ANALYZING THE BOSTON MASSACRE

**Directions:** Complete the questions below as you analyze the 4 images of the Boston Massacre.

**IMAGE 1**
1. What do you see? (Be sure to describe any images, symbols, colors and words you think might be important)

2. What significant events were happening between the colonists and British at this time?

3. What point of view do you think this artist has? Why?

**IMAGE 2**
1. What do you see? (Be sure to describe any images, symbols, colors and words you think might be important)

2. Why do you think the artist chose this title for this image (it’s at the top)?

3. Who was the intended audience for this engraving?

**IMAGE 3**
1. What do you see? (Be sure to describe any images, symbols, colors and words you think might be important)

2. Who is Crispus Attucks and why is he called a “martyr”?

3. What point of view do you think this artist has? Why?

**IMAGE 4**
1. What do you see? (Be sure to describe any images, symbols, colors and words you think might be important)

2. This engraving was made in 1868 – does that affect its accuracy? How or why?

3. According to this artist, who is responsible for this event?