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**ИНДИВИДУАЛЬНЫЙ ИТОГОВЫЙ
УЧЕБНЫЙ ПРОЕКТ
ПО ПРЕДМЕТУ
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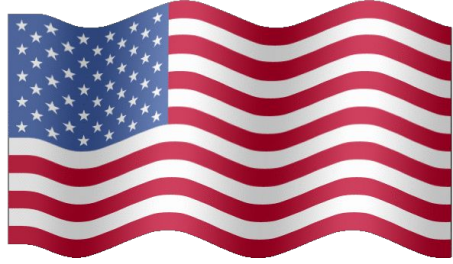


The flag of the United States of America is a national flag. It represents the freedom of the United States.

The flag is also often called the Stars and Stripes, the Star-Spangled Banner, or Old Glory.

The flag of the United States has 7 red stripes and 6 white stripes. These 13 stripes stand for the original thirteen colonies. The flag also has a blue canton, a rectangle in the top left corner. The canton has one white star for every state.

The colors in the flag are red, white and blue. The colors have no special meaning in the flag, but in the coat of arms white stands for purity and innocence, red for bravery and strength and blue for watchfulness, perseverance and justice.



50 State Animals

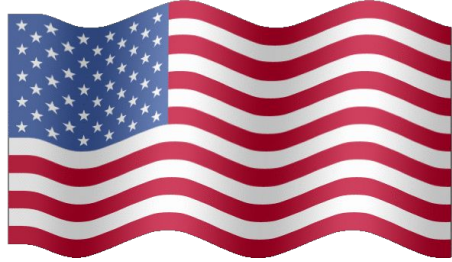
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The Great Seal of the United States is used to authenticate certain documents issued by the United States federal government. It was first used publicly in 1782.

The Great seal is used as the national coat of arms of the United States. It is officially used on documents such as United States passports, military insignia, embassy placards, and various flags.



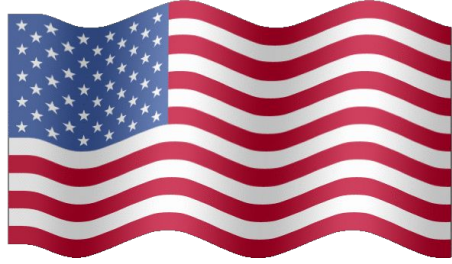
Since 1935, both sides of the Great Seal have appeared on the reverse of the one-dollar bill. The Seal of the President of the United States is directly based on the Great Seal, and its elements are used in numerous government agency and state seals.



The United States is located in the continent of North America, North of Mexico and South of Canada. It stretches from the Atlantic in the East to the Pacific in the west.



The United States covers an area of 9,833,517sq km making it the third largest country in the world. It is roughly the same size as China and the United States. It is half the size of Russia and three tenths the size of Africa.

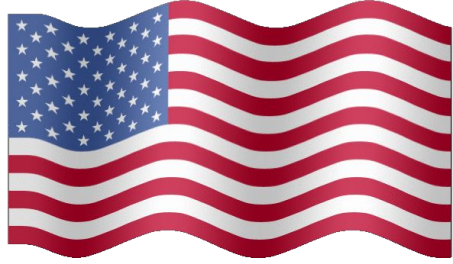


Most Commonly Spoken Language Other than English or Spanish



Languages of America

English is spoken by 79% of the population with next most popular language being Spanish (13%) and other European languages, (4%) followed by languages from Asia (3%) amongst others. The United States does not have an official language but some of the states have decreed that English is the first language.



Capital city of America

The capital city of America is Washington DC, which has a population 672,000 people living in its federal district. This makes it the 25th largest city in America.



Washington, D.C. is the capital of the United States.

Washington was named after George Washington, the first president of the United States and a Founding Father. As the seat of the United States federal government and several international organizations, Washington is an important world political capital. The city, located on the Potomac River.



National day

America celebrates Independence day every year on the 4th July. It recognizes the date that the thirteen American colonies adopted the declaration of Independence on **the 4th July in 1776.**



In the 1700s Great Britain ruled the 13 American colonies that would become the United States. Many American colonists were unhappy with the British government. On July 4, 1776, the leaders of the new country signed the Declaration of Independence.

On the 4th July

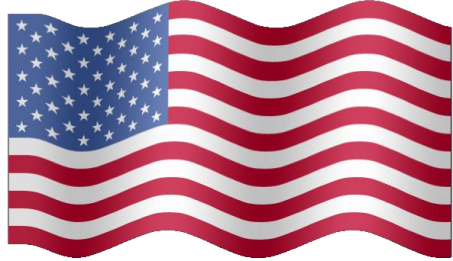


Currency

In America, the American Dollar is used for currency.



