

MASSACHUSETTS

The Bay State

NEW HAMPSHIRE

CONNECTICUT

Mount Greylock
At 3,491 feet, it is the state's highest peak

Mayflower
This fragrant pink flower grows in sandy woods



Lowell Textile Mills
Water-powered mills spun cotton from 1823



• Lowell

Saugus Iron Works
First integrated ironworks in North America



★ Boston

Lexington Battle Green
The Revolutionary War began here on April 19, 1775



• Worcester

American Elm
This native tree can grow over 80 feet tall



Connecticut River
It is the longest river in New England



Quabbin Reservoir
This massive lake holds 412 billion gallons



Basketball Hall of Fame
The game was invented in Springfield in 1891



• Springfield

Black-capped Chickadee
This tiny bird has a black cap and throat



USS Constitution
Launched 1797; oldest warship still afloat



Cranberry Bogs
It grows over 20 percent of US cranberries



New Bedford Whaling
It was the world's top whaling port in the 1800s



Plymouth Rock
This famous rock honors the Pilgrims



• New Bedford

Right Whale
Only about 380 of these giant whales remain



Cape Cod National Seashore
It protects 40 miles of pristine sandy beaches



KEY FACTS

★ Capital	Boston
🏙️ Largest city	Boston
📅 Became a state	February 6, 1788 (6th)
🐦 State bird	Black-capped chickadee
🌸 State flower	Mayflower
🌳 State tree	American Elm
🏰 Motto	By the sword we seek peace, but peace only under liberty