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9/11 ANNIVERSARY DIGITAL LEARNING EXPERIENCE GLOSSARY

America's Camp: A summer camp for children who lost a family member on 9/11.

Emergency Medical Service (EMS): A division within the FDNY in charge of providing emergency medical care to those in need.

Emergency Medical Technician (EMT): A first responder who provides emergency medical care to those in need.

FDNY: The Fire Department of the City of New York, the largest fire department in the United States. 343 active-duty members of the FDNY were killed on 9/11.

Frozen Zone: The restricted area around the World Trade Center after 9/11.

Ground Zero: The World Trade Center site and surrounding area after the collapse of the Twin Towers. The area was filled with 1.8 million tons of debris.

Hallowed: Sacred and respected.

Jersey City: A large city in the state of New Jersey, located just across the Hudson River from New York City. On 9/11, many people in Jersey City had a direct view of the World Trade Center and witnessed the attacks unfold.

Kevlar Helmet: A type of helmet that uses Kevlar, a strong fiber, to protect the head.

Lieutenant: An officer in the military or first responder agency.

NYPD: New York City Police Department. 23 NYPD officers were killed on 9/11.

Port Authority: An agency run by New York and New Jersey that oversees many facilities shared by the two states, including airports, bridges, tunnels, and the World Trade Center. The Port Authority also has its own police department, the Port Authority Police Department (PAPD).

Sandhog: A slang term given to construction workers who work on a variety of excavation projects in New York City, such as building the subway tunnels, sewers, and tunneling systems.

TARU: Technical Assistance Response Unit, a specialized team within the NYPD.

World Financial Center: A group of buildings next to the World Trade Center.

World Trade Center: A 16-acre complex in lower Manhattan that contained seven buildings, a large plaza, and an underground shopping mall that connected six of the buildings. The Twin Towers were the centerpiece of the complex.

MAPS



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NEW YORK CITY MAP

- 1: Manhattan
- 2: Brooklyn
- 3: Queens
- 4: Bronx
- 5: Staten Island

Locations in brown represent LaGuardia and JFK airports.



PRE-9/11 WORLD TRADE CENTER MAP

- 1 WTC: North Tower
- 2 WTC: South Tower