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# Washington D.C.

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| <b>NÁZEV ŠKOLY</b>                   | Gymnázium Josefa Kainara, Hlučín, p.o.   |
| <b>VZDĚLÁVACÍ OBLAST</b>             | Anglický jazyk   |
| <b>TEMATICKÁ OBLAST</b>              | Washington DC  |
| <b>PŘEDMĚT</b>                       | Anglický jazyk   |
| <b>ANOTACE</b>                       | Prezentace slouží k osvojení si základních faktů týkajících se hlavního města USA, Washingtonu DC. |
| <b>METODIKA</b>                      | Nutná pomůcka: projekční technika  |
| <b>CÍLOVÁ SKUPINA (TŘÍDA/ROČNÍK)</b> | Žák (prima – sexta)  |
| <b>STUPEŇ A TYP VZDĚLÁVÁNÍ</b>       | Základní a střední vzdělávání  |
| <b>DRUH UČEBNÍHO MATERIÁLU</b>       | Prezentace   |

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# Washington D.C. (District of Columbia)

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# Washington D.C. - basic facts

- situated on the Potomac river
- the city's area was originally taken from the states of Maryland and Virginia.
- around 3,7 mil inhabitants
- The capital was designed by the French architect Pierre L'Enfant and helped by Thomas Jefferson in 1790
- The site was chosen by Washington himself
- divided into four quadrants with the Capitol as the center
- in 1800 used as the seat of Congress
- Video - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7diTLvbHxc>

# Places of interest

- The Capitol - seat of US Congress since 1800
- consists of - Senate wing(north) – House of Representatives(south)
- The Supreme Court across the street from the Capitol – houses the highest court in the land
- Library of Congress – 90mil items



# The Capitol

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# The Mall

- the mile-long tree-lined street with the remarkable view to the Washington monument contains the densest concentration of museums
- Smithsonian Institution

# The Mall

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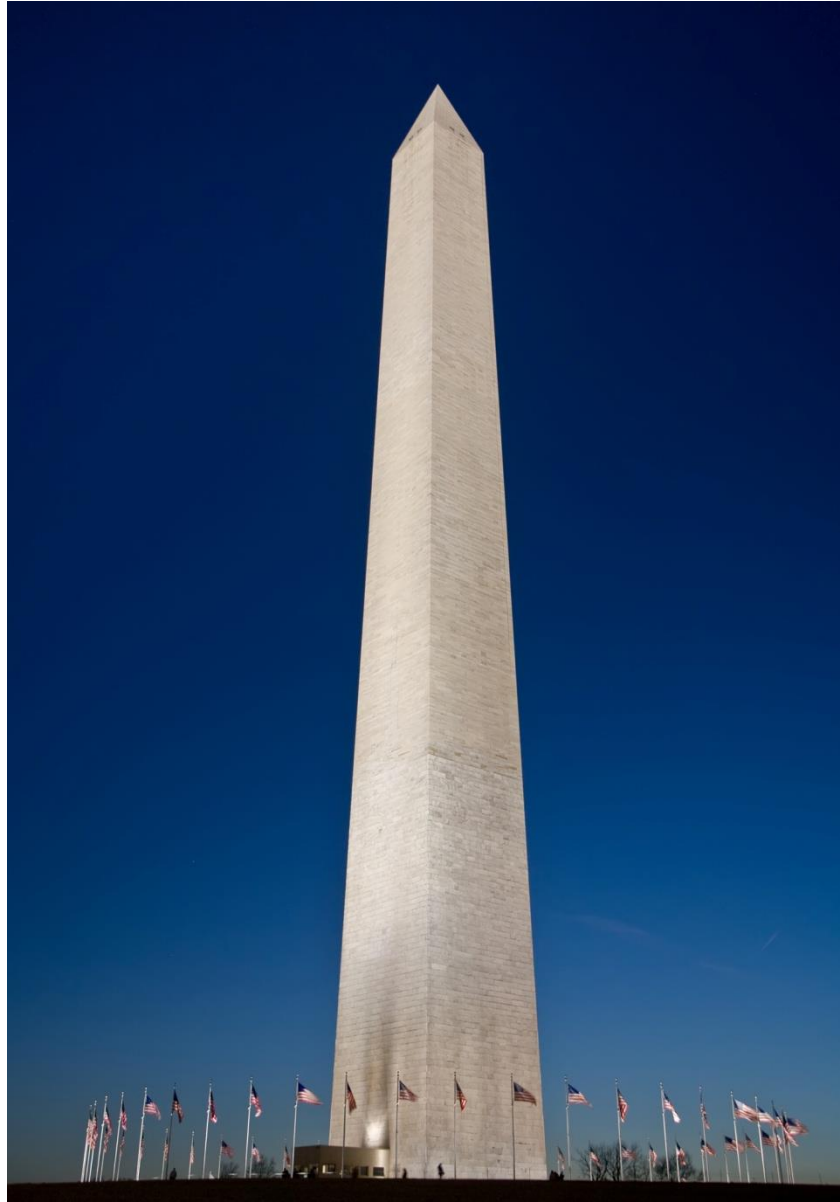


# Washington Monument

- The white marble obelisk in the middle of the Mall
- Ringed by US flags
- 555ft high, 15ft wide at base
- A symbol of the man and the city whose name it bears

# Washington Monument

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# Jefferson Memorial

- The 20th century adaptation of the ancient Roman Pantheon
- Commemorates the third US President
- Inside a bronze statue of T. Jefferson holding a Declaration of Independence
- walls are inscribed with Jeffersons writings

# Jefferson Memorial

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# Lincoln Memorial

- Commemorates the 16th US President
- Inspired by Greek architecture
- Marble statue of a seated Lincoln

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# Arlington National Cemetery

- Eternal flame marking the Arlington graveside of J.F.Kennedy
- Contains graves of more than 200,000 military personnel
- Close to the Arlington cemetery is the Pentagon – it houses the headquarters of the Department of Defence

# Arlington Cemetery

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# Vietnam Veterans Memorial

- A simple black granite wall engraved with the names of those 58,000 killed or missing in the Vietnam War

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# The White House

- The Presidents Residence
- Exterior walls made of sandstone painted in white
- The home of Americas first families
- First floor open to public, second and third floors for President and his family



# The White House

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