Cities - the good & the bad

What do you like and dislike about cities ?

1 skyscrapers

+ *look beautiful & have great views*
- *block out the sun on the streets below*

2 expressways

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3 parks

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4 lots of people

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5 night in the city

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6 city food

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7 city people

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8 technology in the city

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Cities: the good and the bad

1 skyscrapers
Good:
1. They are an impressive sight.
2. They can house a lot of people.
3. They are a symbol of a city's success.
4. They can be very energy efficient.
Bad:
1. They can be a safety hazard.
2. They can block out sunlight.
3. They can be difficult to evacuate in an emergency.
4. They can be a target for terrorists.

2 expressways
Good:
1. They are fast and efficient for long-distance travel.
2. They typically have fewer stops and traffic lights than other roads, so you can make better time.
3. They are usually well-maintained and have few potholes or other hazards.
4. They are typically wider than other roads, so you can change lanes more easily.
Bad:
1. They can be very congested during rush hour, making for a slow and frustrating commute.
2. They can be dangerous if you are not paying attention, as speeding and weaving in and out of traffic is more common.
3. They often have high tolls, which can add up if you use them frequently.
4. They can be monotonous and boring to drive on for long periods of time.

3 parks
Good:
1. They provide a green oasis in the middle of the concrete jungle
2. They're great for people watching
3. They're perfect for a picnic lunch
4. They're a great place to take your dog for a walk
Bad:
1. They can be crowded
2. They can be dirty
3. They can be unsafe
4. They can be boring

4 lots of people
Good:
1. There are always people around to help.
2. There is a lot of energy and excitement in the city.
3.Many people means many kinds of activities.
4. You can meet new people easily.
Bad:
1. There is a lot of crime.
2. There is a lot of pollution.
3. It can be very noisy.
4. It can be very crowded.

5 night in the city

Good things:

1. There are plenty of things to do at night in the city.

2. You can explore the city and see all the sights.

3. You can go out to eat or drink at night.

4. There are usually more people out and about at night.

Bad things:

1. The city can be noisy at night.

2. You can feel unsafe walking around at night.

3. It can be difficult to get to sleep with all the noise.

4. You may have to pay more for things at night.

6 city food

Good things:

1. There is a greater variety of food available in cities.

2. Food is generally more accessible in cities.

3. Cities typically have more food options that are open late.

4. It is generally easier to find healthy food options in cities.

Bad things:

1. The cost of food is generally higher in cities.

2. There is more competition for food options in cities.

3. Cities typically have a higher density of fast food restaurants.

4. It can be more difficult to find locally sourced food in cities.

7 city people

Good things:

1. City people are generally more open-minded and tolerant than people who live in rural areas.

2. City people are generally more educated and have better access to information and resources.

3. City people generally have more opportunities for employment and advancement.

4. City people generally have more exposure to different cultures and lifestyles.

Bad things:

1. City people are generally more stressed and have a higher risk of mental health problems.

2. City people are generally more likely to be crime victims.

3. City people generally have a higher cost of living.

4. City people generally have less personal space and privacy.

8 technology in the city

Good things:

1. Technology makes it easier to connect with people and stay in touch.

2. Technology can help make city living more efficient and convenient.

3. Technology can help make city living more safe and secure.

4. Technology can help make city living more sustainable.

Bad things:

1. Technology can make people more isolated and disconnected.

2. Technology can be a distraction from the real world.

3. Technology can be used to exploit and control people.

4. Technology can create environmental problems.