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FREE
5 PUZZLES



THE OCEAN STATE

Rhode Island Puzzle Pack

Five free puzzles about Rhode Island for kids in grades 2 to 8, with a fast-facts page and every answer key.

Crossword · Word Search · Word Fill-In · Word Scramble · Cryptogram · Fast Facts · Answer Keys

Welcome to Rhode Island!

Grab a pencil and a sun hat: we're sailing around Rhode Island! The smallest state is packed with big adventures. In these pages you'll spot lighthouses, hunt for clams in Narragansett Bay, and take a ferry out to Block Island. You'll meet a famous red chicken, a purple flower and a beetle that helps keep nature clean. Then you'll crack a code about all that shoreline. Ready? Hope is the motto, so hop to it!



RHODE ISLAND FAST FACTS

Capital	Providence
Largest city	Providence
Nickname	The Ocean State
Statehood	May 29, 1790 (the 13th state)
Region	Northeast
State bird	Rhode Island Red
State flower	Violet
State tree	Red Maple
State Shell	Quahaug (Quahog Clam)
State Drink	Coffee Milk
State Insect	American Burying Beetle
Motto	Hope

For parents and teachers: This Rhode Island pack fits grades 2 to 8, and the answer keys are at the back. Print as many copies as you need for your home or classroom.

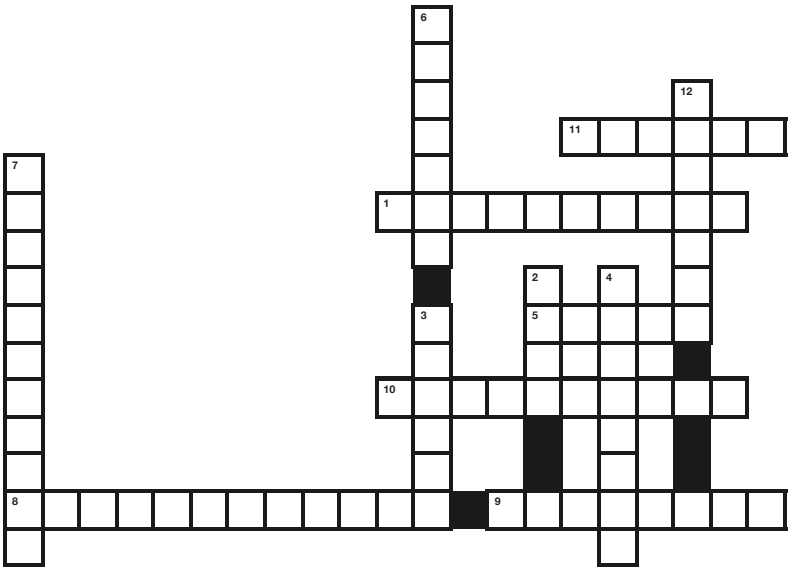
PUZZLE 1 OF 5 · CROSSWORD

Rhode Island Crossword

12 clues about the state

Read each clue and write the answer in the matching squares, one letter per box.

Puzzle Guide: Start with the clues you are sure of. Every letter you write is a free hint for the words that cross it.



ACROSS

1. The state capital and largest city

5. The ___ State, the state's nickname

8. Big bay, and a Native nation, of this state

9. Roger ___, who founded the capital city in 1636

10. Sweet state drink, like chocolate milk with a twist

11. Hard-shell clam that is the state shell

DOWN

2. One-word state motto, shown with an anchor

3. Small purple state flower

4. State tree with bright leaves in fall

6. Seaside city famous for sailing and mansions

7. Island off the south coast that people reach by ferry

12. The state bird, the Rhode Island Red, is this farm bird

PUZZLE 2 OF 5 · WORD SEARCH

Rhode Island Places to Explore

Cities, villages, points and landmarks around the state

Find every word in the list. Words go across, down and on a slant.

Puzzle Guide: Hunt for an unusual letter like Q, X, J or Z first, then check all eight directions around it.

