CAPE COD – NANTUCKET

Nantucket is a small island just 30 miles south of Cape Cod and about 15 miles southeast of Martha's Vineyard. Nantucket consists of 49 square miles of land and measures 15 miles long and 3 miles wide. Although the island is surrounded by 82 miles of beaches, most of the beaches are actually private property. Fortunately, thanks to the generous property owners, most of the beachfront is available to the public. Nearly 40% of the island is protected conservation land.

WEATHER

Nantucket Climate Graph - Massachusetts Climate Chart

CITIES & AIRPORTS

Closest international airport: Boston Logan International Airport (BOS)
About 2-3 hours from Boston

COMMUNITY GROUPS & RESOURCES

There is no formal community group on the island. Serbia and Bulgaria have strong presence on this island through many years of returners.

THINGS TO DO & CULTURAL EVENTS

- Go to an art gallery
- Take ferry to the Martha’s Vineyard or Cape Cod
- Go paddle boarding or kayaking
- Bike around the island
PROS & CONS
PRO: Small town feel. Great resources on island with employers and community
CON: Can be hard to find a second job and housing if you arrive late in the summer or do not make plans ahead of time.

HOT TIPS
Housing is too expensive for students to find on their own; find a second job ahead of time.

MAP OF THE AREA

http://www.nationsonline.org/oneworld/map/USA/massachusetts_map.htm