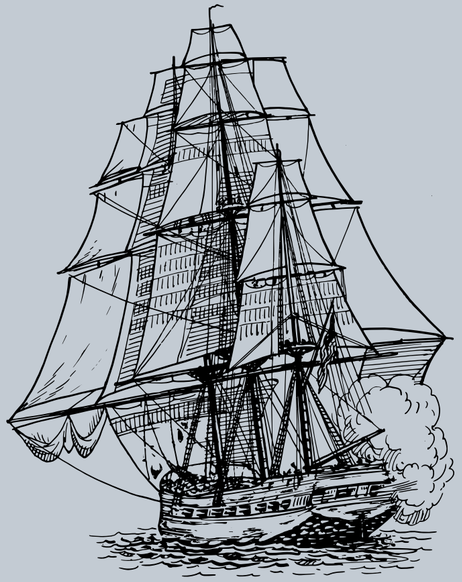


Welcome to Boston !





Where is Boston?

What is Massachusetts?

What do you already know about Boston?

Have you ever visited an American city?





Where is Boston ?





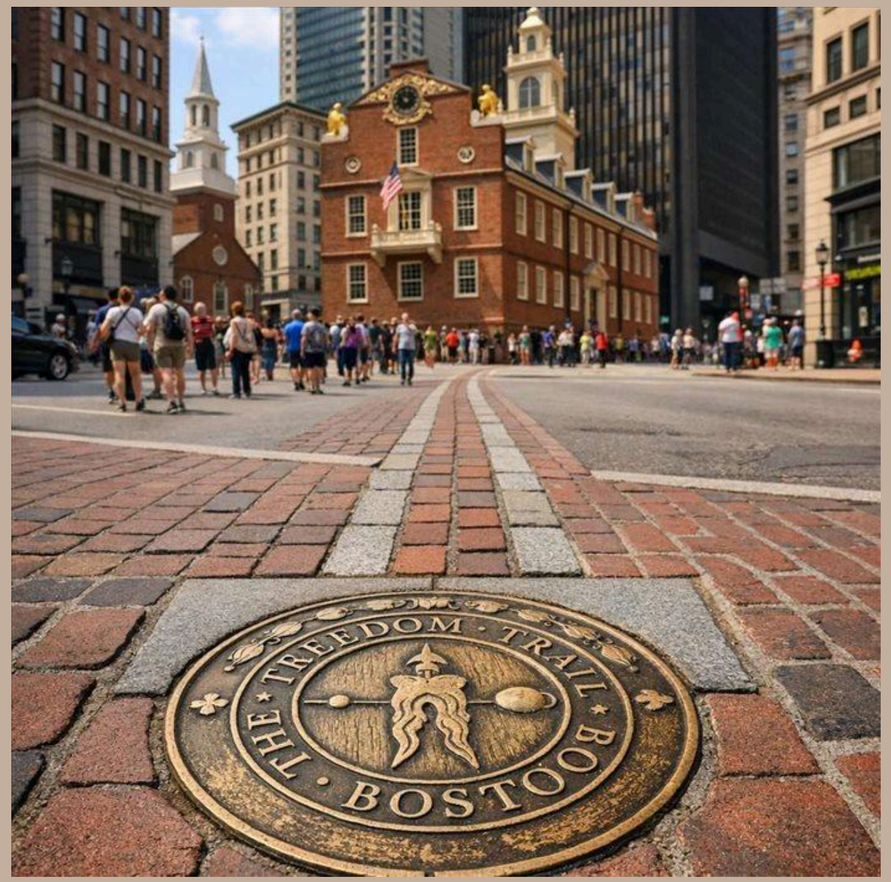


Massachusetts / east coast

Atlantic ocean

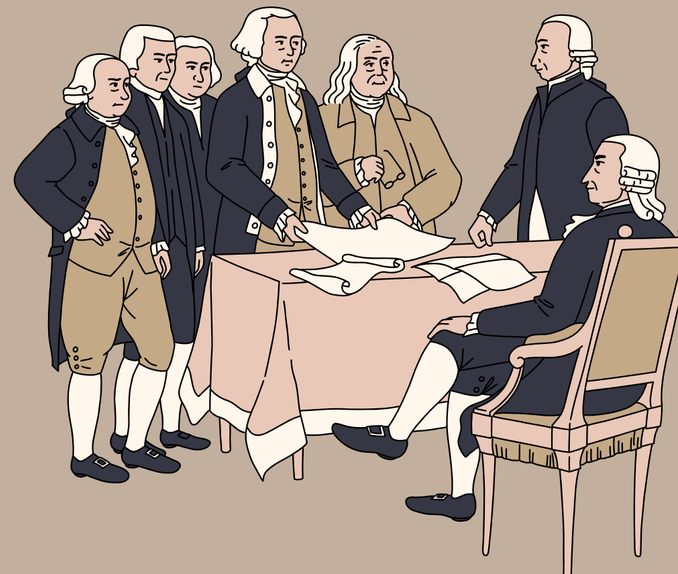
Boston and American History











Boston Tea Party





December 16, 1773.

