

Getting There from Here : 1600s

England to Plymouth via ship Mayflower	66 days
Plymouth to Nemasket (Middleboro) on foot via Nemasket Trail	6 hours
Plymouth to Duxbury via small boat	2 hours
Plymouth to trading posts in Maine via shallop	3-4 days
Plymouth to Boston via shallop	8-16 hours

Getting There from Here : 1700s

1713	Marshfield to Boston on horseback	9-10 hours
1720	Boston to Bristol, RI, via stagecoach, connect at Bristol to Newport, sea connections	1 1/2 days
1760s	Kingston, MA, to the West Indies and back via coasting brig	2 months
1773	NEW! Stagecoach service, Boston to New York	1 week
1776	National Postal Service mail via horseback	
	Cambridge to Plymouth	28 hours
	Plymouth to Sandwich	5-6 hours
1796	NEW! Stagecoach service, Boston to Plymouth	10 hours

Getting There from Here : 1800s

1818	NEW! Steamship Eagle's first voyage, Boston to Plymouth	8 hours
1835	NEW! Railroad, Boston to Providence	1 1/2 hours
1840s	Steamship service, Boston to Plymouth	3 1/2-4 hours
	Packet boats from Plymouth to Boston	8-16 hours
	Stagecoach service, Boston to Plymouth	3 1/2 hours
1845	NEW! Old Colony Railroad, Braintree to Plymouth via Abington	2 hours
1854	New York to Fall River via "Metropolis"	8 3/4 hours
1849	Gold Rush Special! Boston to San Francisco via brig Attila	170 days
1897	Plymouth to Boston by express railroad	1 1/2 hours
	Plymouth to Boston by regular railroad	2 hours

Getting There from Here : 1900s

1914	NEW! Cape Cod Canal cuts 7 hours off journey! Boston to New York via steamer <i>Bunker Hill</i>	13 1/2 hours
1916	Plymouth to Brockton via streetcar	2 1/2 hours
1935	NEW! Streamlined diesel train service, Boston to Providence	44 minutes
1935	Boston to Plymouth via excursion boat	3 hours
1930s	Plymouth to Boston via Route 3 (53)	2 hours???
1936	NEW! Chartered air service, Plymouth to Hyannis	30 minutes
	Plymouth to Boston	25 minutes
1949	Bus service, Plymouth to Boston	1 1/2 hours
	Plymouth to Brockton	1 hour
1964	NEW! Plymouth to Boston via superhighway (Route 3)	1 hour
1990s	Plymouth to Boston via chartered corporate airflight	15 minutes