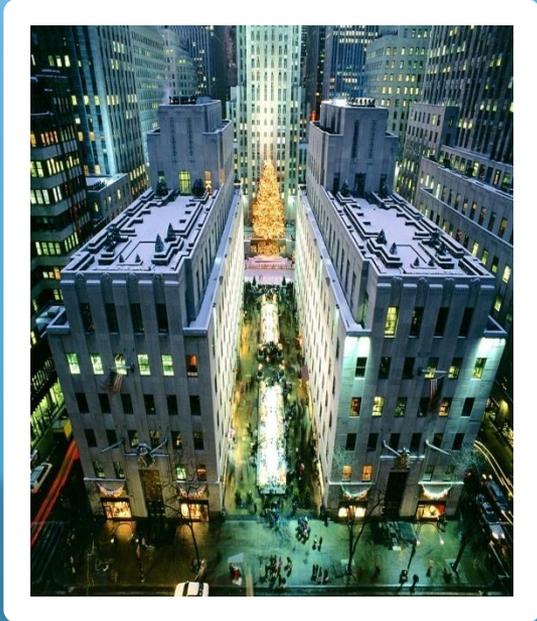
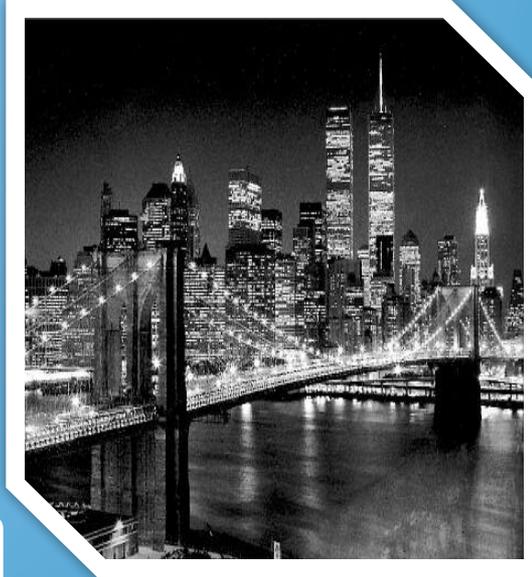
# CHECK YOURSELF

New York is on **the Hudson River**.

Another name of New York is **America's Big Apple**.

It consists of 5 boroughs: **Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, Staten Island and the Bronx**. The heart of New York is **Manhattan**. It has a lot of **sights**. One of them is **the Empire State Building**. It is the tallest **skyscraper** in New York. One of New York's most famous museum is **the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum**. One of the famous symbols of America is **the Statue of Liberty**. **Broadway** is one of the longest avenues in Manhattan.

# Name the sights





The Empire State Bu



The Guggenheim

Central park



The Statue of



The Rockefeller Center



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**Match the beginning of each sentence with its end.**

