# MASSACHUSETTS

Historically Speaking Patch Program

### ABOUT THIS 'HISTORICALLY SPEAKING' KIT

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This **kit** was created to assist you or your group in completing the 'Massachusetts Patch Program.'

**Kits** are books written to specifically meet requirement of our state's patch program and help individuals earn the associated patch.

All of the information has been researched for you already and collected into one place.

Not all of the requirements of the patch program are covered in this kit. Selected requirements are included and you choose the ones you wish to complete according to the items given. Included are; state symbols, maps, crafts, games, recipes, coloring sheets, and more educational information. These materials can be reproduced and distributed to the individuals completing the program.

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www.patchworkdesigns.net All information is secure. 1. Massachusetts is the 6th state that entered into the United States union. Locate the state on a map of the United States. Identify the state flower, flag and bird. http://www.50states.com/facts/mass.htm

2. Massachusetts received its name from the Massachuset Native American tribe meaning, "near the great hill". Choose a tribe to learn more about. What type of housing did they use? What region of Massachusetts did they live? For extra, create an art project depicting the Native American culture. Examples of tribes are: Algonquian,Massachuset, Nauset, Nipmuc, Pocumtuc and Wampanoag. http://pilgrims.net/ native\_Americans/index.htm

3. In the 1620, the pilgrims arrived in America on the Mayflower ship. This created the first permanent European settlement in New England named Plymouth Rock. Find out more about the pilgrims or the first Thanksgiving. What Native American assisted them in learning how to survive the winter? For extra, create a craft representing pilgrims or Thanksgiving. http://pilgrims.net/plymouth/thanksgiving.htm http://pilgrims.net/plymouth/thanksgiving.htm http://pilgrims.net/plymouth/history/index.htm

4. Enjoy a trolley ride around town or go whale watching along the ocean side. Choose a region to explore and complete an outdoor activity. Examples are swimming, fishing, water sports, winter sports, hayrides, walking, canoeing, hiking, and camping. Make sure you have the proper training and equipment before you go on your adventure. If you cannot go on an adventure, you can draw a picture of yourself in the outdoors.

5. Ruth Wakefield, of Massachusetts, invented chocolate chips and the Toll House chocolate chip cookie. Other inventions or firsts in Massachusetts were the first public park, post office, printing press, and subway in America. Learn more about the dates or locations of these firsts in America OR learn about another invention OR have chocolate chip cookies OR design your own stamp. http://www.enchantedlearning.com/inventors/food.shtml

6. In 1891, James Naismith invented the game of basketball and in 1895 William Morgan invented volleyball. Learn more about the rules of one of these games or play the game. For extra, decorate a tshirt or poster depicting a sports team.

7. Louisa May Alcott, author of Little Women, grew up in Boston Massachusetts. Research two famous people that resided in Massachusetts. What did they accomplish? Some examples are: Susan B. Anthony, Edgar Allan Poe, Emily Dickinson, Theodore Suess, Amy Lowell, and Benjamin Franklin.

8. Massachusetts has a variety of historical sites and museums to visit and discover. Choose one to visit or learn more about. Examples are Cape Cod's Children's Museum, Springfield Science Museum, Magic Wings, Pioneer Village, Buttonwood Park Zoo, or Plymouth Plantation.

9. Boston Massachusetts heritage can be traced back to the 7th century. One of the most memorable events is the Boston Tea Party. Learn more about the Boston Tea Party such as why it happened and when? OR learn more about a historical event in Massachusetts. Some examples are: The first celebration of Thanksgiving Day, Salem Witch Trials, or Plymouth Rock.

### Historically Speaking Massachusetts Requirements Complete 3 requirements to earn the patch







10. Walk through a trail at a local park and view the soft fragrance of flowers; view animals of local zoos or aquariums. Visit one of the state or public parks, zoos or aquariums of Massachusetts. Observe wildlife, collect litter in the parks, have an animal scavenger hunt, OR take a nature hike to study the flowers, trees, and animals in your area. http://www.nps.gov/applications/state/ma/

11. There are a wide variety of scenic attractions ranging from the beaches of Cape Cod to the forests of Berkshire Hills. Choose a city or location to learn more about. Examples include: Martha's Vineyard, Nantucket, Cape Ann, Boston, or Salem. Name the terrain, a building, and activity you can complete in an area of Massachusetts. For extra, visit the place in the area you chose to discover.

12. Clara Barton born in North Oxford, Massachusetts, was the founder of the American Red Cross and the President for twenty three years. Help others by collecting supplies or donating materials OR learn more about first aid, Clara Barton, American Red Cross OR nursing.



