

## Social Studies 9 - American Revolution Test Review

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*Things you need to know...*

- The views of Locke, Hobbes, Voltaire, Rousseau

- How the American colonies were prior to the revolution (politically, geographic, spiritually)

- Why were the colonies important to Britain and how Britain viewed the Americans? What was their relationship?

- Terminology
  - New Englander
  - Loyalist
  - Sons of Liberty

- What was contained in the 1763 Treaty of Paris

- What was the Royal Proclamation of 1763, what instructions did it contain? How'd it anger the American Colonists

- How did the size of Quebec change between 1763 and 1774? Why would this affect the Americans?

- How did the Quebec Act of 1774 affect the Quebecois and the Americans?

- What was the purpose of the Stamp Act? What were its consequences

- What does “No taxation without representation” mean?

- Explain the significance of the Boston Massacre. What were the consequences?

- What was the Tea Act of 1773 about? Why was it so appalling to the Americans?

- Why did the Boston Tea Party occur? Who led it? What were the consequences? Why or why not was it successful?

- Be able to explain the Intolerable/Coercive Acts.

- Explain the significance of Lexington Green/Concord

- Why was the Battle of Bunker Hill important?

- What was significant about the crossing of the Delaware and the Battle of Trenton?

- Explain Burgoyne's plan for Saratoga

- What was important about the city of Charleston?

- What did the British Empire have to recognize when signing the Treaty of Paris

- Who all signed the Treaty of Paris of 1782?

- Know 2-3 points that were important in the Treaty of Paris

- Under the Articles of Confederation, how did the American people govern themselves?

- How did the Enlightenment affect the American Constitution?

- What are the three branches of government?

- What was the Bill of Rights?

- How were the following affected by the Independence of the United States
  - Trade and Commerce
  - Frontiers and borders
  - Internal social workings
  - Equality



- Do you think the British would have ever given up the American Colonies without a fight? Would the Americans backed down?