**1. New York is**

**2. The nickname of the city is**

**3. Rockefeller Center is**

**4. The Empire State Building is**

**5. The Guggenheim Museum**

**6. NY is a multinational city and**

**7. The Statue of Liberty**

**a) was designed by a famous architect, Frank Lloyd Wright.**

**b) welcomed millions of immigrants who had come to America by sea**

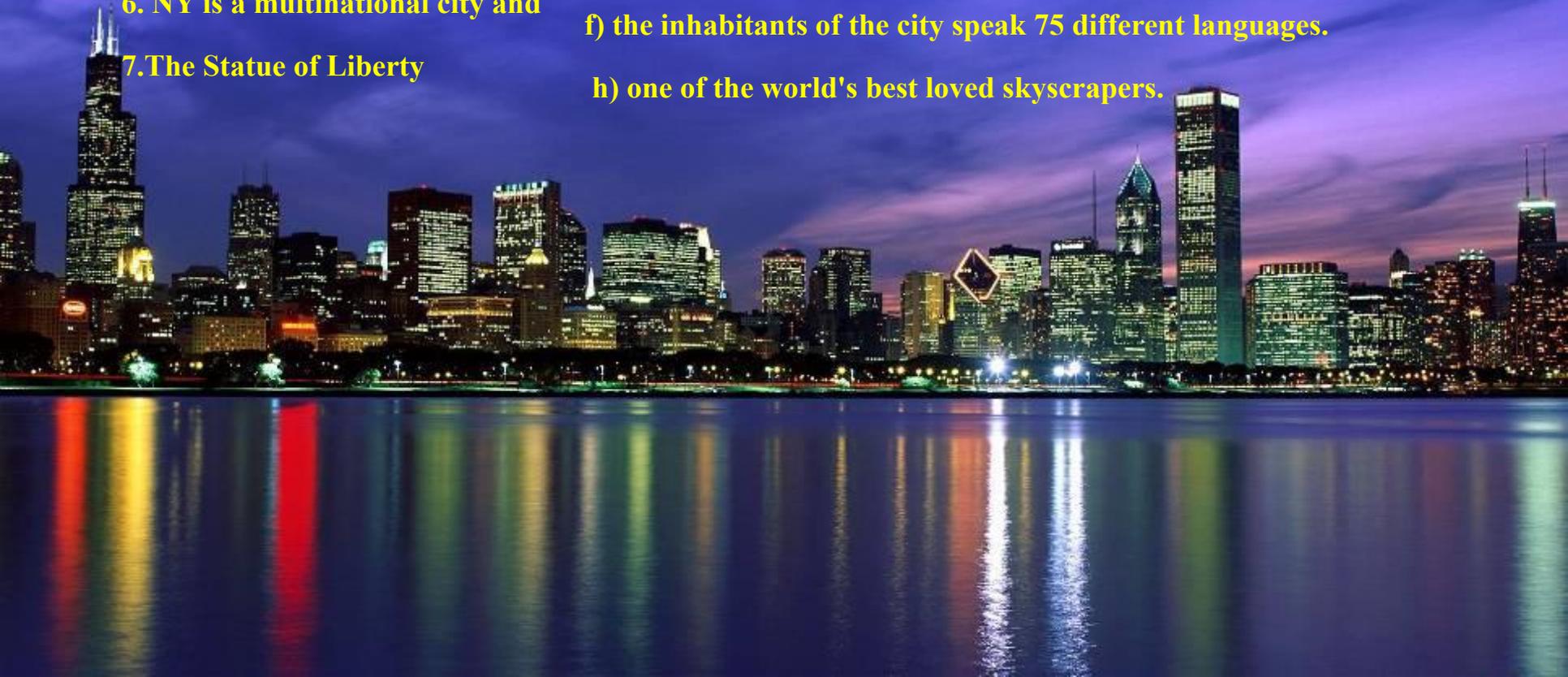
**c) one of the largest cities in the USA .**

**d) famous for its Christmas Trees.**

**e) "a big apple".**

**f) the inhabitants of the city speak 75 different languages.**

**h) one of the world's best loved skyscrapers.**



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- 2. The nickname of the city is "a big apple".**
- 3. Rockefeller Center is famous for its Christmas Trees.**
- 4. The Empire State Building is one of the world's best loved skyscrapers.**
- 5. The Guggenheim Museum was designed by a famous architect, Frank Lloyd Wright.**
- 6. NY is a multinational city and the inhabitants of the city speak 75 different languages.**
- 7. The Statue of Liberty welcomed millions of immigrants who had come to America by sea.**



# Let's read asking the way expressions.

*Could you tell me where... is?  
and the...*

*It's between the...*

*Excuse me, how do I get to...?*

*It's on the corner...*

*Turn left (right)...  
Street...*

*Go up (down) the*

*On the left (right) side...*

*Go straight on...*

*It's opposite the...*

*Go past...*

*Keep going until you see...*



# **Make up dialogues.**

## **Use the map of New York.**

- 1. You are in Times Square and need to get to Penn Station. Ask for directions**
- 2. You are on 59th Street and First Avenue. You need to get to the Guggenheim Museum. Ask for directions.**
- 3. You are in Whitehall Street and need to get to the WorldTrade Center. Ask for directions.**
- 4. You are at Lincoln Center and need to get to Grand Central Station. Ask for directions.**
- 5. You are at the Empire State Building and want to get to Central Park. Ask for directions.**

# Home task:

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