### MASSACHUSETTS

### DETAILED OUTLINE OF KIT

Not all of the requirements in the patch program are covered in this kit. Selected requirements are included and you may choose the ones you wish to complete.

The items in this kit <u>can be copied</u> for participants and stapled together in book format. There are also informational sheets and descriptions for additional crafts. Choose items to complete according to participant age level. Older participants may assist younger participants.

You can only use this kit to complete the "Historically Speaking Massachusetts Patch Program." It is not to be used to earn any other patch unless authorized by Patchwork Designs, Inc.

PARTICIPANTS ONLY NEED TO COMPLETE 3 REQUIREMENTS TO EARN THIS PATCH BUT MAY COMPLETE MORE FOR FUN.

\*Page 5- Front cover of "My Massachusetts Journal".

\*Page 6- Picture of Massachusetts flag and map of the United States of America. Meets requirement # 1

\*Page 7 - State outline and symbols. Meets requirement # 1

\*Page 8- Finish the picture of the Mayflower. Meets requirement # 8

\*Page 9-10— Fun facts with an answer key located in the back. Meets requirement #5

\*Page 11- Colonial storefront activity. Design your own shop sign. Example symbols are included. Meets requirement # 3.

\* Page 12- Design your Own Logo and Name for Your Sports Team

\*Page 13-20 - Coming to America Game. Learn more about Massachusetts and the Plymouth Rock settlement. Answer questions about Massachusetts and collect item cards to make it to the end of the journey. Includes game board, item cards, and question cards. Completes REQUIRE-MENT # 1, 2, 3, and 5 by answering questions and reading the introduction to the game. It is encouraged to complete other pages of the kit so they will know the answers to the questions.

\*Page 21- Ruth Wakefield invented the chocolate chip cookie by accident. Read more about her discovery and try her recipe for fun. REQUIREMENT # 5

\*Page 22-23- Answer Keys.

Included in the kit are items to complete the following requirements #1, #2, #3, #5, #6, #7 and #8. Choose items for the participants to complete according to their age level or interests.

Please note that some participants may have completed parts of this patch program in school.

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# MY MASSACHUSETTS JOURNAL

#### MASSACHUSETTS

Massachusetts, officially the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. It borders New York, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Vermont and New Hampshire *Locate Massachusetts, the 6th state, on the USA* 



Massachusetts Flag



The official state flag of Massachusetts's has a white background. Located in the center of the flag is a <u>Native American</u> dressed in <u>yellow clothing</u> carrying a bow and arrow on a <u>blue shield</u>. A <u>white star</u> on the shield represents Massachusetts, one of the original 13 states. The <u>state motto written in yel-</u> <u>low</u> on a <u>blue ribbon</u>. It reads "ENSE PETIT PLACIDAM SUB LIBERTATE QUIETEM," meaning "By the sword we seek peace, but peace only under liberty." There is also a <u>yellow</u> sword above the shield

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# State Outline and Symbols





# **Decorate the Mayflower**

When the Pilgrims came to America in 1620, they rode a boat for 66 days to reach their destination of Plymouth Rock. This boat was called the Mayflower. It was only 90 feet long and had to carry 102 passengers.

# Finish the picture below of the Mayflower. Add clouds, sky, and ocean animals. Don't forget to decorate the flag on the boat.



# Interesting Facts About Massachusetts Draw a line to the word the completes the sentence.

The hall of fame is located in Springfield, Massachusetts.	Fig Newton
Massachusetts has a house built out of	Basketball
The is one of the largest man-made public water supplies in the United States.	Newspaper
Thewas named after Newton, Massachusetts.	Quabbin Reservoir
The museum lets you view the historical events of the Witch Trials of 1692.	Benjamin Franklin's
A costumed Colonial guide will take you on a walking tour of thein Boston, Massachusetts.	Salem Witch
Abiah Foulger Franklin,mother, was born on Nantucket in 1667.	Sign Language
Nantucket was part of, until 1691.	Freedom Trail
Flying Horses in Martha' Vineyard is America's oldest operating platform	New York
Between 1600 and the 1900's there was a high population of deaf people in Martha's Vineyard. Therefore, most of the people used to speak.	Carousel

## Famous people of Massachusetts Match the famous person to their accomplishment.

Listed beside their name is where they were born.

