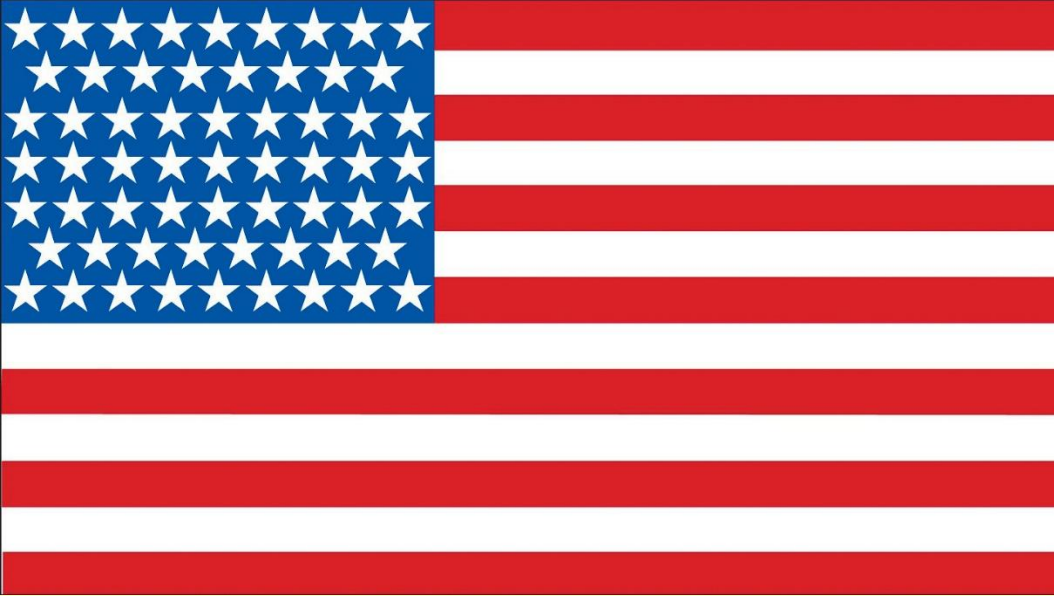




The United States of America



The United States of America is the fourth largest country in the world. In the US flag exactly fifty stars.



Head of the State is the President, who is elected every four years. Barack Obama.

Washington DC (District of Columbia) is the capital of the country and the seat of the government. The Capitol, where the Congress meets is in the centre of the city.

Famous sport in the USA: baseball

The teams play in the Major League Baseball which was founded in 1896. There must be 9 players for each team to play a match. There are 30 teams in the MLB.

For playing baseball we need these important things:

- a bat
- a small leather ball
- a hat or a helmet



Eight features in life of the USA

1. Smiles on faces of people

In the USA really all smile to you. If you suddenly detain on someone a look out of curiosity, then this person surely will smile to you. Counter people are very friendly and talkative.



2. To know all neighbors in names

Living in the small city of the USA, it is necessary to know neighbors in names and in a face. With the old neighbors needs to maintain friendship, and with new to strike up acquaintance. Quite normally, if during moving to you new neighbors come to unpack together things. If you have a holiday, then precisely there will be a full house of neighbors.



3. Celebration of Halloween

It is known that in the States this holiday is followed by ritual of collecting of sweets. Children and teenagers go on houses, and then eat too much chocolates and other sweets.

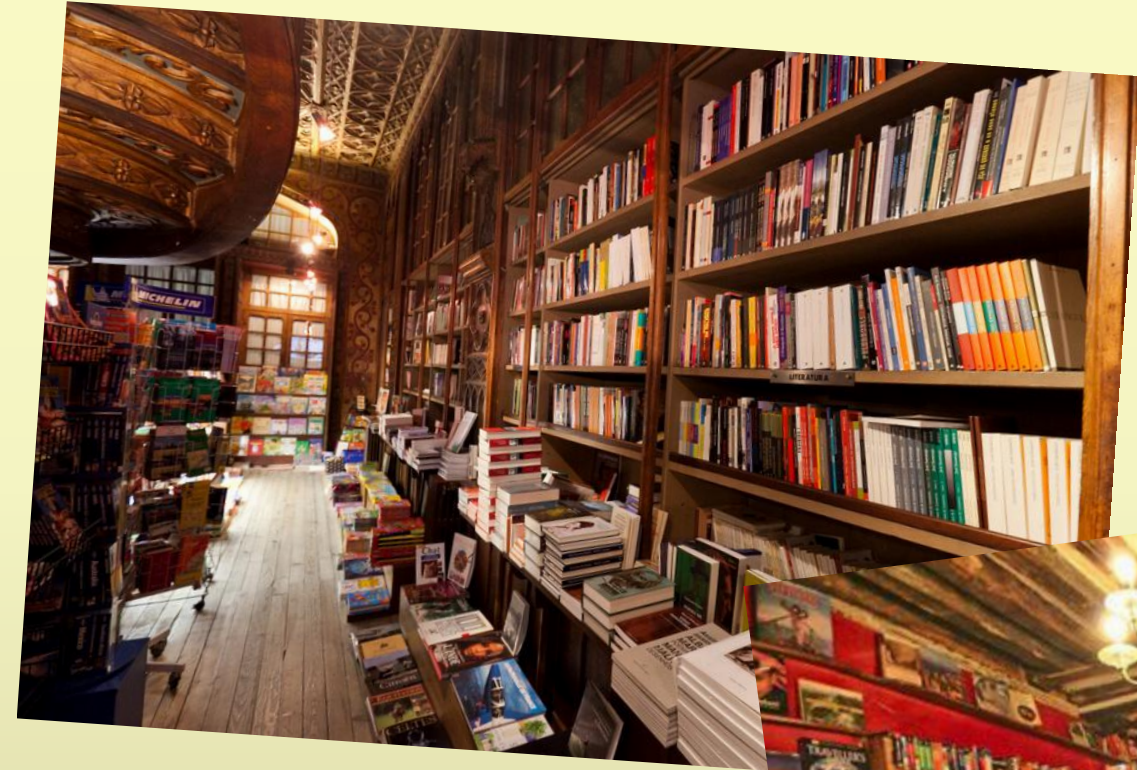


4. To look how you want

In the states people do not pay attention to the appearance. There are certainly those who are stylishly dressed, but to discuss the person's appearance in the States equates to a discussion of skin color. Nobody ever tells you that you are dressed tasteless



5. There is a lot of bookstores in America: from small private, the antique, occupying small cozy rooms, to the whole networks of bookstores. The most known, largest networks of bookstores of the USA - Barnes&Noble and Borders



6. In America outside big cities completely depends on the car. Even those who live in megalopolises very often hire the car in the USA. There is no car - you are simply attached to the house. The public transport is developed poorly outside megalopolises therefore existence of the car is simply vital. For work - by car, at cinema - by car, in hospital - by car, in supermarkets and shops - by car...



7. Religion

USA very religious nation. Religiousness is shown not so much in external attributes how many in an inner world and outlook. The considerable part of their acts and acts becomes proceeding from religious motives.



8. Specialization

Americans very specialized nation, and each person to seek to be the best expert in the area. He won't claim that he well knows history if he isn't a historian or didn't study history deeply in college.

