

9/11: A timeline

The catastrophic attack on New York's World Trade Center **altered** the course of U.S. history. In addition to being a **brazen**, tragic act of terrorism, 9/11 was one of the most covered media events in history.

Vocabulary

Altered :

Brazen : insolent

Hijackers : pirates de l'air

Tenants : locataires

DEFCON, contraction de **DEF**ense readiness **CON**dition (littéralement « état de préparation de la défense ») est le niveau d'alerte (ou de préparation) des forces armées des États-Unis.

11	Boston Airport (BOS)	→	Los Angeles Airport (LAX)
175	Boston Airport (BOS)	→	Los Angeles Airport (LAX)
77	Washington-Dulles Airport (IAD)	→	Los Angeles Airport (LAX)
93	Newark Airport (EWR)	→	San Francisco Airport (SFO)

Follow these flights by reading each colored paragraph on the image.

9/11 REMEMBERED

*Survivor shares her story of getting out of
World Trade One Tower*

Vocabulary

The alarm goes off : l'alarme se déclenche

Trouve l'infinitif de "**shook**" : : secouer

Shifted : décalé

To funnel : s'acheminer

"It was **gas**"

Staircase :

A **spouse** is the wife or husband of someone:

To nudge : pousser du coude

Numb : engourdi/paralysé

To wash over : glisser/déferler sur

Trouve l'infinitif de "**stood**" me straight :

Pain :

It's dim : il fait sombre

"They weren't **gonna** come back down"

Cops : flics

EMS : Emergency Medical Service

Roughly : grossièrement/approximativement

We're holding yet : we're not moving yet

What is a hallway ?

"My **boss** was like"

"External **stairway**"

Faith : foi

Lord : seigneur

: m'a tenu droit

Tingling : picotement

Solemn : solennel

"He was looking up for **debris**"

Questions

What did Linda do on the morning of the 11th of September?

She went for a walk

She went to work

She slept

Did her desk move?

Yes

No

Who is Edith?

She's a tourist

She's Linda's sister

She's Linda's best friend

How did Linda, her manager and her colleagues find out a plane hit the building?

A spouse told them

They heard it on the news

They called the police

"The elevator looked like a c-shape", draw that elevator.

How many people can you get at a time in the staircase?

2

4

1

3

What does Linda believe in?

Unicorns

Angels

Mermaids

Elves

Where were the firemen going?

Upstairs

To the toilet

To a secure area

What are the 3 orders the officer told her? *starting with "don't"*

When she gets out of the building, who does she see?