Ruth Wakefield, Whitman Basketball James Naismith, born in Canada moved to Spring-**Chocolate Chip Cookies** field Poet Louisa May Alcott, Boston Author of Little Women Emily Dickinson, Amherst Author of Dr. Suess Edgar Allan Poe, Saginaw books Theodore Suess, Springfield Inventor and Statesman Susan B. Anthony, Adams Writer and Poet Woman Suffragist Benjamin Franklin, Boston 35th President of the US Paul Revere, Boston

John F. Kennedy, Brookline

Silversmith and Patriot

Colonial settlers of Massachusetts worked hard everyday to make a colony. The women cooked over open fires, tended to farm animals, took care of the house, looked after the children, made all the clothing and bedding. The children picked berries, fed the chickens, gathered wood, cleaned their rooms, and fetched the water. The men farmed the land, built the houses and barns, made furniture, or worked in town. When settlers worked in town they would have a shop that specialized in their trade or skill. Outside the shop would be a sign that represented their skills. For example, the miller would have a picture of grains or flour on his sign and it would say "miller".



# Design your Own Logo and Name for Your Sports Team

In 1891, James Naismith invented basketball. He was a PE instructor, and was asked to create an indoor sport for the students at YMCA. He experimented with dribbling soccer balls up and down a court and trying to land the ball in a peach basket on a 10-foot pole. In 1892, the rules were finalized and the game was named basketball. Metal hoops and mesh baskets were introduced in 1893. To-day, it is a popular sport played by people all over the world. **Don't forget to put your lucky number on the back and last name.** 



# **Coming to America Introduction**

On September 6, 1620, a group of 102 people called Pilgrims, left England on a ship called the Mayflower. They were on a journey to the New World for a new beginning. The captains name was Christopher Jones and he had 30 crew members to assist him on the long journey. This was a new task for him since usually he only carried merchandise on his ship.

The passengers had to live in small areas of the ship for 66 days. There were no bathrooms or showers and everyone got seasick from the rough weather. In the beginning of the trip, food was good, but soon there was only biscuits and dried meat. On November 11, 1620 they landed on Plymouth Rock, Massachusetts and stepped into their New World.

The weather was cold when they arrived so they had to live on the ship until they could build temporary shelters to live in. Two native Americans named Squanto and Samoset from the Wampanoag tribe helped the Pilgrims. They taught them how to hunt, harvest, and survive the winter. When the spring came they built houses out of wood. Chief Massasoit made a peace treaty with the pilgrims and they came together and had the first Thanksgiving. It was held in October 1621 for three days.

# **Coming to America Game**

You will need a **dice** and **game markers** to move around the board. Markers can be coins, buttons, or pieces from other games. *3-4 players needed* 

1. Connect the two board pieces together with tape. If you would like to color the board you may. Have the participants roll the dice and move around the board to collect item cards and answer questions about Massachusetts or the Pilgrims' arrival in America.

2. Cut out the "Item Cards" and place them on the game board box labeled "Item Cards". The item cards pertain to items that would be found in American colonial times. Make several copies of these pages so there will be enough for all the players to collect.

3. Cut out the "?" cards and place them on the game board labeled "?". Please note some of the questions will pertain to the introduction paragraphs of this game. Once they read a card then they should place it face down on the bottom of the deck.

4. Have each participant roll the dice. Whoever rolls the highest number goes first. Turn order continues in a clockwise motion.

5. If a participant lands on a symbol, then they draw an item card.

6. The object of the game is to make it to the end with four item cards. You may wish to adjust the quantity of cards to collect according to the age level of the participants.

In order to receive these cards they can move forward and backwards on the game board. If they answer a question correctly they can draw an item card. Once a person has four item cards then they can travel to the "end" space and be declared the winner. If they land on a question space they still need to try and answer the questions.





# Cut out each card and place it on the game board on the spot marked "? Cards".

What is the capital of Massachusetts?	<b>True or False?</b> Louisa May Alcott is the author of Little Women.
Boston	TRUE
What is Massachusetts state flower?	<b>True or False?</b> Martha's Vineyard has the oldest roller coaster in America.
Mayflower	FALSE- It has the oldest carousel.
What is Massachusetts state bird?	True or False?
	<b>True or False?</b> Nantucket was part of New York until 1691.
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bird?	Nantucket was part of New York until 1691. TRUE
bird? Black Capped Chickadee What is Massachusetts state in-	Nantucket was part of New York until 1691.
bird? Black Capped Chickadee	Nantucket was part of New York until 1691. TRUE

Cut out each card and place it on the game board on the spot marked "? Cards".

