

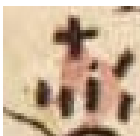
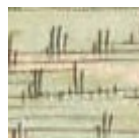
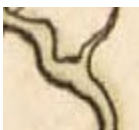
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ACTIVITY: Explore the Map

Activity based on oversize print, "A Compleat Map of North-Carolina from an actual Survey," (London: S. Hooper, 1770)
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This map does not have a key. A key tells you what the symbols on the map mean. Study the map. *What does each symbol mean?*



- If ships can anchor there, that means that water connects Edenton and New Bern to the ocean. Trace lines from those towns to the ocean.
- Name the ocean that connects to Edenton and New Bern.

Because Edenton had access to ships and trade, people there had access to tea and British goods. They could get items from around the world!

- As people buy and sell goods, what else might they exchange?
- How did this trade make Edenton a likely place for a document like the Edenton Resolves?

"A Compleat Map of North-Carolina from an actual Survey"

When colonizing or settling a new place, people needed access to resources like water, food, and building materials. They also needed transportation – which meant access to waterways and roads. Halifax, Edenton, New Bern, and Wilmington were all important cities in colonial North Carolina.

Find the town related to this lesson or person you are studying.

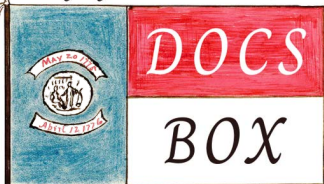
How is this place like others in the state or region?

Look at the areas around the place. How is it different?

How do the areas surrounding the cities differ? How might this affect what happened there?

Edenton, Halifax, and New Bern were early locations for North Carolina's government.

Choose one of those towns and discuss how its location and settlement influenced the town's role in historic events.



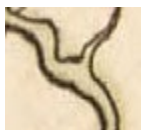
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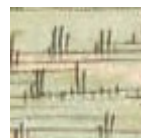
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waterways—
rivers and/or
creeks



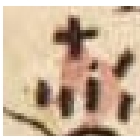
tree



swamp



roads/
crossroads



town with church
and houses



elevation—hill or
mountain

- If ships can anchor there, that means that water connects Edenton and New Bern to the ocean. Trace lines from those towns to the ocean.
- Name the ocean that connects to Edenton and New Bern. **Atlantic**

Because Edenton had access to ships and trade, people there had access to British goods like tea. Ships brought items from around the world.

- As people buy and sell goods, what else might they exchange? **May include: news of current events; ideas; illness.**
- How did this trade make Edenton a likely place for a document like the Edenton Resolves? **People were engaged in trade with England and Boston, so the boycott and support for Boston meant more.**