Boston, Massachusetts.

American colonists/ British taxation.

Hundreds of chests of tea / thrown into Boston Harbor.

The American revolution



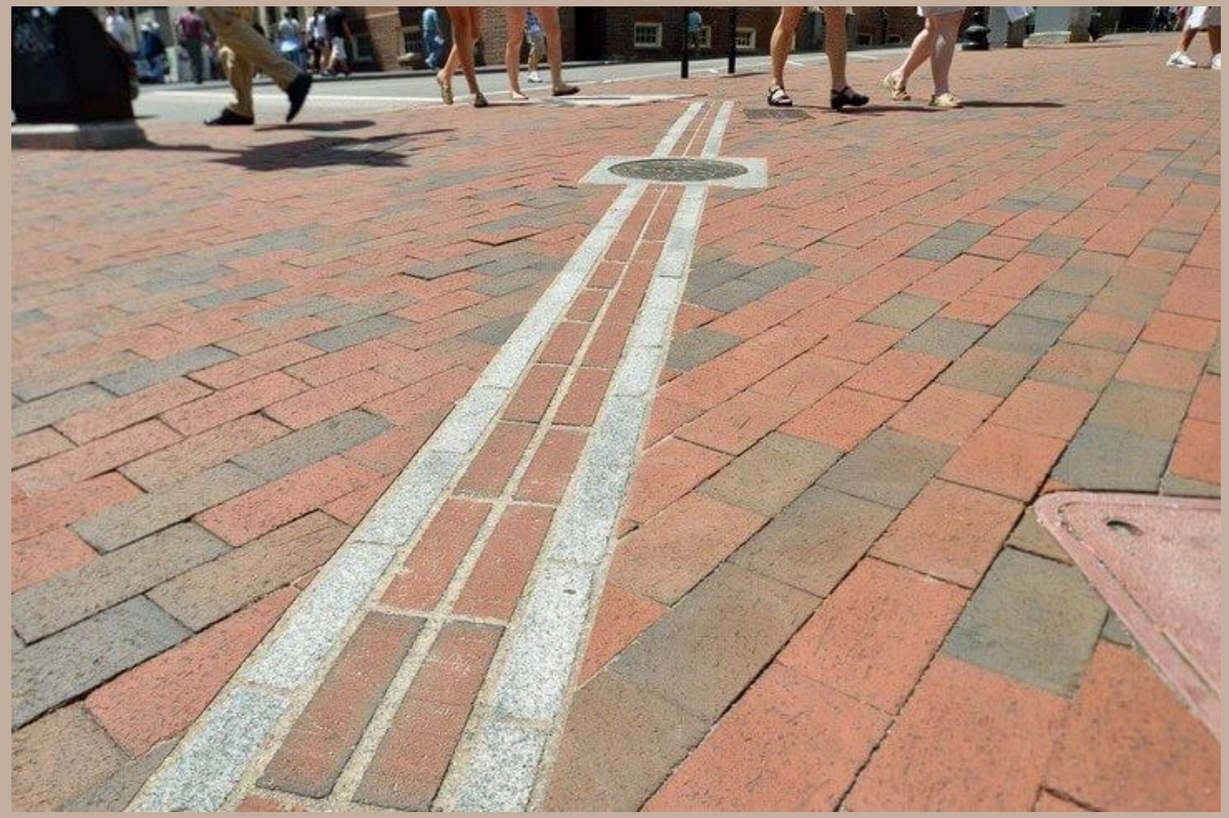
war Great Britain / thirteen American colonies.

1775 - 1783

The colonies / independence/ British rule.

eventually / the United States of America.

Freedom trail



Why is Boston important in American history?

Boston Common



America's oldest public park.

Massachusetts State House





Famous for its golden dome.