J	W	U	D	C	R	A	N	S	T	O	N	P	R	H
A	E	D	S	O	B	E	A	V	E	R	T	A	I	L
M	S	I	A	D	J	T	S	P	H	L	A	W	Z	Q
E	T	B	Q	O	G	O	C	O	M	I	P	T	V	G
S	E	A	U	C	E	P	Y	I	W	T	W	U	I	A
T	R	X	I	C	S	P	F	N	A	T	O	C	W	L
O	L	X	D	L	L	K	C	T	T	L	O	K	A	I
W	Y	B	N	I	A	K	V	J	C	E	N	E	R	L
N	K	B	E	F	T	I	U	U	H	C	S	T	W	E
V	W	R	C	F	E	Q	E	D	H	O	O	U	I	E
M	T	I	K	W	R	M	Z	I	I	M	C	Y	C	X
D	E	S	G	A	M	K	Z	T	L	P	K	Y	K	N
N	L	T	J	L	I	T	A	H	L	T	E	V	Q	C
C	H	O	Q	K	L	P	R	S	T	O	T	H	C	B
J	L	L	H	U	L	C	G	O	W	N	B	G	G	Z

Word List

LITTLECOMPTON
BEAVERTAIL
JAMESTOWN
AQUIDNECK
WARWICK
POINTJUDITH
SLATERMILL
CLIFFWALK
CRANSTON
BRISTOL
WOONSOCKET
PAWTUCKET
WATCHHILL
WESTERLY
GALILEE

THE RHODE ISLAND SUPER PACK

20 more Rhode Island puzzles are waiting for you

Ready for more? The Rhode Island Super Pack has 20 more puzzles: lighthouses, bay islands, Native nations, Gilded Age mansions, sailing words, mill town history and stuffies and jonnycakes. Twenty puzzles, one Ocean State voyage, $1.99.

ALL 20 PUZZLES INSIDE

1	Rhode Island Lighthouses	Word Search
2	Rhode Island Foods	Word Scramble
3	Rhode Island Fishing Port	Word Fill-In
4	Rhode Island Founder Fact	Cryptogram
5	Rhode Island Bay and Islands	Word Search
6	Rhode Island Sailing	Word Scramble
7	Rhode Island Newport Mansions	Word Fill-In
8	Rhode Island Constitution Fact	Cryptogram
9	Rhode Island History	Word Search
10	Rhode Island Weather and Seasons	Word Scramble
11	Rhode Island Woods and Ponds	Word Fill-In
12	Rhode Island Chicken Fact	Cryptogram
13	Rhode Island Cities and Towns	Word Search
14	Rhode Island Mill Town	Word Scramble
15	Rhode Island Shoreline	Word Fill-In
16	Rhode Island Independence Fact	Cryptogram
17	Rhode Island First Peoples	Word Search
18	Rhode Island State Symbols	Word Scramble
19	Rhode Island Carousel Ride	Word Fill-In
20	Rhode Island Drink Fact	Cryptogram

Enjoying Rhode Island so far? The Super Pack has 20 more puzzles, and every one has its own theme: 5 word searches, 5 cryptograms, 5 word scrambles and 5 word fill-ins. Not one of them repeats a puzzle in this free pack.

For grown-ups: it is a one-time payment of $1.99, not a subscription. Every puzzle comes with an answer key, and the personal and classroom license lets you print unlimited copies for your own home or classroom.

- ✓ 20 new Rhode Island puzzles, each with its own theme
- ✓ 5 word searches, 5 cryptograms, 5 scrambles and 5 fill-ins
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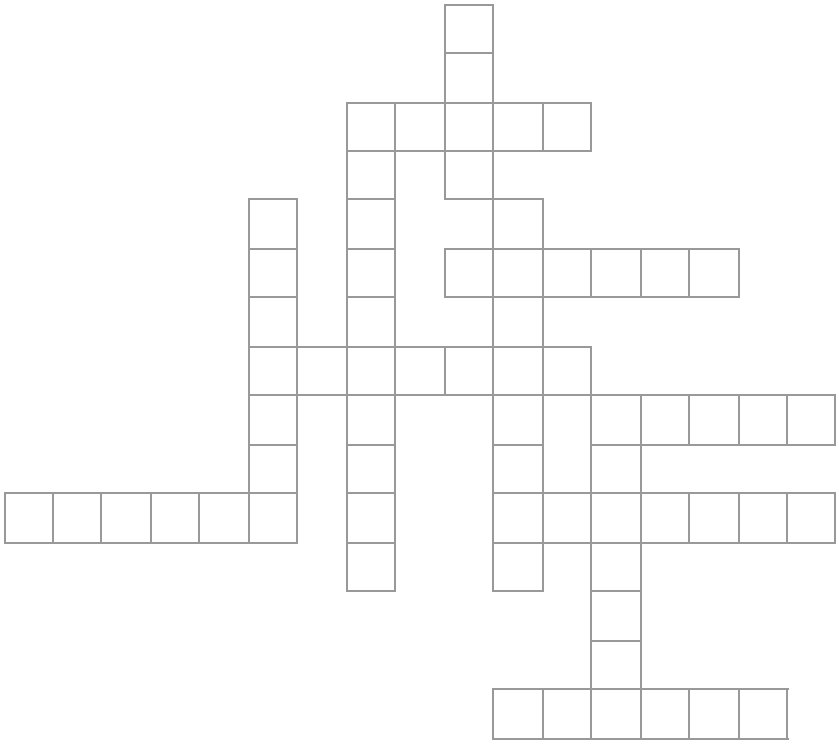
PUZZLE 3 OF 5 · WORD FILL-IN

