



*New York*

New York - is a state in the Northeastern United States, third largest state in population after California and Texas. The state of New York is often referred to as New York State to distinguish it from New York City, the state's most populous city and its economic hub.



# New York

**State Capital** - Albany

**Biggest City** - New York City

**State Nickname** - The Empire State

**State Motto** - Excelsior (Ever Upwards)

**Main Rivers** - Hudson River, Mohawk River, Genesee River

**Bordering States** - Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island (water border)

**Major Industries** - finance, communications, international trade, publishing, fashion, communications, farming (fruit and dairy), tourism

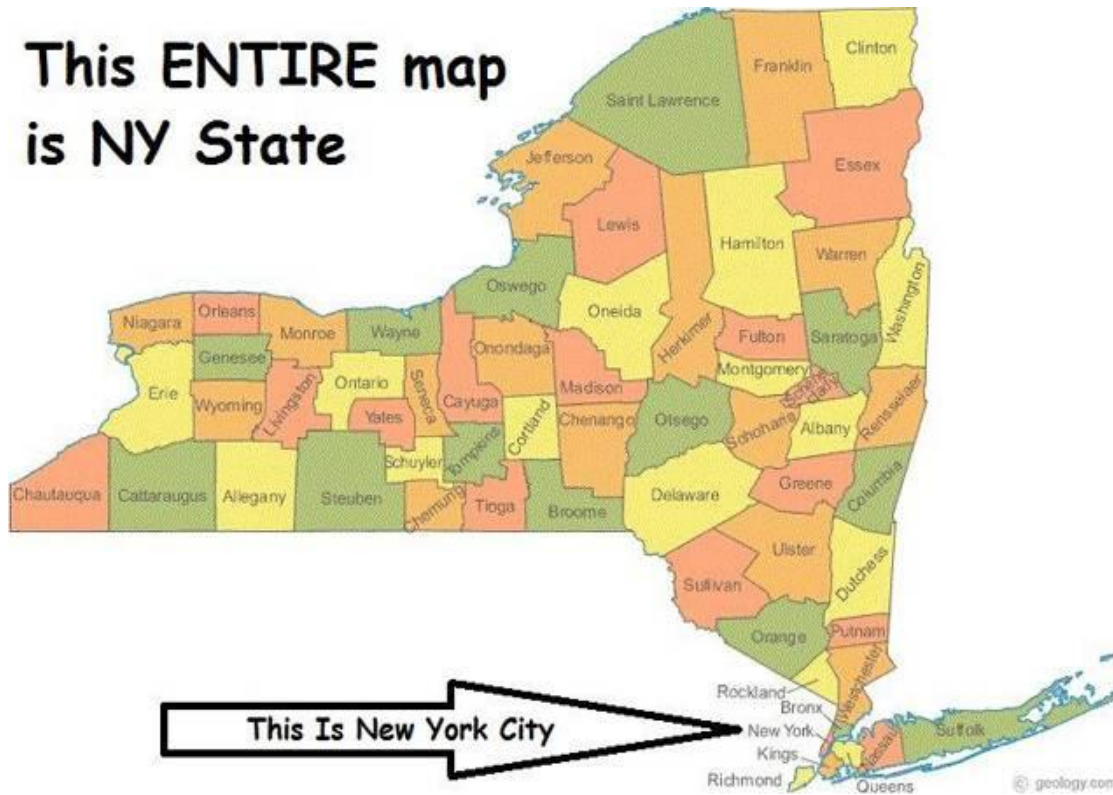


An aerial photograph of New York City at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm orange glow over the city. The Hudson River is visible on the left, and the East River on the right. The city skyline is dense with skyscrapers, including the Freedom Tower which stands out prominently in the center. The water reflects the colors of the sky.

# Origin of the Name New York

The English took over of the area that had been called "New Netherland" in 1664, and renamed it New York to honor the Duke of York (York is a city in England).

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is NY State**



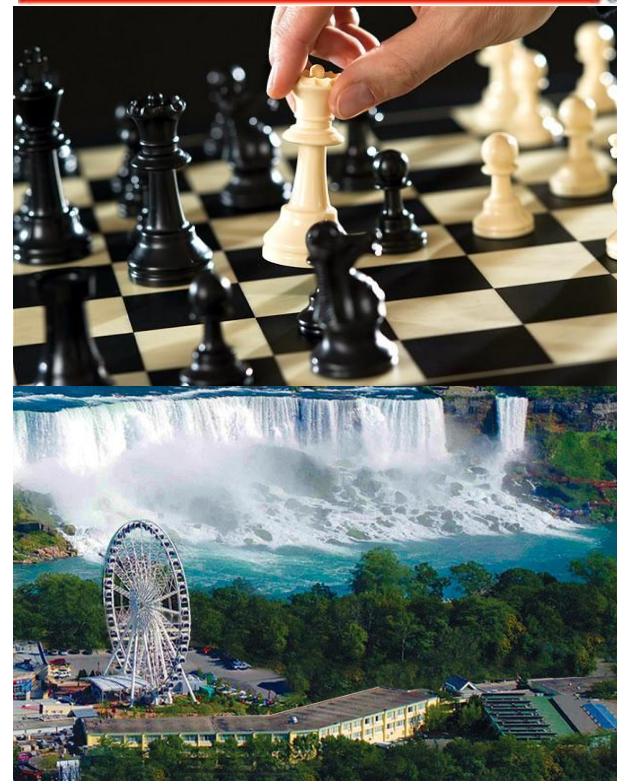
**This Is New York City**

Upstate is technically everywhere outside of the NYC metro area. Downstate is all of the NYC boroughs and Long Island with Westchester.