Park Street Church



An important historic church.
Important religious centre

Old South Meeting House

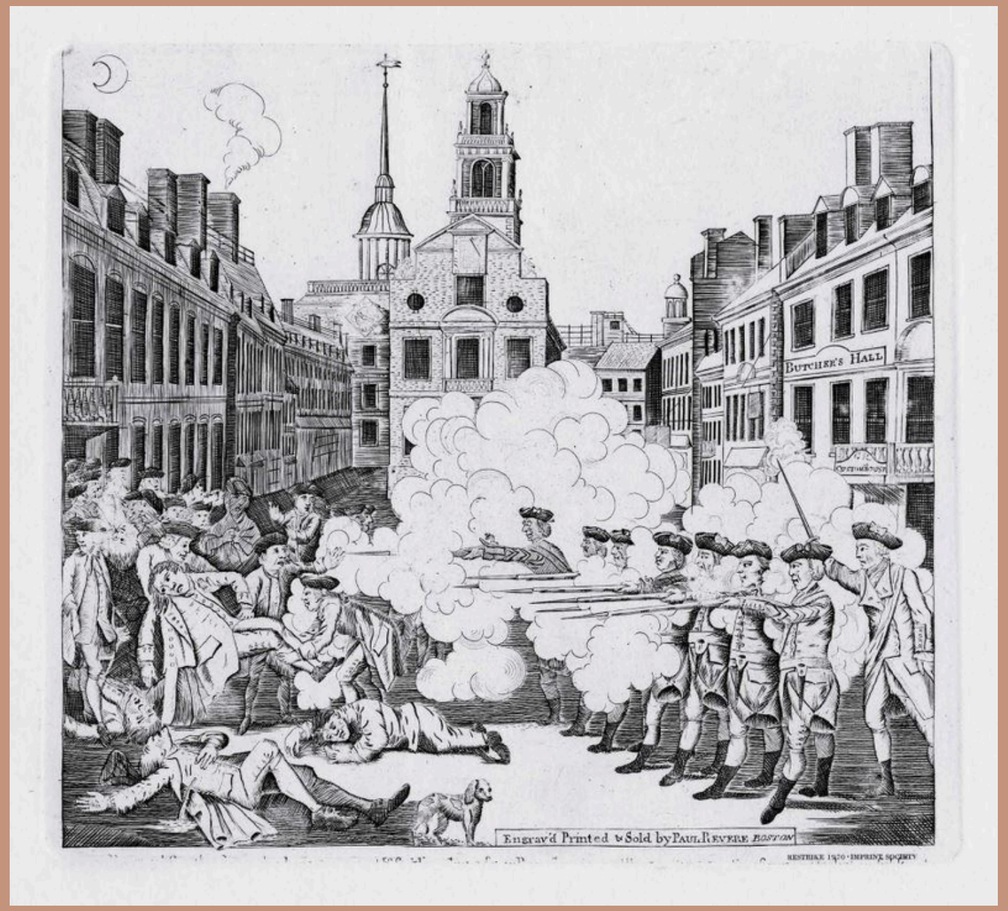


Where discussions leading to the Boston Tea Party took place

Old State House



The site of the Boston Massacre



The Boston Massacre was a violent confrontation between British soldiers and American colonists in Boston on 5 March 1770. It became one of the key events leading to the American Revolution and the eventual independence of the United States.

Paul Revere House



Home of the famous revolutionary messenger

Old North Church



Where lanterns signalled that the British were coming.

Bunker Hill Monument





Commemorate /important Revolutionary/ war battle.

The Boston Freedom Trail





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Starting point: Boston Common.

Finishing point: Bunker Hill Monument in Charlestown.

Distance: 4 km (2.5 miles).

Walking time: 2–3 hours, or ++ if museums + buildings.



Why is it important?

The Freedom Trail helps you understand the events that led to American independence in 1776, including:

Growing tensions between American colonists and Britain.

The Boston Tea Party.

The Boston Massacre.

The beginning of the American Revolutionary War.

A city of universities



Harvard University.
MIT (Massachusetts Institute of Technology).
International students and research.

Sports in Boston



Baseball: Boston Red Sox.

Basketball: Boston Celtics.

Ice hockey: Boston Bruins.

Boston Food and Local Specialities







New England clam chowder.
Lobster rolls.
Boston cream pie.

