

# SKYSCRAPER DAY TRIVIA

## WHICH IS THE WORLD'S LARGEST SKYSCRAPER?

A. SHANGHAI TOWER    B. BURJ KHALIFA    C. LOTTE WORLD TOWER

## WHICH IS THE UNITED STATES' LARGEST SKYSCRAPER?

A. ONE WORLD TRADE CENTER    B. WILLIS TOWER    C. CENTRAL PARK TOWER

## WHICH IS THE LARGEST BUILDING IN CONNECTICUT?

A. CITY PLACE 1    B. TRAVELERS TOWER    C. GOODWIN SQUARE

## HOW MANY FLOORS ARE NEEDED FOR A BUILDING TO BE CONSIDERED A SKYSCRAPER?

A. 20    B. 40    C. 60    D. 80    E. 100

## DID YOU KNOW???

The Home Insurance Building was a skyscraper that stood in Chicago from 1885 to 1931. Originally ten stories and 138 feet tall, it was designed by William Le Baron Jenney in 1884 and completed the next year. Two floors were added in 1891, bringing it to 180 feet. It is frequently noted as the first tall building to be supported both inside and outside by a fireproof structural steel and metal frame, which included reinforced concrete. It is thus often considered the world's first skyscraper, although this is disputed (*Source: Wikipedia*).

## AT HOME ACTIVITY: BUILD A SKYSCRAPER!

Building your own Skyscraper at home is a great family activity and a fun way to celebrate September 3rd. Try Building your own Skyscraper from one of the following materials:

- Legos
- Blocks
- Lincoln Logs
- Popsicle sticks
- Tooth Picks and Marshmallows

