

Task Majors 01-06

Hello Class!

This week I would like you to learn how to describe a town or a city. Esta semana vamos a trabajar como describir un pueblo o una ciudad.

1. **Read the text** about New York and answer the questions. Lee el texto sobre Nueva York y contesta a las preguntas.
2. **Write your own description** following the example. Escribe tu propia descripción de tu pueblo o ciudad siguiendo el ejemplo. (Worksheet describing a town)

*Para mandarme las actividades lo podéis hacer por Telegram haciendo foto o pantallazos o por email (lilivs90@gmail.com). Cualquier duda preguntadme.

I miss you!

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New York



New York is situated in New York State at the mouth of the Hudson river.

New York is one the largest cities in the world with almost 8 million inhabitants.

It is divided into five boroughs: Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens, Brooklyn and Staten Island.

The centre of New York is called Manhattan.



Manhattan is the economic and cultural centre.

In Manhattan there



is Central Park, a huge green area with lakes, gardens and woods.

People go cycling, horseback riding, swimming and jogging in it.

New York has got a lot of skyscrapers. The most famous one in The Empire State Building, with 102 floors.



The World Trade Centre, or the Twin towers, destroyed on 11 September 2001, had 110 floors.

The Statue of Liberty is at the entrance to New York harbour. It was a gift from France and commemorates the alliance during the American Revolution.

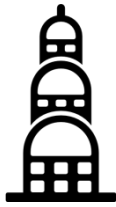


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Answer the questions.

1. Where is New York?
2. How many people live in New York?
3. How many boroughs are there in New York?
4. What is Manhattan?
5. Where is Central Park?
6. Can people go in Central Park?
7. What are the most important skyscrapers?
8. How many floors do the Empire State Building?
9. What happened in 2001?
10. What does The Statue of Liberty commemorate?

NEW YORK



DESCRIBING A TOWN



1. Read the following description.

My town is very big and exciting. It has many fun things to do. There is a shopping centre, two parks, a cinema and a swimming pool. There is also a sports centre and a library. The library has fun activities like crafts and Reading circle.

There is also a cafe, it is next to the cinema and there is also a trendy bicycle shop where you can have a coffee while you buy a bike.

I usually go with my friends to the shopping centre to talk but I never go to the bike shop because I've already have one.

In my town there are four restaurants, a chinese restaurant, an italian restaurant, an Indian restaurant and a burger restaurant. My favourite one is the Indian restaurant because I love spicy food.

2. Now write a similar description about your town or city using words from the box below:

small - large - big - tiny - interesting - beautiful - boring - ugly - busy - new - clean - park - cinema - shopping centre - cafe - art gallery - stadium - police station - next to - opposite - in front of - behind - near gym - restaurant - japanese - italian - french - spanish - chinese - indian

My town/city is _____ but/and _____

It has _____

There is _____

There isn't _____

