Fun Facts, Puzzles, Games & More!



National States & Capitals Day

September 22nd



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National States & Capitals Day focuses on raising awareness and sharing education about all 50 states and their capitals on National States & Capitals Day.





Dick & Jane are the proud founders of National States & Capitals Day.

The National Day Calendar gets over 30,000 applications every year for new, national holidays, but they only choose 10 per year. In 2022, National States & Capitals Day was chosen and became an official, national holiday!

Let's celebrate!







4 state capitals are named after U.S. Presidents – Jackson, MS,

Jefferson City, MO
Lincoln, NE &
Madison, WI.

Des Moines, IA was originally named "Fort Racoon."

Montpelier, VT is the smallest U.S. capital by population.

17 state's capital city is also the largest



Juneau, Alaska is the **LARGEST** U.S. capital by land area.

Honolulu, HI has the highest average annual temperature of all U.S. capital cities.

Phoenix, AZ
is the most
populous U.S.
state capital
with over
1.6 million
people.

figure out the **ONLY** letter not used to spell any state name?





4th State to join the Union on January 2, 1788.

Fun Facts:

Georgia is home to one of the oldest state parks in the country – Indian Springs State Park.

In 1945, Georgia became the first state to change the legal age to vote from 21 to 18.

Only one U.S. President is from Georgia – Jimmy Carter.

The Peach State

State Tree



Live Oak

State Bird



Brown Thrasher

State Capital



Atlanta

State Flower



Cherokee Rose

State Fruit



Peach

Atlanta





Atlanta became the capital of GA in 1868.

Fun Facts:

Georgia's capitol building is gilded with 43 ounces of locally mined gold.

Atlanta is Georgia's largest city with a population of around 500,000.

There are over 55 streets named "Peachtree" in Atlanta.

Fulton County

State Amphibian



Green Tree Frog

State Mammal



White-Tailed Deer

State Seal



State Insect



Honeybee

State Vegetable

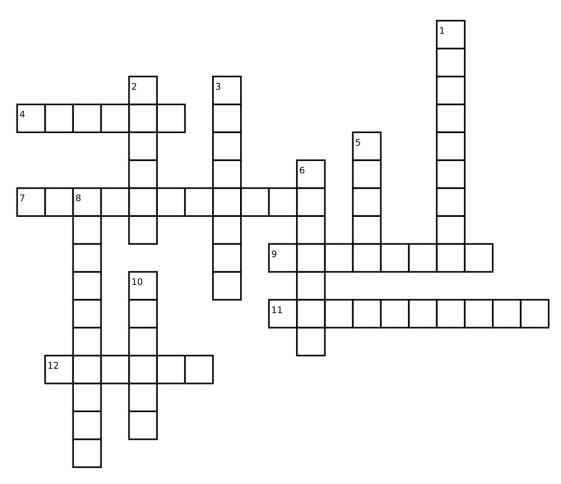


Vidalia Onion

Georgia

* Crossword Puzzle

Answers found in the States & Capitals Learn More magazine.



Down:

Across:

7. The Magnolia State.

- 1. The state flower of Kansas.
- 2. The 50th state the join the Union.
- 3. The Great Lakes State.
- 5. The state flower of New Mexico.
- 6. The state tree of Georgia.
- 8. The capital of California.

by car.

9. The 1st state to join the Union.

4. The only U.S. capital inaccessible

- 11. The capital of Louisiana.
- 12. The capital of Colorado.

10. The state mammal of Oregon.



* Matching Game



Match each state with their capital city.

State

Arkansas

Delaware

Florida

Illinois

Kentucky

Massachusetts

Nebraska

Oklahoma

Rhode Island

Texas

Vermont

Washington

Capital

Tallahassee

Oklahoma City

Providence

Little Rock

Montpelier

Springfield

Austin

Frankfort

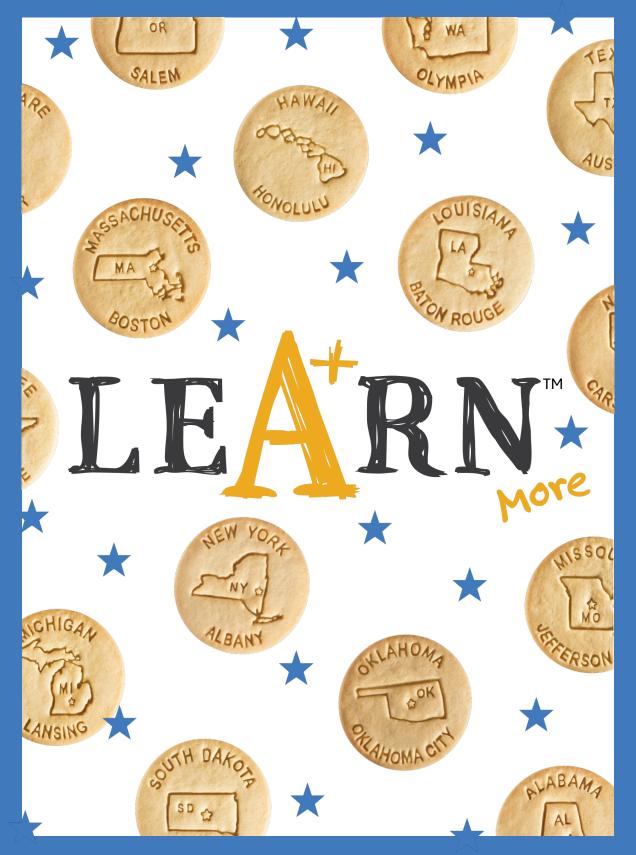
Olympia

Dover

Lincoln

Boston

ALL 50 STATES



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