A dollar is a type of currency. Many countries have named their money the dollar, so it is important to say which dollar is being talked about. The symbol for the dollar is a capital letter S, pierced by one or two vertical lines: \$.

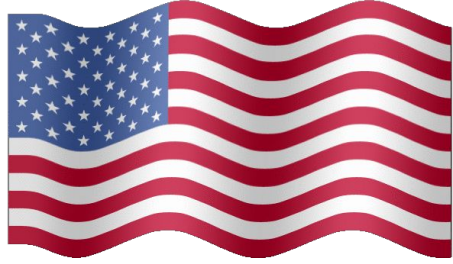


National Flower of the United States

The rose was designated the official flower and floral emblem of the United States of America in 1986.

The rose is a symbol of love and beauty (as well as war and politics) the world over. Each of the 50 states has also adopted an official state flower, including the rose in New York, the Oklahoma rose in Oklahoma, the Cherokee rose in Georgia, and the wild prairie rose in Iowa and North Dakota.





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The fauna of the United States of America includes species of mammals, reptiles, species of insects and birds. Continental United States and its surrounding islands and seas has most distinctive indigenous wildlife, including the gray wolf, American Black bear, White Tailed Deer and threatened lynx.

Other known wild animals of America also includes North American river otter, American mink, Ocelot, Red Fox, American beaver, American badger and polar bear.





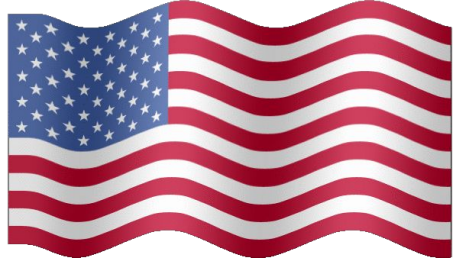
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The Bald Eagle is the national bird of the USA and is represented on its Seal. In the late 20th century it was on the brink of extirpation in the continental United States. Populations recovered and the species was removed from the U.S. federal government's list of endangered species on July 12, 1995 and transferred to the list of threatened species.

It was removed from the List of Endangered and Threatened Wildlife in the Lower 48 States on June 28, 2007. Bald Eagles are not actually bald, the name derives from an older meaning of «white headed».



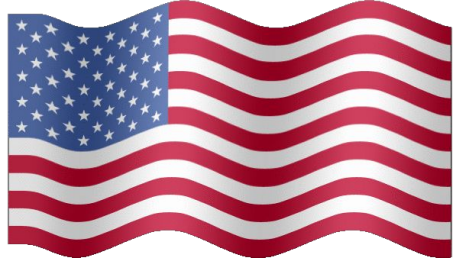


National mottos: **«In God We Trust»,** **«E Pluribus Unum»**

«In God we trust» was adopted as the official motto of the United States in 1956 as an alternative or replacement to the unofficial motto of E pluribus unum, adopted when the Great Seal of the United States was created and adopted in 1782. «In God we trust» has appeared on most U.S. coins since 1864 and on paper currency since 1957.



It is also the motto of the U.S. state of Florida. Its Spanish equivalent, En Dios Confiamos, is the motto of the Republic of Nicaragua.



Oak is the Official U.S. National Tree

"Having oak as our national tree is in keeping with the wishes of the hundreds of thousands of people who helped choose this striking symbol of our nation's great strength," said John Rosenow, the president of The National Arbor Day Foundation.

The oak was selected during a four-month-long open voting process hosted by the Arbor Day Foundation. From the first day of voting , oak was the people's clear choice, finishing with more than 101,000 votes, compared to almost 81,000 for the magnificent runner-up, the redwood. Rounding out the top five were the dogwood, maple, and pine.



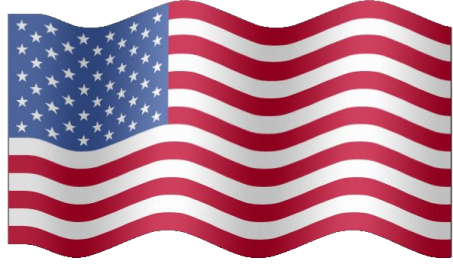


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It stands on Liberty Island in New York. It is one of the first things people see when they arrive in New York by sea. This National Monument was a present from France to the USA.