One thing Upstaters do agree on is that NYC is in no way representative of New York State. The people in NYC just respond with, “There’s life beyond NYC?”

- New York was the first state to require license plates for cars.
- The “New York Post,” founded in 1803 by Alexander Hamilton, is the oldest running newspaper in the United States.
- The first American chess tournament was held in New York in 1843.
- Niagara Reservation became the first state park in the United States

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- Gennaro Lombardi opened the first United States pizzeria in 1895 in New York City.
- New York State is home to 58 species of wild orchids.
- The New York Stock Exchange is the world's largest exchange. It has an annual trading volume of \$5.5 trillion.
- In New York is one of the seven wonders of the world - Niagara Falls





Niagara Falls





The Statue of Liberty

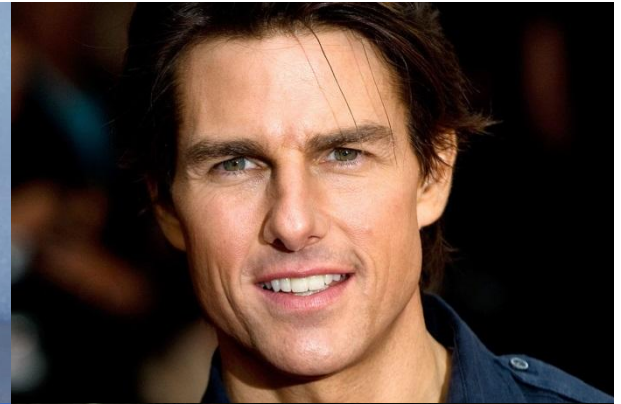
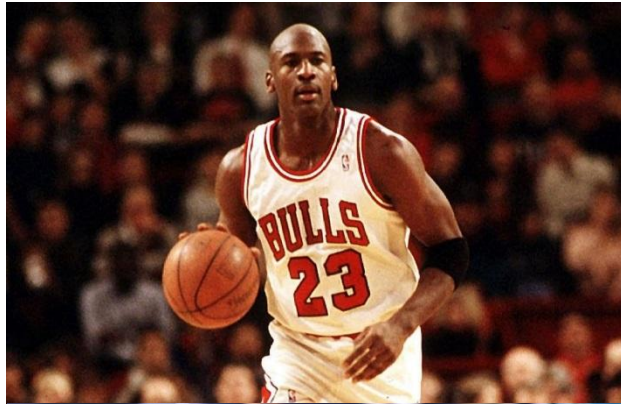


Thousand Islands

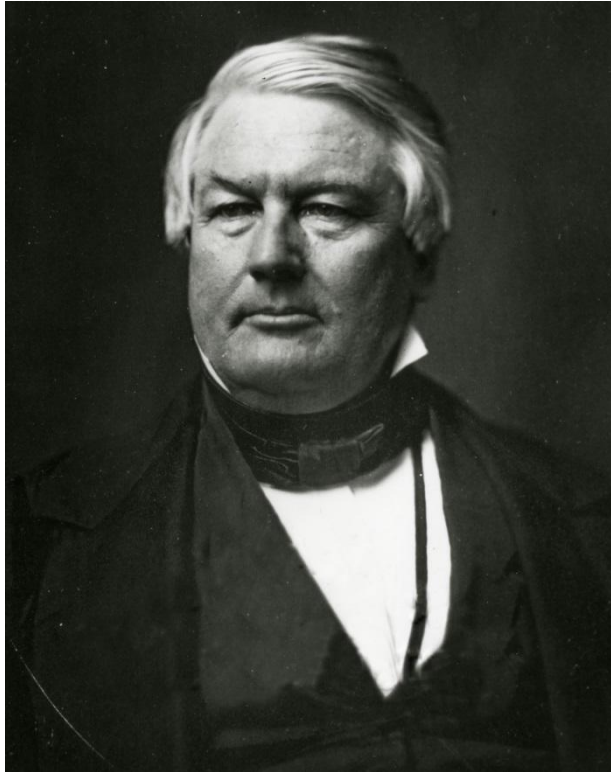


Letchworth State Park





Millard Fillmore



Theodore Roosevelt



Franklin D. Roosevelt



An aerial photograph of the New York City skyline, showing numerous skyscrapers and buildings. The image is slightly blurred and has a light blue overlay at the top. The text is centered over the image.

Thank you for  
attention!

**And remember,  
New York State is  
not New York  
City!!!**