

As a major influence in the American Revolution, Boston tells the tales of American Freedom. It is in this city where Paul Revere began his midnight ride to warn of the arrival of the British.



THE BEST OF BOSTON

DAY 1: ARRIVE IN BOSTON

Morning departure from gateway city to "Bean Town." Meet your Program Director and depart for a WALKING TOUR of the legendary Freedom Trail. See the dome case by Paul Revere at the Massachusetts State house, Old Granary Burial Ground, King's Chapel, Old South Meeting House, Old State House, Faneuil Hall, Paul Revere's House and the Old North Church. This evening visit the PRUDENTIAL CENTER SKYWALK OBSERVATORY, Boston's only sky-high vantage point for sweeping 360 degree views of Greater Boston.

DAY 2: BOSTON & PLYMOUTH

Located on a ten-acre park, the JFK PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM overlooks the sea that he loved and the city that launched him to greatness. Learn about the life and times of John F. Kennedy before departing for Plymouth to travel back in time through history. Come aboard and learn about the 1620 voyage of the Mayflower, the perils of maritime travel, and the tools of 17th-century navigation. Explore the lives of the Wampanoag people and the 17th-century English colonists at PLIMOTH PLANTATION.

DAY 3: BOSTON, SALEM & GLOUCESTER

This morning head north of Boston to Salem. Walk through the Salem Witch Trials Memorial and learn about the events of 1692 which are still used today as a yardstick to measure the depth of civility and due process in our society. Tour the HOUSE OF SEVEN GABLES that inspired author Nathaniel Hawthorne to write his legendary novel. This afternoon learn about the lives of local fisherman onboard your HARBOR CRUISE in the seaport town of Gloucester. Your day comes to a perfect ending with an eat-in-the-rough lobster bake before returning to Boston.

DAY 4: DEPART FOR HOME

Learn about America's struggle against the British at Lexington Battle Green. Visit the Old North Bridge, site of "the shot heard 'round the world." Then, drive past the homes of poets, essayists and novelists, including Ralph Waldo Emerson and Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

World-Class MOMENTS

Special educational experiences designed to match class curriculum in Social Studies, Math/Science and Language Arts. Please visit www.studentdiscoveries.com for a full listing of World-Class Moments by theme and destination.

Cultural Cuisine A Harvest Celebration After a guided tour at the Plimoth Plantation to learn about our forefather's, you'll travel back to the year 1627 for an evening of entertainment and hospitality with the residents of the English Village. Sit down to a "groaning board" filled with finest food that this season of plenty has to offer. Discover the table manners that traveled across the Atlantic with the "Pilgrims," and find out about what really happened at the harvest celebration of 1621.

Footsteps of Legends JFK's Legacy. Fifty years ago, a young Senator from Massachusetts ignited a country by challenging them to dream, take action, and achieve like no other world leader had before. Follow in John F. Kennedy's footsteps as see his birthplace, trace his college years at Harvard, and see where he cast his ballot for the presidency. Tour the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library & Museum and create a presidential report card evaluating the various responsibilities that go with the nation's highest office and the kind of leadership qualities that are needed.

Who's Who Land of Immigrants. Paul Revere's North End changed dramatically in the 1800s as Irish, Eastern European and Italian immigrants settled in the colonial dwellings in enormous numbers. At the City of Boston Archaeology Lab, students examine 19th-century personal care items, toys and kitchen utensils excavated at the Revere House. Each artifact provides fascinating clues about the families who lived and worked in the Revere House when it was a boarding house. On a walking tour through the North End's twisting streets and alleyways students hear accounts of children who grew up in the nearby tenements, discovering how they helped support their families by working as "newsies," trooped to the local bath house with little brothers or sisters in tow, played stickball, and helped tend rooftop gardens. Pre-visit materials provided.

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Personalize your itinerary by adding your own set of activities or excursions tailored to your class' interests. Please contact your Custom Tour Specialist for pricing.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

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Note: Arrival and departure times may modify this itinerary.

Customize your itinerary by adding one or more of the following:

• Blue Man Group • Boston Duck Tour • Boston Harbor Cruise • Fenway Park tour • Museum of Fine Arts • Museum of Science • New England Aquarium • Old Sturbridge Village • Six Flags New England • Shear Madness • USS Constitution Museum • Walden Pond • Whale Watch • or other additions such as a group photo or daily lunch

Extend your tour and add another historic destination:

New York, Philadelphia or Washington, DC.