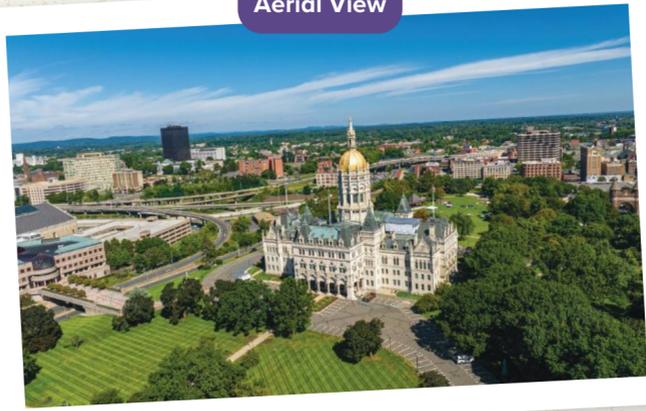


# Mapping Connecticut

# Connecticut Government

Aerial View



Map View



Satellite View



Draw a line connecting the same feature in all three images of downtown Hartford.

Land Use Map

Land Use		
Urban area	Lobsters	Hay
Chickens and eggs	Crabs	Corn
Dairy	Nursery and greenhouse plants	Apples
Beef	Tobacco	Pumpkins



Product \_\_\_\_\_

Natural Resource \_\_\_\_\_

Human Resource \_\_\_\_\_

Capital Resource \_\_\_\_\_

Connecticut State Capitol



Which branches of government work here?

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Connecticut State Supreme Court



Which branch of government works here?

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# Amistad Case

## Primary Sources

Dear friend Mr. Adams, you have children, you have friends, you love them, you feel very sorry if Mend[e] people come and take all to Africa. We feel bad for our friends, and our friends all feel bad for us. Americans not take us in ship ... They [the Americans] say [to us that] we make you free.

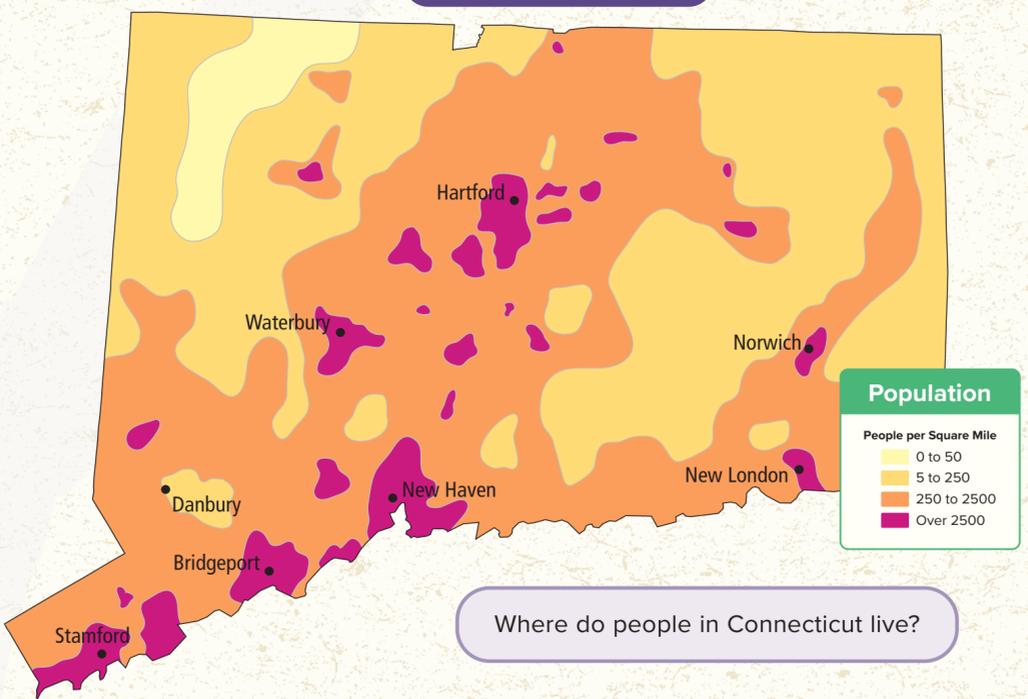
Letter from Kale, 11-year-old kidnapped African, to John Quincy Adams, U.S. Congressman and former U.S. president, January 4, 1841. Written in Westville prison, New Haven, Connecticut.

Kinna [one of the Mande] is the one most universally admired [people], and that he is a genius there is no question. They are all very scrupulously obedient to their teacher, and to their consciences. Their strictness in regard to truth and honesty is almost amusing, it goes so much beyond ours.

Letter from Charlotte Cowles, 21-year-old White woman from Connecticut, to her brother Samuel Cowles, April 8, 1841. Written in Farmington, Connecticut.



## Population Density Map



Where do people in Connecticut live?

# Connecticut History, Beginnings to 1865

**1600** Before 1600 Pequot, Mohegan, and Nipmuc were the major tribes living in the area.

**1633-1634** Windsor and Wethersfield became the first English settlements in the area.

**1636-1637** English settlers and the Pequot fought the Pequot War.

**1638** Thomas Hooker presented the idea for the Fundamental Orders, the first constitution in Connecticut, to his Hartford church.

**1675-1676** King Philip's War destroyed Native American communities throughout New England, including the Nipmuc and Narragansett.

**1775-1783** Revolutionary War resulted in independence for the United States.

**1784** State legislature passed a law to gradually free enslaved people born after 1784.

**1790** After 1790 People from Connecticut began moving to western areas of the United States.

**1800** Around 1800 Eli Terry and Eli Whitney developed machines for making interchangeable parts.

**1806** Seymour, Connecticut, became the first U.S. factory town.

**1839** Kidnapped Africans on La Amistad were imprisoned in New Haven. They returned to Africa in 1842.

**1848** Connecticut completely abolished slavery.

**1860** Abraham Lincoln visited Connecticut as part of his presidential campaign.

**1861-1865** Civil War was fought.