

## B4 Boroughs and people

Read the texts. Underline where the teenagers live. Draw lines from the photos to the places on the map.

Lies die Texte. Unterstreiche, wo die Jugendlichen leben. Ziehe Linien von den Fotos zu den Orten auf der Karte.



Bilal, 19

Our apartment is in the north of Manhattan, in the part called Harlem. It's not a bad place to live. We came here eight years ago.



Marian, 15

Brooklyn is the best – I grew up here. There are lots of parks and beaches. Brooklyn also has cool little shops. To me, it's special.

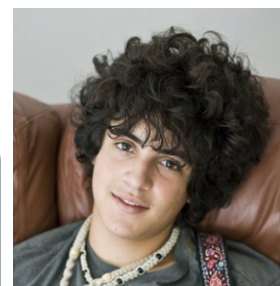


I'm from the Bronx. It's a busy place with lots of street art. The Bronx is a good place to be. Lots of people who work in Manhattan live here.



Joshua, 14

I think Staten Island is the best. It's not as loud and busy as Manhattan. There are lots of lakes and parks. And there's always something to do. You can get there by ferry.



Brad, 17

## B5 Young people in New York

a) Listen and read along. Hör zu und lies mit.

I live in Brooklyn – but I go to high school in downtown Manhattan. I'm glad to get back here in the evening. Brooklyn has lots of cool little shops with clothes and the latest sneakers. To me, it's special – there's no other neighborhood like it. My family and I live in a nice apartment on the seventh floor.

The apartment is big, only the washroom is tiny.



Marian

In the Bronx people mostly come from South America, but my family is from the Caribbean. The Bronx is a good place to be. Hip hop, my favorite music, started here. Many people have hip hop ringtones on their cellphones. Oh yeah, and we have the best baseball team in the world – the Yankees.



Joshua

b) Read and match the sentence parts.

Lies und ordne die Satzteile einander zu.

Marian goes to

Joshua thinks the Bronx

To Marian, Brooklyn

The Bronx has the best

Brooklyn has lots of

is special.

baseball team in the world.

high school in Manhattan.

cool little shops.



is a good place to be.

c) How do you feel about where **you** live? Write sentences in your exercise book.

Wie findest du den Ort, an dem du lebst? Schreib Sätze in dein Heft.

d) Find the American English words for these British English words in the texts. Write them down.

Finde in den Texten die amerikanischen Wörter für diese englischen Wörter. Schreib sie auf.

British English 	American English 
city centre	
trainers	
toilet	
neighbourhood	
flat	
favourite	
mobile phone	

e) Compare with a partner. Vergleiche mit einem Partner/einer Partnerin.

### B6 A word web about New York

Find words that describe New York. Collect them in a word web.

Finde Wörter, die New York beschreiben. Sammle sie in einem Wortnetz.

