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# Colonial America - Vocab Cards

**colony ]>**

**a territory that is governed by another country.**

In 1776, the people living in each American \_colony\_ declared their independence from England's control.



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

**factory ]>**

**a building or group of buildings where goods are produced.**

That \_factory\_ has many machines that make blue jeans.

Synonyms: workshop



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

## meetinghouse ]>

**a building used for public assembly or religious services.**

Everyone from the area gathered at the \_meetinghouse\_ to discuss plans for the town.



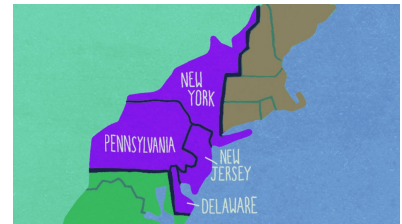
Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

## Middle colonies ]>

**a region of the 13 original colonies that included New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware.**

The \_Middle colonies\_ included Pennsylvania and New Jersey and was home to the important cities of New York and Philadelphia.



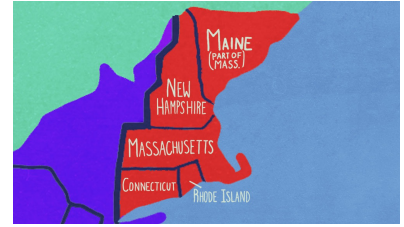
Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

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## **New England colonies ]>**

**a region of the 13 original colonies that included Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire and Massachusetts. At the time, present-day Maine was a part of Massachusetts.**

Massachusetts and Rhode Island were two of the four \_New England colonies\_.



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

## **plantation ]>**

**a large estate on which cash crops like cotton, tobacco or sugar are grown, usually by workers who live on the property.**

He grew up on a large \_plantation\_ where cotton was grown.



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Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

**port ]>**

**a harbor town or city where ships stop to load and unload goods.**

At the \_port\_, the ship will pick up new cargo.



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

**religious freedom ]>**

**the ability to practice your religion the way you want to without fear of punishment.**

The Puritans came to America in search of \_religious freedom\_. In England, they could not practice their faith safely.



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

## slavery ]>

**the state, condition or practice of owning or being owned by another person.**

The practice of \_slavery\_ was abolished in the United States, and it is now illegal to own another human being.

Synonyms: enslavement



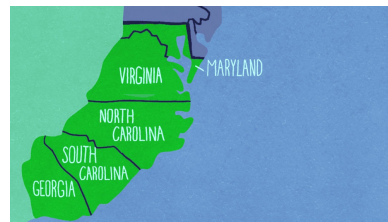
Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Make a connection between this word and another word or idea:

## Southern colonies ]>

**a region of the original 13 colonies that included Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia.**

The \_Southern colonies\_, which included Virginia and North Carolina, had more slaves than the other colonies.



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