



## Fill in the gaps

### Empire State Of Mind by Alicia Keys - Jay Z

Yeah,

Yeah, I'm out at Brooklyn,

now I'm (1)\_\_\_\_\_ in Tribeca,

right next to DeNiro,

But I'll be hood forever,

I'm the new Sinatra,

and (2)\_\_\_\_\_ I made it here,

I can make it anywhere,

yeah (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ me everywhere,

I used to cop in Harlem,

all of my dominicanos

right there up on broadway,

brought me back to that McDonalds,

took it to my stash spot,

Five (5)\_\_\_\_\_ Stage street,

catch me in the kitchen like a simmons (6)\_\_\_\_\_ pastry,

cruising down 8th street,

off white lexus,

driving so slow but BK is from Texas,

me I'm up at Bedsty,

home of that boy Biggie,

now I live on billboard,

and I (7)\_\_\_\_\_ my boys with me,

say wat up to Ty Ty, still (8)\_\_\_\_\_ Malta

sitting courtside Knicks and (9)\_\_\_\_\_ give me (10)\_\_\_\_\_ fives,

N-gga I be spiked out, I can (11)\_\_\_\_\_ a referee,

tell by my attitude that I most definitely from...

[Alicia Keys]

In New York,



## Fill in the gaps

Concrete jungle (12)\_\_\_\_\_ dreams are made of,

Theres nothing you can't do,

Now you're in New York,

these streets will make you feel brand new,

the (13)\_\_\_\_\_ will inspire you,

lets here it for New York, New York, New York

[Jay-Z]

I made you hot n-gga,

Catch me at the X with OG at a Yankee game,

sh-t I made the yankee hat (14)\_\_\_\_\_ famous than a yankee can,

you should know I bleed Blue, but I aint a crip tho,

but I got a gang of n-ggas walking (15)\_\_\_\_\_ my click though,

welcome to the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ pot,

corners where we (17)\_\_\_\_\_ rocks,

afrika bambaataa sh-t,

home of the hip hop,

yellow cap, gypsy cap, dollar cab, holla back,

for foreigners it aint fitted they forgot how to act,

eight million stories out there and their naked,

cities is a pity (18)\_\_\_\_\_ of y'all won't make it,

me I gotta plug a special and I got it made,

If Jesus payin LeBron, I'm paying Dwayne Wade,

three dice cee-lo

three card marley,

labor day parade, rest in peace Bob Marley,

Statue of Liberty, long live the World trade,

long live the king yo,

I'm from the empire state thats...

[Chorus]

In New York,



## Fill in the gaps

Concrete jungle where dreams are made of,

There's nothing you can't do,

Now you're in New York,

these streets will make you feel brand new,

the lights will inspire you,

lets here it for New York, New York, New York

Welcome to the bright light..

[Jay-Z]

Lights is blinding,

girls (19)\_\_\_\_\_ blinders

so they can step out of bounds quick,

the side lines is blind with casualties,

who sipping life casually, (20)\_\_\_\_\_ gradually (21)\_\_\_\_\_ worse,

don't bite the apple Eve,

caught up in the in crowd,

now your in-style,

and in the winter gets cold en vogue with your skin out,

the city of sin is a pity on a whim,

good girls gone bad, the cities (22)\_\_\_\_\_ with them,

Mommy took a bus trip and now she got her bust out,

everybody ride her, just (23)\_\_\_\_\_ a bus route,

Hail Mary to the city your a Virgin,

and Jesus can't save you life starts when the church ends,

came here for school, graduated to the high life,

ball players, rap stars, addicted to the limelight,

MDMA got you feeling like a champion,

the city (24)\_\_\_\_\_ sleeps better (25)\_\_\_\_\_ you a Ambien

[Chorus]

In New York,

Concrete jungle (26)\_\_\_\_\_ dreams are made of,



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Now you're in New York,

these streets will make you feel brand new,

the lights will inspire you,

lets here it for New York, New York, New York

[Alicia Keys]

One hand in the air for the big city,

Street lights, big dreams all looking pretty,

no place in the World that can compare,

Put your (27)\_\_\_\_\_ in the air, everybody say yeaahh

come on, come,

yeah,

[Chorus]

In New York,

Concrete jungle where dreams are made of,

There's nothing you can't do,

Now you're in New York,

these streets will make you feel brand new,

the (28)\_\_\_\_\_ will inspire you,

lets here it for New York, New York, New York



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. down
2. since
3. they
4. love
5. Sixty
6. whipping
7. brought
8. sipping
9. Nets
10. high
11. trip
12. where
13. lights
14. more
15. with
16. melting
17. selling
18. half
19. need
20. then
21. become
22. filled
23. like
24. never
25. slip
26. where
27. lighters
28. lights