





### The Statue of Liberty

The statue was a **gift** (=present) to America from France and was made in France. The statue is of the Roman goddess of **Freedom**. The Statue represents freedom and is a sign of welcoming immigrants to America.

### Times Square

Times Square is a big intersection in the **downtown** (center) of the city. Times Square is **the most** visited tourist site in the world. It is very bright with lights and **advertisements** (publicity).



### Central Park

Central Park is a large park in the center of New York City. The park has **several** (a few) lakes and ponds, playgrounds, walking paths, ice skating rinks and **even** (*même*) a zoo!



### The Metropolitan Museum of Art

The Metropolitan Museum is **the largest** art museum in America. The museum is famous for its collection of Ancient Egyptian artifacts and also for modern art.



### The Empire State Building

The Empire State building is a 102-story **skyscraper** (very tall building) and was **the world's tallest** building **until** (*jusqu'à*) 1972. Today, many tourists go to the observation deck (*plateforme*) at the **top** of the tower to enjoy the amazing view of the city.

### Yankee Stadium

Yankee stadium is the **ballpark** (wonderland) of the New York Yankees Baseball team. The Yankees are one of **the best** and **most** famous baseball teams in America. Derek Jeter is one of **the most** popular players on the team.



### Celebrations

New York is a very **busy** (active) city that likes to party (have fun) ! There are many big celebrations in New York every year. On the American holiday of Thanksgiving and on the Irish holiday of Saint Patrick's Day there are big parades in the streets. On New Year's Eve, there is a big celebration in Times Square with fireworks and the famous "New Year's Eve Ball drop".