France gave the statue to America in 1884 as a symbol of friendship. Liberty carries the torch of freedom — in her right hand. In her left hand she is holding a tablet with the inscription «July 4, 1776» — American Independence Day.



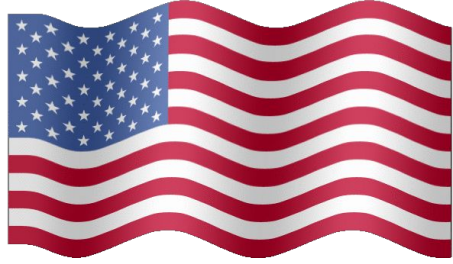


The Washington Monument

The Washington Monument is an obelisk on the National Mall in Washington, D.C., built to commemorate the first American president, General George Washington. The monument is both



the world's tallest stone structure and the world's tallest obelisk, standing 169.294 m. Construction of the monument began in 1848, but was halted from 1854 to 1877, and finally completed in 1884.



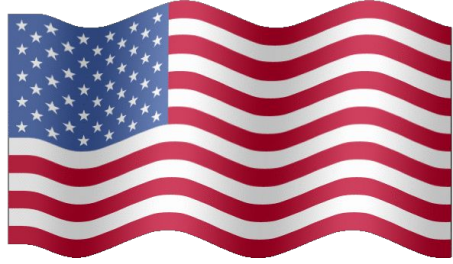
The United States Capitol

The United States Capitol is the meeting place of the United States Congress, the legislature of the federal government of the United States. Located in Washington, D.C., it sits atop Capitol Hill at the eastern end of the National Mall.

Officially, both the east and west sides of the Capitol are referred to as «fronts».

Like the federal buildings for the executive and judicial branches, it is built in the Distinctive neoclassical style and has a white exterior.



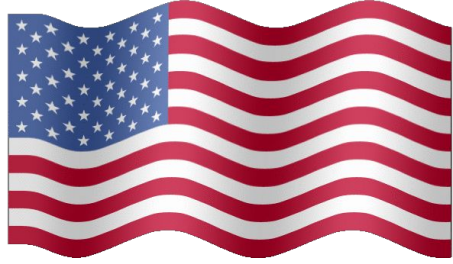


The White House

The White House is the official residence and principal workplace of the President of the United States, located at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue Northwest, Washington, D.C.. It has been the residence of every U.S. president since John Adams in 1800. The house was designed by Irish-born James Hoban,



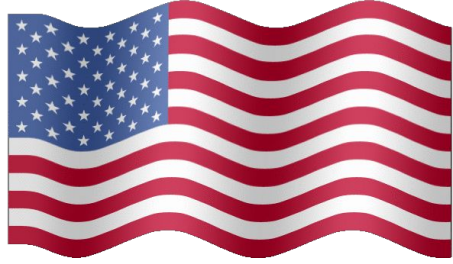
and built between 1792 and 1800 of white-painted Aquia Creek sandstone in the Neoclassical style.



Independence Hall

Independence Hall is the centerpiece of Independence National Historical Park in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States. It is known primarily as the location where both the Declaration of Independence and the United States Constitution were debated and adopted. The building was completed in 1753. It became the principal meeting place of the Second Continental Congress from 1775 to 1783 and was the site of the Constitutional Convention in the summer of 1787. The building is part of Independence National Historical Park and is listed as a World Heritage Site.



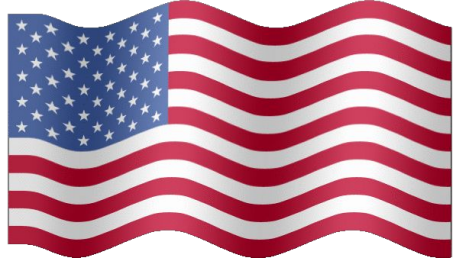


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The Gateway Arch, or Gateway to the West, is an arch that is the centerpiece of the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial in St. Louis, Missouri. It was built as a monument to the westward expansion of the United States. At 192 m, it is the tallest man-made monument in the United States.



The Gateway Arch was designed by Finnish-American architect Eero Saarinen and German-American structural engineer Hannskarl Bandel in 1947. Construction began on February 12, 1963, and ended on October 28, 1965. The monument opened to the public on June 10, 1967.

