

FUNNY PLACE NAMES:

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These are actual town names that you can find in a detailed atlas of the USA. Spice up your class stories by handing out a couple of copies of this list to selected students. Have students make suggestions for memorable locations as you ask details in a story.

TOWNS THAT ARE NOTHING SPECIAL

Normal, AL
Nowhere, CO
Normal, IL
Loafers Station, IN
Ordinary, KY
Boring, MD
Dinkytown, MN
Half Way, MO
Village of Four, MO
Hicksville, NY
Okay, OK
Boring, OR
Flat, TX
Notown, VT
Nameless, TN
Ordinary, VA
Sod, WV
Embarrass, WI

NICE TOWNS

Carefree, AZ
Little Heaven, DE
Niceville, FL
Picnic, FL
Ideal, GA
Carefree, IN
Smileyberg, KS
Beauty, KY
Lovely, KY
Luck Stop, KY
Relief, KY
Nirvana, MI
Paradise, MI
Grin, MS
Success, MO
Can Do, ND
Happyland, OK

Best, TX
Happy, TX
Smiley, TX
Bountiful, UT
Paradise, UT
Friendly, WV

FUN TOWNS

Happy Camp, CA
Happyland, CT
St. Louis de Ha Ha, Quebec
Celebration, FL
Yeehaw Junction, FL
Social Circle, GA
Magic City, ID
Tingley, IA
What Cheer, IA
Money, MS
Jackpot, NV
Lover, PA
Disco, TN
Flippin, TN
Love Lady, TN
Smartt, TN
Sweet Lips, TN
Cash, TX
Dinero, TX
Hoop and Holler, TX
Ritzville, WA
Quick, WV
Disco, WI

COOL TOWNS

Cool, CA
Studley, KS
Jetson, KY
Krypton, KY
Viper, KY

Zap, ND
Coolville, OH

GROSS TOWNS

Toad Suck, AR
Mianus, CT
Butts, GA
Kickapoo, IL
Roachtown, IL
French Lick, IN
Roachdale, IN
Mud Lick, KY
Goober Hill, LA
Kickapoo, LA
Crappo, MD
Athol, MA
Belchertown, MA
Sweatman, MS
Feely, MT
Lizard Lick, NC
Buttzville, NJ
Flushing, NY
Greasy, OK
Greasy Ridge, OH
Nantipoo, TN
Bumpass, VA
Butts, VA
Booger Hole, WV
Scott's Bottom, WY

UNPLEASANT TOWNS

Gripe, AZ
Burnt Ranch, CA
Devils Den, CA
Weed, CA
Hardscrabble, DE
Meansville, GA
Fickle, IN



Vortex, KY
Cranky Corner, LA
Hell, MI
Hells Creek bottom, MS
Swampbottom, MS
Grubville, MO
Tightwad, MO
Blazing Place, MT
Fishkill, NY
Kill Devil Hills, NC
Devil Town, OH
Knockemstiff, OH
Spanker, OH
Burns Flat, OK
Drain, OR
Burnt Cabins, PA
Crooks, SD
Fink, TX
Mosquitoville, VT
Satans Kingdom, VT
Big Ugly, WV
Needmore, WV
Beetown, WI

DANGEROUS TOWNS

Head-Smashed-In Buffalo
Jump, Alberta, Canada
Eek, AK
Cut Shin, KY
Hazard, KY
Ono, KY
Quicksand, KY
Deadman Crossing, OH
Slaughter, LA
Accident, MD
Bad Axe, MI
Castle Danger, MN
Kilkenny, MN
Tomahawk, NC
Frying Pan Landing, NC
Slippery Rock, PA
Stalker, PA
Cut and Shoot, TX
Hurricane, UT
War, WV

CRAZY TOWNS

Goofy Ridge, IL

Oddville, KY
Bobo, MS
Peculiar, MO
Loco, OK
Idiotville, OR
Looneyville, TX
Cuckoo, VA
Nuttsville, VA
Looneyville, WV