True or False?	Fill in the blank.
There is a house made of jelly beans located in Rockport, Mas- sachusetts.	Ruth Wakefied invented
FALSE- the house is made out of news- paper.	Chocolate Chip Cookies
Name one of the Native Ameri- cans that assisted the pilgrims when they arrived in America.	True or False? The author of the Dr. Suess books was born in Massachu- setts.
Squanto and Samoset	TRUE
What year did the pilgrims land on Plymouth rock?	<b>True or False?</b> Nantucket is near the ocean.
on Plymouth rock?	Nantucket is near the ocean.
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True or False?	Fill in the blank.
The first Thanksgiving was with the Eskimos and pilgrims.	The first Thanksgiving was in Oc- tober
FALSE- it was with the native Americans and pilgrims.	1621
Name a job assigned to colonial	True or False?
women.	It took 66 days for the pilgrims to reach America on the Mayflower.
sewing, quilting, cooking, cleaning, and taking care of children, etc.	TRUE
Name a job assigned to colonial children	True or False?
Name a job assigned to colonial children.	True or False? There is a museum in Massachu- setts where you can view the his- torical events of the Salem witch trials.
children. feeding the animals, picking berries,	There is a museum in Massachu- setts where you can view the his- torical events of the Salem witch
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children. feeding the animals, picking berries, fetching water, etc.	There is a museum in Massachu- setts where you can view the his- torical events of the Salem witch trials. TRUE





Make several copies of these cards so there will be enough for all the participants.

### <u>Recipe</u>

In 1930, Ruth Wakefield invented the Toll House Cookie in Whitefield, Massachusetts. During this time period in her life, she prepared desserts for the local inns. One day she was creating her Drop Do cookies and ran out of baker's semi sweet chocolate. She remembered the chocolate bar that Andrew Nestle had given her, so she substituted the chocolate with the chocolate bar. To her amazement the chocolate pieces did not melt in the oven but stayed in chip like pieces within the cookie. She served the cookie anyway and it became a hit. Ruth Wakefield spoke to Andrew Nestle of Nestlé's chocolate about producing small chocolate pieces for baking. He agreed to sell them and Ruth Wakefield would receive a lifetime supply of Nestle chocolate and her recipe printed on the back of every package of Nestle chocolate chips. To this day, her recipe is still printed on the back of the Nestle chocolate chip bags. Chocolate Chip cookies are still the most popular cookie in America. Try her recipe below and you will see for yourself how yummy her cookies really are !

### Ruth Wakefield's Tollhouse Cookie Recipe

2 ¼ cups of flour
1 teaspoon of baking soda
1 tsp. of salt
1 cup of butter (2 sticks)
¾ cup of white sugar
¾ cup of brown sugar
1 teaspoon of vanilla
2 eggs
2 cups of Nestle sweet chocolate chips (12 oz. bag)
1 cup of chopped nuts

### Directions:

**PREHEAT** oven to 375° F. Should make about 40 cookies.

**COMBINE** flour, baking soda and salt in small bowl. Beat butter, granulated sugar, brown sugar and vanilla extract in large mixer bowl until creamy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Gradually beat in flour mixture. Stir in the chocolate chips and nuts. Drop by rounded table-spoon onto ungreased baking sheets.

**BAKE** for 9 to 11 minutes or until golden brown. Cool on baking sheets for 2 minutes; remove to wire racks to cool completely.

### Other variations:

**PAN COOKIES:** Grease a 15 x 10-inch pan. Prepare dough as noted above. Spread into prepared pan. Bake for 20 to 25 minutes or until golden brown. Cool in pan on wire rack. Makes 4 dozen bars.

**SLICE AND BAKE :**Prepare dough as noted above. Divide in half. \*Shape each half into 15-inch logs; wrap in waxed paper. Refrigerate for 30 minutes or until firm. Preheat oven to 375° F. Cut into 1/2-inch-thick slices; place on ungreased baking sheets. Bake for 8 to 10 minutes or until golden brown. Cool on baking sheets for 2 minutes; remove to wire racks to cool completely. Makes about 5 dozen cookies.



# Interesting Facts About Massachusetts

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The hall of fame is located in Springfield, Massachusetts.	fig newton
Massachusetts has a house built out of	basketball
The is one of the larg- est man-made public water supplies in the United States.	newspaper
Thewas named after New- ton, Massachusetts.	Quabbin Reservoir
The museum lets you view the historical events of the Witch Trials of 1692.	Benjamin Franklin's
A costumed Colonial guide will take you on a walking tour of thein Boston, Massachusetts.	Salem Witch
Abiah Foulger Franklin, mother, was born on Nan- tucket in 1667.	sign language
Nantucket was part of, until, 1691.	Freedom Trail
Flying Horses in Martha' Vineyard is Amer- ica's oldest operating platform	New York
Between 1600 and the 1900's there was a high population of deaf people in Martha's Vineyard. Therefore, most of the people usedto speak.	carousel



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