

Crispus Attucks

Hello, my name is Crispus Attucks. I am one of the first patriots killed in the early fight for independence. I am a former slave who worked at the docks in Boston. On March 5, 1770 when the British soldiers were mistreating colonists, I led a rowdy march against them. When somebody in the crowd yelled "Fire!" I was shot by the British. This event became known as the Boston Massacre. After my death, patriots reminded each other about my brave sacrifice.

When done speaking, pretend to throw a paper snowball and fall down as if you were shot.

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