



Rhode Island Geography Worksheet

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NICKNAME

The Ocean State

MOTTO

Hope

STATE BIRD

Rhode Island Red (chicken)

STATE FLOWER

Violet

STATE TREE

Red Maple

FILL IN WHAT YOU LEARNED

1. Rhode Island is the smallest state by area (1,214 sq mi) — you could fit about 425 Rhode Islands inside Alaska.
2. Despite its name, Rhode Island is not an island — though Aquidneck Island (where Newport is located) may be the origin of the name.
3. Rhode Island was the first colony to declare independence from Britain (May 4, 1776) and the last of the original 13 to ratify the Constitution.
4. The state's official name is 'State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations' — the longest official state name in the U.S. (though 'and Providence Plantations' was removed in 2020).

QUICK QUIZ — 10 QUESTIONS

Cover the boxes above and see how many you remember!

1. Capital city: _____
2. State abbreviation: _____
3. State nickname: _____
4. State motto: _____
5. State bird: _____
6. State flower: _____
7. State tree: _____
8. Region of the country: _____
9. One national park or landmark: _____
10. One fun fact I learned: _____

COLOR OR TRACE THE SHAPE OF RHODE ISLAND