WEIRD TOWNS

Wetumpka, AL
Toad Suck, AR
Nipinnawasee, CA
Wacahoota, FL
Weeki Wachee, FL
Po Bidy Crossroads, GA
Stamping Ground, KY
Thousandsticks, KY
Uneedus, LA
Scaggsville, MD
Noyes, MN
Sleepy Eye, MN
Peculiar, MO
Pahrump, NV
Ho-ho-kus, NJ
Truth Or Consequences, NM
Cooleemee, NC
Hoople, ND
Hop Bottom, PA
Bugscuffle, TN
Bugtussle, TN
Bumpus Mills, TN
Nacogdoches, TX
Mexican Hat, UT
Orangeville, UT
Lick Skillet, VA
Ruff Starbuck, WA
Walla Walla, WA
Odd, WV
Thursday, WV
Embarrass, WI
Oshkosh, WI
Sheboygan, WI
Ubet, WI

BODY PARTS TOWNS

Giants Neck, CT
Marrowbone, KY

Shoulderblade, KY
Rattlebone Hollow, LA
Kiester, MN
Sleepy Eye, MN
Blue Eye, MO
Stiffknee Knob, NC
Brainy Boro, NJ
Neck City, MO
Bowlegs, OH
Bowlegs, OK
Skullbone, TN
Sweet Lips, TN
Bigfoot, TX
Lipps, VA
Left Hand, WV
Footville, WI
West Thumb, WY

TOWNS WITH PEOPLE IN THEIR NAME

Dwarf, KY
PeeWee Valley, KY
Humansville, MO

FOOD TOWNS

Mexican Water, AZ
Tortilla Flat, AZ
Picnic, FL
Spuds, FL
Two Egg, FL
Sugar City, ID
Bacon, IN
Buttermilk, KS
Sandwich, MA
Ham Lake, MN
Goodfood, MS
Hot Coffee, MS
Pumpkin Center, MO
Crackerville, MT
Cheesequake, NJ
Pie Town, NM
Butternuts, NY
Toast, NC
Jelloway, OH
Lickskillet, OH
Pepper Pike, OH
Cookietown, OK
Honey, PA
Oniontown, PA



Tea, SD
Bean Station, TX
Chocolate Bayou, TX
Ding Dong, TX
Oatmeal, TX
Orangeville, UT
Big Rock Candy Mountain, VT
Lick Fork, VA
Onion Creek, WA
Chili, WI
Cream, WI

ANIMAL TOWNS

Chicken, AK
Dead Horse, AK
Toad Suck, AR
Turkey Scratch, AR
Bumble Bee, AZ
Grasshopper Junction, AZ
Monkey's Eyebrow, AZ
Toad Suck, AR
Dinosaur, CO
Wild Horse, CO
Bear, DE
Fish Haven, ID
Birds, IL
Birds Eye, IN
Toad Hop, IN
Beebeetown, IA
Bird City, KS
Bee Lick, KY
Black Gnat, KY
Dog Walk, KY
Hippo, KY
Monkey's Eyebrow, KY
Parrot, KY
Possum Trot, KY

Viper, KY
Trout, LA
Bear Town, MS
Chickenbone, MS
Doglap, MS
Gobler, MO
Wolf Island, MO
Hungry Horse, MT
Moose Town, MT
Duckwater, NV
Ratón, NM
Toadlena, NM
Horseheads, NY
Mooers, NY
Duck, NC
Frogsboro, NC
Lizard Lick, NC
Rabbit Shuffle, NC
Shoofly, NC
Buzzard Roost, OH
Elk Lick, OH
Fleatown, OH
Pig Eye, OH
Turkey Foot Corner, OH
Beaverdale, PA
Bird-in-Hand, PA
Squirrel Hill, PA
Eaglebutte, SD
Bugscuffle, TN
Turtletown, TN
Ducktown, TN
Muleshoe, TX
Tigertown, TX
Turkey, TX
Bullfrog, UT
Mosquitoville, VT
Goose Pimple Junction, VA
Frogtown, VA

Tiger, WA
Duck, WV
Mammoth, WV
Beetown, WI

TOWNS WITH EXOTIC

NAMES

Egypt, GA
Manhattan, KS
Cuba, KS
London, KY
Moon, KY
Hollywood, MD
Bombay, MN
Cuba, MO
Vulcan, MO
Poland, OH
California, PA
Egypt, PA
Holland, PA
Mars, PA
Mexico, PA
Moon, PA
Scotland, PA
Wyoming, PA
Paris, TN
China, TX
Paris, TX
Moscow, VT
Bagdad, VA
Jamaica, VA
Moon, VA
Shanghai, WV



