



# THE YEAR 1620

We will start with a video on [history.com](https://www.history.com)

# The Story of Plymouth Colony

- + September 1620, about 120 English men and women got on a boat
- + The boat they took was called the Mayflower
- + The ship landed in Cape Cod in Massachusetts



# Trip and Settlement

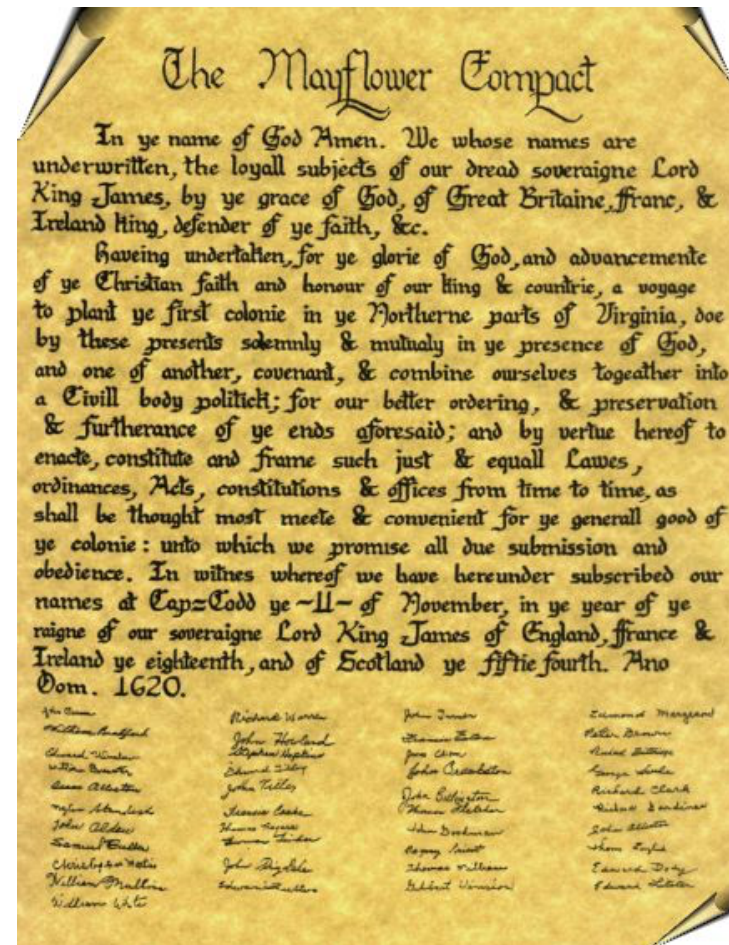


- + More than half of the people died on the way there
- + The survivors were able to secure peace treaties with the Native Americans
- + Many became ill and died the first few months of living there



# The Mayflower Compact

- + Before they stepped onto land, the Englishman signed a government compact
- + Signed by 41 male passengers
- + It was a temporary compact to stick together and follow certain rules





Build your own colony  
and compact. What  
would your colony be  
called? What would be  
the rules that you  
follow in your colony?