



1. Discover the Big Apple!

- a. What words come to mind when you hear "New York City"?
- b. Look at the map of Manhattan and read the quick facts. Workbook p. 20
- c. Take the quiz and find out how much you know about the Big Apple!



NYC Quick Facts

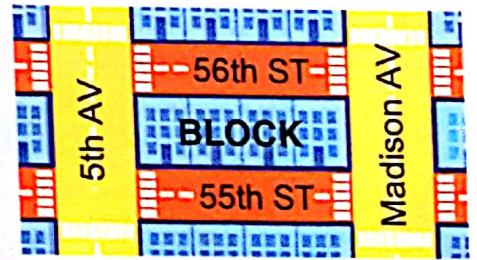
- ⊙ New York City is located in the **north** of the USA, on the **east** coast. It is situated in the state of New York.
- ⊙ There are 8.5 million **inhabitants** in NYC.



- ⊙ New York City is divided into five **boroughs**:
 - Manhattan
 - Brooklyn
 - the Bronx
 - Queens
 - Staten Island.

- ⊙ 200 languages
- ⊙ 237 skyscrapers
- ⊙ 5,000 street food vendors
- ⊙ 468 subway stations
- ⊙ 13,000 cabs
- ⊙ currency = dollar

⊙ Manhattan forms a grid of 228 **streets** and 12 **avenues**. 2 avenues and 2 streets form a rectangle called a **block**.



1 mile = 1.6 km