

ERIE CANAL

This historic man-made waterway opened in 1825. Located between Lake Erie and the Hudson River, the canal linked the Atlantic Ocean and the Great Lakes.

DIRECTIONS: Circle the Erie Canal words from the word list (bold words) in the diagram below reading forward, backward, up, down, diagonally, always in a straight line.



Word List

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| 1. ALBANY | 11. Lake ERIE | 21. SYRACUSE |
| 2. BARGE | 12. FIRST canal (in U. S.) | 22. TOLL charges |
| 3. BOATS | 13. FREIGHT | 23. TOWNS prospered |
| 4. BUFFALO, New York | 14. HUDSON River | 24. TRANSPORTATION |
| 5. 8 years to BUILD | 15. 83 LOCKS | 25. Cut TRAVEL time |
| 6. CANAL | 16. Governor MORRIS | 26. TROY, New York |
| 7. CITIES grew | 17. NEW YORK | 27. UTICA |
| 8. De Witt CLINTON (planner) | 18. ROCHESTER | |
| 9. "Clinton's DITCH" | 19. ROME, New York (ground-breaking city) | |
| 10. ENLARGED | 20. SENECA Chief (first boat) | |

