North America



North America is the **third larges** continent in the world.

It is made up of <u>23 countries</u> and <u>14 territories</u>. About <u>500 million</u> <u>people</u> live in North America.

North America has the world's largest island, Greenland.

Lake Superior is the world's largest freshwater lake.

North America grows 3/5 of the soybeans in the world.

Animals in North America





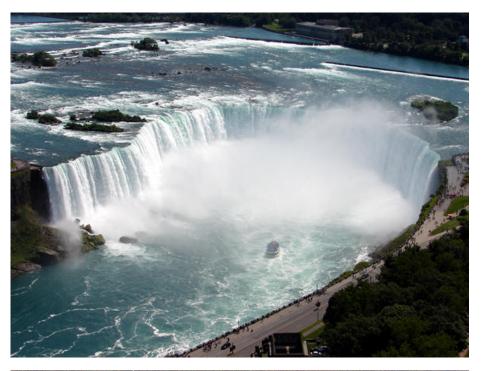


Polar bears, jaguars, arctic fox, moose, seals, buffalo bald eagles, and grizzly bears are some animals that live in North America.





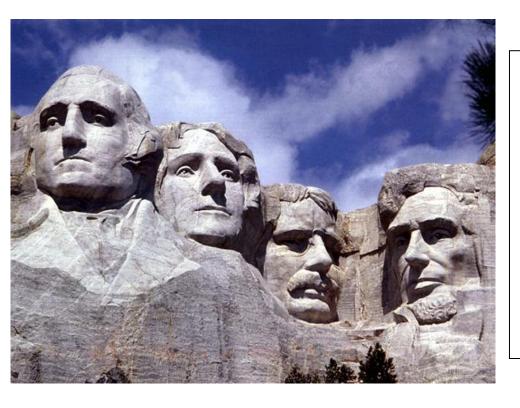
Landmarks in North America





Niagara Falls

Three waterfalls between Canada and United States. The three waterfalls are Horseshoe Falls (largest), America Falls, and the Bridal Veil Falls (smallest). It is not only a beautiful waterfall, it is also used as hydroelectric power.



Mount Rushmore

Sculpture carved from granite. It is in South Dakota. It features 60 foot sculptures of heads of 4 presidents.

- 1) George Washington
- 2) Thomas Jefferson
- 3) Theodore Roosevelt
- 4) Abraham Lincoln

Hoover Dam Hoover Dam was named after President Herbert Hoover. It was built to control floods and provide hydroelectric power.



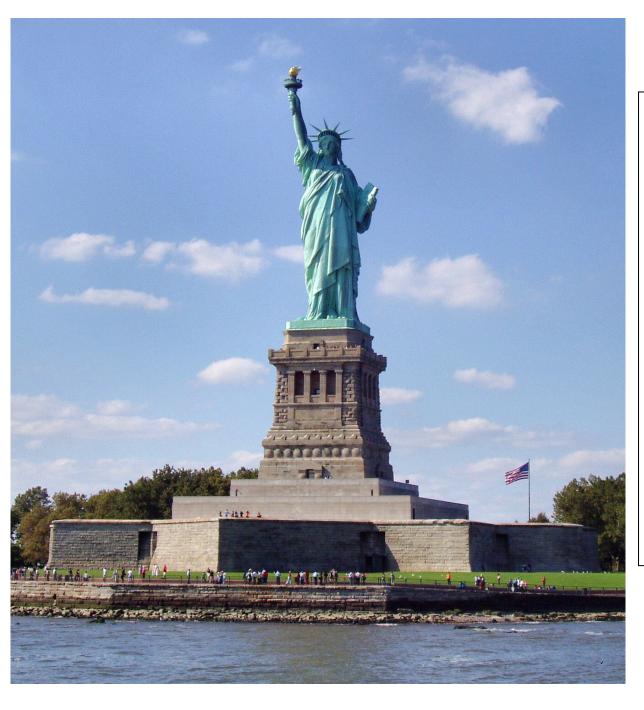


White House

The White House is the official residence and workplace for the President of the United States. Every president has stayed there since John Adam in 1800.

Golden Gate Bridge
The Golden Gate Bridge
located in San Francisco Bay.
Until 1964, it was the longest
suspension bridge in the world
at 4,200 feet.





Statue of Liberty Statue of Liberty is a large sculpture. It was a gift to the United States from France. The lady figure represented Libertas, the Roman goddess of freedom. The torch reminds the law. The statue is a reminder of freedom and welcoming immigrants arriving from abroad.

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