

New York City - A



is the most populous and the largest city in the United States and is part of the State of New York. New York City consists of 1.....(how many) boroughs. They are **Manhattan, Queens, the Bronx, Staten Island and Brooklyn**. The city lies 3.....(where) and it is a very important port. It is famous for its skyline. There is a huge number of skyscrapers. The first were built **at the beginning of the 20th century**. The tallest was the WTC – World Trade Centre nicknamed the Twins – but the twin towers were damaged during the September 11th terrorist attack. Other beautiful skyscrapers are Chrysler Building, The Empire State Building and the Rockefeller Centre. The city is nicknamed 5.....,(what nicknames) many different nationalities live there. There are about **8, 400,000** people there.

Most of the city's streets and avenues are numbered – they don't have names. Avenues run North – South starting with 1st Avenue and streets run East-West starting from the 1st Street. Only a few streets have their names – they are the oldest streets there. It is for example Wall Street which is a financial district of New York. Another street that has a name is for example Broadway. This street is the centre of cultural life – there are many cinemas and theatres.



History of New York

The original people who lived in New York area were 1.....(who). The first European explorer who came to the region was **Giovanni da Verrazano**. Henry Hudson who was an employee of the Dutch West India Company visited the region in 3.....(when) and in 1624 Dutch people came to begin their trade there. They settled in Manhattan and called their colony **New Amsterdam**. The colony's first governor Peter Minuit bought Manhattan from the Lenape people for 5.....(how much/pay). In **1664** the English captured the colony and renamed it New York after the Duke of York who was brother of King Charles II, the English king.

Between the 1789 and 1790, New York was the U.S. capital. Massive immigration mainly from Europe began in 7.....(when)



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New York City consists of **five** boroughs. They are 2.....,,

.....(what names of boroughs). The

city lies **on the Hudson River** and it is a very important port. It is famous for its skyline. There is a

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6.....(when) , New York was the U.S. capital. Massive immigration mainly from Europe began in **the late 19th and early 20th century**.

Complete the table about New York and talk about it

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