Boston Massacre: Document Based Questions

Directions: Analyze the two pieces of art depicting the events of March 5, 1770.

Answer each question with a **minimum** of two sentences.

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Date:	Period:	

The Bloody Massacre ~ Engraving by Paul Revere

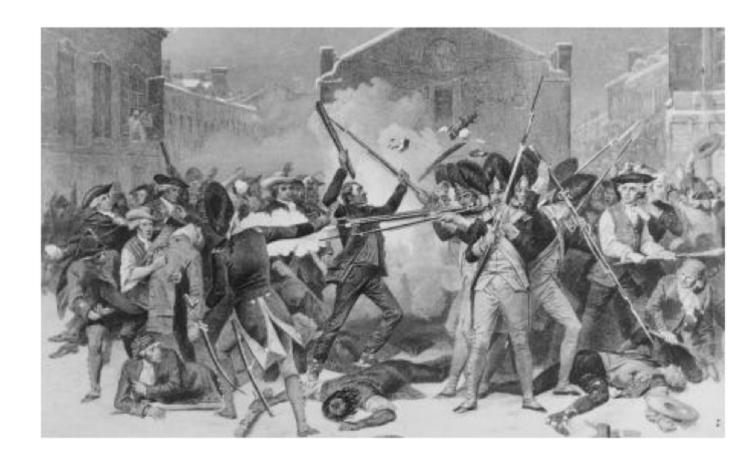


Primary Source: The Bloody Massacre... by Paul Revere

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3. How would you desc British soldiers?	ribe the behavior	and actions of the
4. Paul Revere, an Ame	rican, made this e	engraving. Why is this

important information when interpreting this piece of art?

The Bloody Massacre ~ Unknown



Source 2: *The Boston Massacre* by Unknown

1. Based on this piece of art, who looks like the victims, the British soldiers or the American colonists? Explain.
2. How would you describe the behavior and actions of the crowd?
3. How would you describe the behavior and actions of the British soldiers?
4. Since the artist is unknown, we don't know if they may be bias. What important facts about the artist would be important to you to know when considering this piece of art?