Rhode Island Sea and Shore Animals

Fish, shellfish and birds of the bay and beaches

Fit every word from the list into the grid. Start with the longest words and the ones that only fit one place.

Puzzle Guide: Count the boxes first. A word that is the only one of its length can go in right away.



Word List

4 letters:	TERN
5 letters:	HERON, SQUID
6 letters:	OSPREY, OYSTER, PLOVER
7 letters:	LOBSTER, SCALLOP, SEAGULL, STRIPER
8 letters:	BLUEFISH
10 letters:	HARBORSEAL

PUZZLE 4 OF 5 · WORD SCRAMBLE

Rhode Island Fun

Beach, harbor and summer fun in the Ocean State

Unscramble each word. Every answer is from this state's story.

Puzzle Guide: Find the vowels, then try a starting letter. Say your guesses out loud: Rhode Island words sound right.

Unscramble each word below.

	Scrambled	Your Answer
1.	GIAILSN	_____
2.	AHECB	_____
3.	ALBEACKM	_____
4.	SAURLCEO	_____
5.	GHLETHISOU	_____
6.	AAYKK	_____
7.	YRFER	_____
8.	MOSNNIA	_____
9.	WHRCEOD	_____
10.	LECACASKM	_____
11.	AREADP	_____
12.	UNIRSFG	_____

PUZZLE 5 OF 5 · CRYPTOGRAM

Rhode Island Secret Fact

Crack the code to learn a big fact about the smallest state

Each letter stands for a different letter. Use the given letters to crack the code and read a true fact.

Puzzle Guide: Look for one-letter words first. They are almost always A or I, and that unlocks a lot of the code.

W K X M S F N G U B M F N Y K S

N D U G G S N Y N Y U Y S , T O Y F Y

K U N U T X O Y Y K W S S

K O B M W S M S F H K Y J C X O W

D F G S N X C N K X W S G F B S .

Hints:

`G = L` `D = M` `T = B`

FINISH LINE

You did it, Rhode Island explorer!

You solved your way across Rhode Island, the Ocean State. Check your work on the answer pages that follow, and give yourself a star for every puzzle you finished.

One more challenge: tell someone three things you learned about Rhode Island. Here is one to start you off: its capital is Providence.

DID YOU KNOW? 10 TRUE FACTS ABOUT RHODE ISLAND

- Rhode Island is the smallest of the 50 states in area, with only about 1,045 square miles of land.
- Even though it is tiny, Rhode Island has about 384 miles of shoreline, which is why it is called the Ocean State.
- Roger Williams founded Providence in 1636 as a place where people could worship freely.
- On May 4, 1776, Rhode Island became the first colony to break its loyalty to the British king.
- Rhode Island was the last of the 13 original colonies to approve the U.S. Constitution, on May 29, 1790.
- In 2020, voters shortened the state's official name to the State of Rhode Island.
- The state bird is the Rhode Island Red, a breed of chicken, and the state drink is coffee milk.
- Samuel Slater's water-powered cotton mill in Pawtucket helped bring the age of factories to America.
- Touro Synagogue in Newport, dedicated in 1763, is the oldest synagogue building in the United States.
- About 1.1 million people lived in Rhode Island at the 2020 Census, and about 191,000 lived in Providence.

MAKE YOUR OWN

Keep the Rhode Island lessons going

Every puzzle in this pack was made with PuzzlePage. The same tools are at puzzlepage.app: type your own words, preview the page and print. Here are four ways to use them for Rhode Island.

