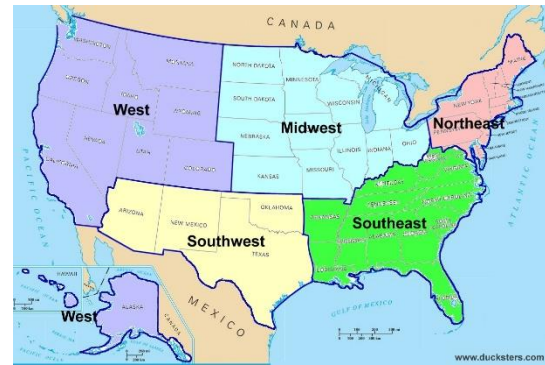


## The Northeast of the USA

- Maine (North, border to Canada), New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Vermont, (Delaware, Maryland), Washington, D.C.
- region - important in U.S. history
- arrival of the first European settlers → 1620, ship “Mayflower“, Cape Cod, Plymouth, one of the first colonies
- 1621: November, first Thanksgiving \* Danksagung, Erntedankfest (first settlers and Native Americans)
- Thanksgiving today: national holiday
- Boston → Boston Tea Party → protest against the British started, War of Independence (1775 – 1783)
- Declaration of Independence → July 4th, 1776 , Philadelphia
- cities like Boston, Philadelphia and New York City
- most people live in cities
- wealthy region, many famous universities



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