Famous Neighbourhoods



Beacon Hill
Historic streets + brick houses



Back Bay
Elegant architecture and shopping





North End
Italian restaurants and culture

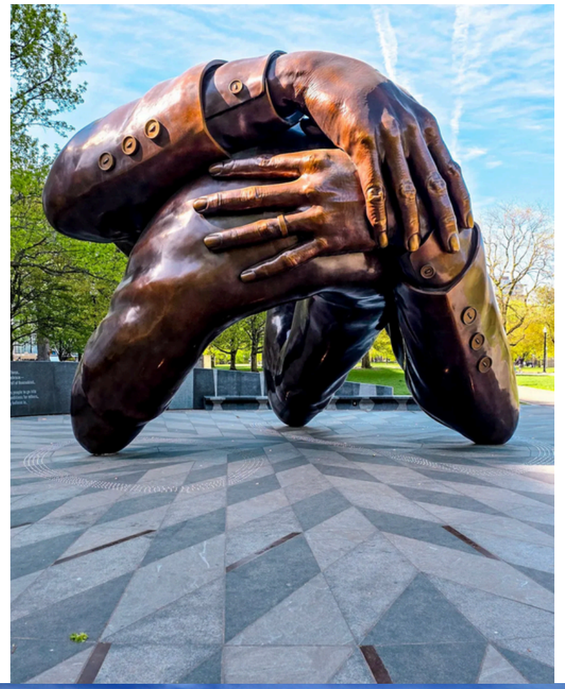




Parks and Green Spaces



Boston common







Public Garden

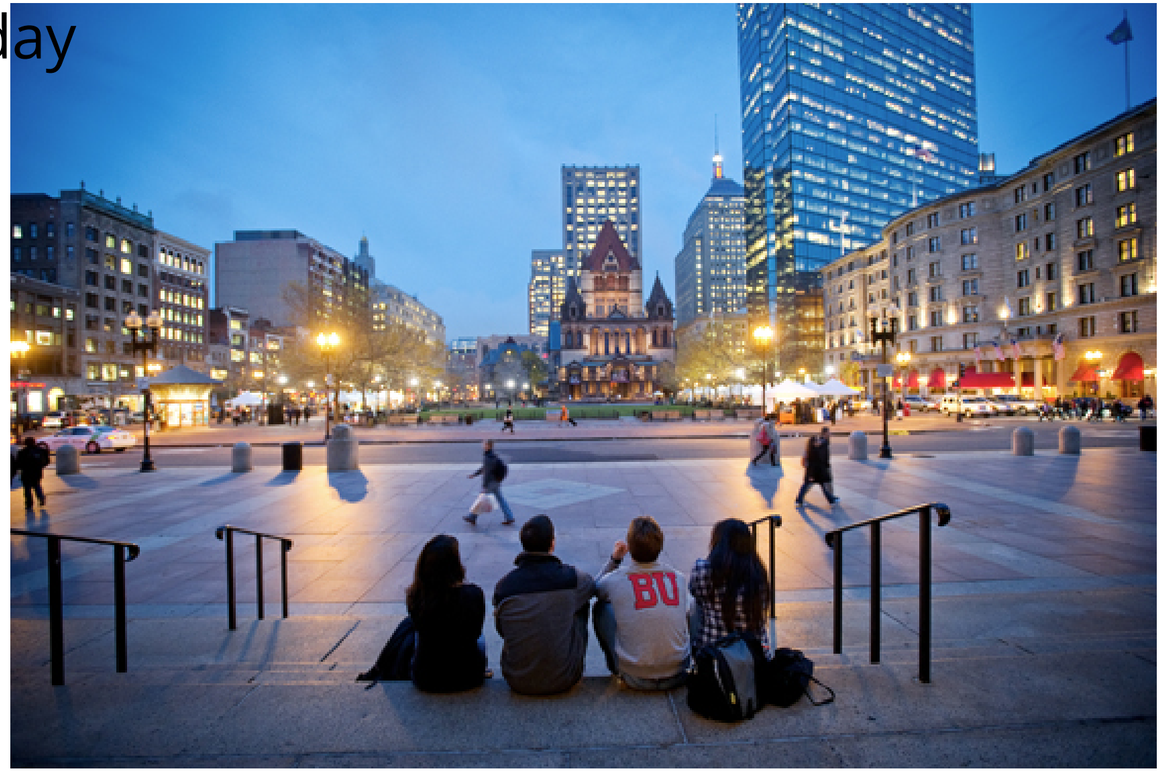


Charles River Esplanade



Boston Today





Technology and innovation.
Healthcare and research.
Finance and business.



Would You Visit Boston?
What would you like to see?
What would you eat?
How many days would you stay?