Word Search Maker

Turn a spelling list of Rhode Island cities, rivers and landmarks into a word search.

puzzlepage.app/word-search

Crossword Maker

Write your own clues about Providence and the Ocean State for a custom crossword.

puzzlepage.app/crossword

Worksheet Builder

Put a Rhode Island word search, scramble and crossword on one page for a quick review sheet.

puzzlepage.app/worksheet-builder

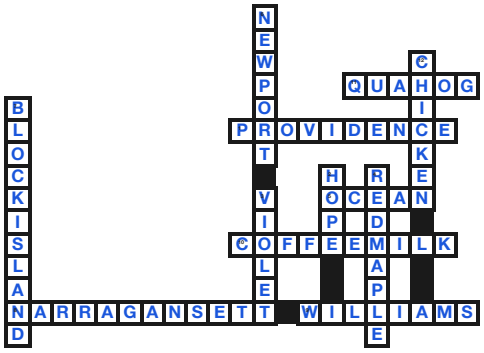
Flash Card Maker

Make printable cards for Rhode Island facts: its capital, nickname, statehood date and more.

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Answer Key

1. Rhode Island Crossword (Crossword)

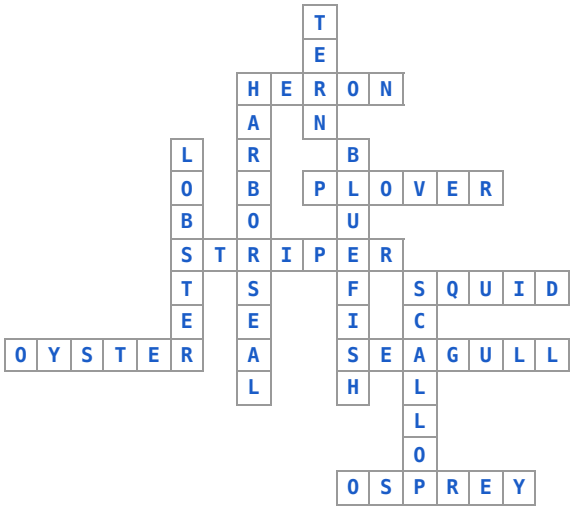


2. Rhode Island Places to Explore (Word Search)

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S	E	A	U	C	E	P	Y	I	W	T	W	U	I	A
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V	W	R	C	F	E	Q	E	D	H	O	O	U	I	E
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C	H	O	Q	K	L	P	R	S	T	O	T	H	C	B
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Answer Key

3. Rhode Island Sea and Shore Animals (Word Fill-In)



4. Rhode Island Fun (Word Scramble)

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6.	AAYKK	**KAYAK**
7.	YRFER	**FERRY**
8.	MOSNNIA	**MANSION**
9.	WHRCEOD	**CHOWDER**
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11.	AREADP	**PARADE**
12.	UNIRSFG	**SURFING**

5. Rhode Island Secret Fact (Cryptogram)

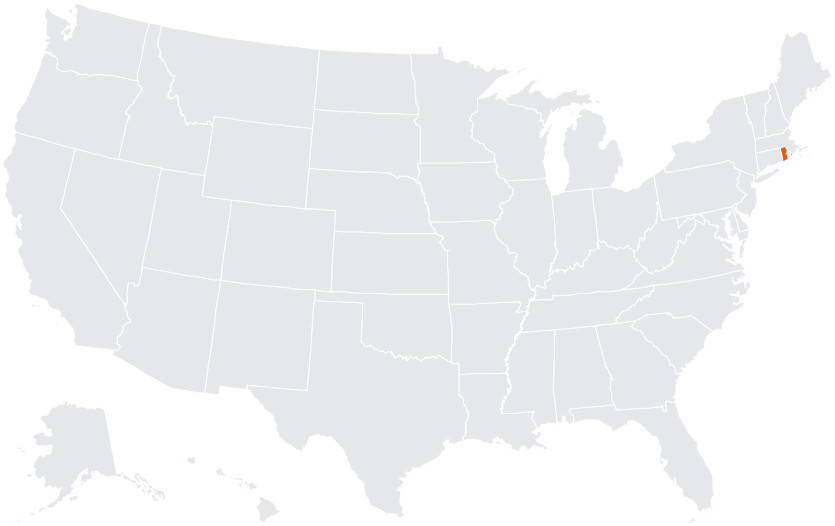
RHODE ISLAND IS THE SMALLEST STATE, BUT IT HAS ABOUT THREE HUNDRED EIGHTY FOUR MILES OF SHORELINE.

COLLECT ALL 50

You're on state 13 of 50

Rhode Island was the 13th state to ratify the Constitution. Every state has its own free puzzle pack, so you can solve your way across the whole country. Next stop in statehood order: Vermont.

Learning capitals too? Our 50 States: Capital, Abbreviation & Nickname flash card deck covers every capital, postal code and nickname in 150 cards for $1.29.



- [ ] Alabama
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