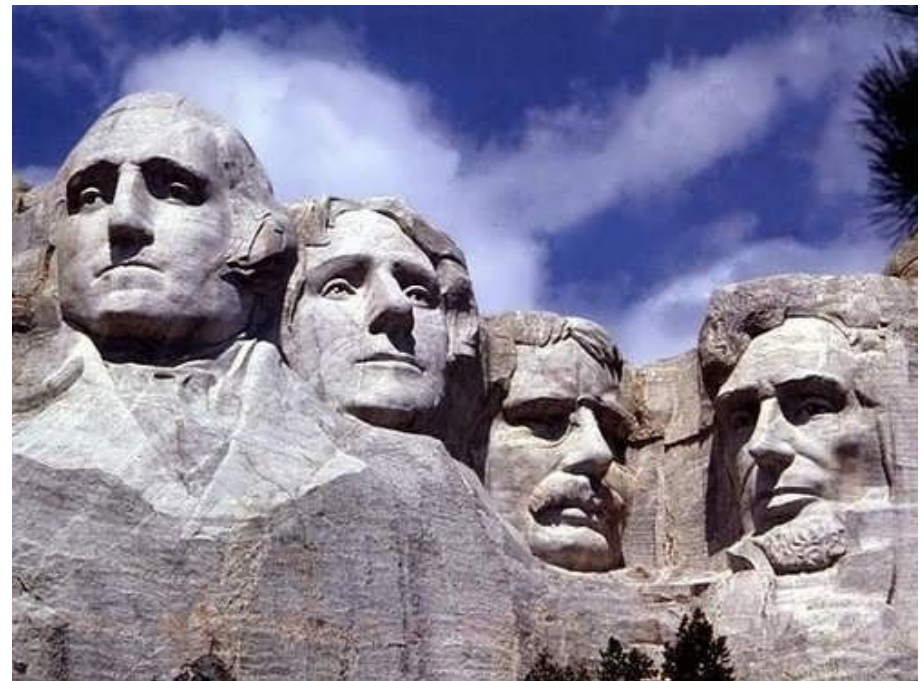


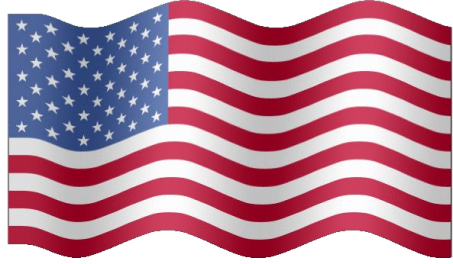
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The Mount Rushmore National Memorial is a sculpture carved into the granite face of Mount Rushmore near Keystone, South Dakota, in the United States. Sculpted by Danish-American Gutzon Borglum and his son, Lincoln Borglum, Mount Rushmore features 60-foot (18 m) sculptures of the heads of four United States presidents:

**George Washington,
Thomas Jefferson,
Theodore Roosevelt and
Abraham Lincoln.**

**The entire memorial covers
1,278.45 acres (5.17 km²) and
is 5,725 feet (1,745 m)
above sea level.**



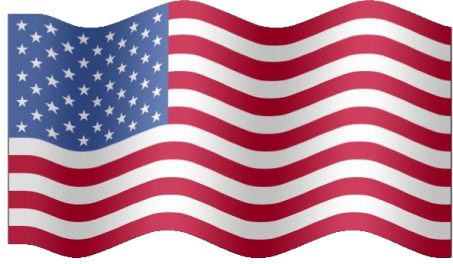


The Golden Gate Bridge

The Golden Gate Bridge is a suspension bridge spanning the Golden Gate, the opening of the San Francisco Bay into the Pacific Ocean. It is one of the most internationally recognized symbols of

**San Francisco,
California,
and the United States.
It has been declared
one of the
Wonders
of the Modern
World by the American
Society
of Civil Engineers.**





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Hollywood (informally Tinseltown) is an ethnically diverse, densely populated neighborhood in the central region of Los Angeles, California. It is notable as the home of the U.S. film industry, including several of its historic studios, and its name has come to be a shorthand reference for the industry and the people in it. Hollywood was a small community in 1870 and was incorporated as a municipality in 1903. It was consolidated with the city of Los Angeles in 1910, and soon thereafter a prominent film industry emerged, eventually becoming the most recognizable film industry in the world.





**The official name of the Statue of Liberty
'Liberty Enlightening the World'.**

**The Statue of Liberty is
located on Liberty Island,
in the New York harbor,
USA.**

**The Statue of Liberty
commemorates the
American Declaration of
Independence and was a
gift from the people of
France.**

**The statue was assembled
on its pedestal after being
constructed in France and
sent to the US in crates.**

**It was dedicated on Oct
28,**

**The Statue of Liberty
designed by French scu
Frederic Bart**

**The female form repres
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of liberty. She holds a
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