

Chapter 4 (Revolution) Test Review

Identify (define) the following Key Terms and People:

1. **Lexington and Concord** - First battle of War. Shot heard around the world. Hundreds of British die.
2. **Patriots**-Want war.
3. **minutemen** - Militia that are ready to fight in a minute.
4. **Redcoats**-British army.
5. **First Continental Congress** - agree to work together.
6. **Second Continental Congress** -form gov. and army.
7. **Continental Army**-Formed at second congress to fight British.
8. **George Washington**-Leads the Continental Army (first President).
9. **Battle of Bunker Hill**-Outside of Boston-British take the hill but at great cost (2000+die).
10. **Common Sense**-Pamphlet that argues for war because monarchy does not make sense.
11. **Thomas Paine**-Wrote Common Sense.
12. **Declaration of Independence**-Declares American independence in 1776.
13. **Thomas Jefferson**-Wrote the Declaration-Third president.
14. **Loyalists**-Loyal to Britain.
15. **mercenaries**-Paid soldiers that fight for money and not a cause-from Hess (Germany).
16. **Battle of Trenton**-Sneak attack in New Jersey in which Americans capture 900 Hessians.

17. **Battle of Saratoga**-The greatest American victory at the time. Brings France into the War.
18. **Marquis de Lafayette**-Rich Frenchman that brought his own troops to help the Americans.
19. **Baron Friedrich von Steuben**-Prussian officer that helped train American troops at Valley Forge.
20. **Valley Forge**-Washington's winter encampment where troops suffered and then got stronger.
21. **John Paul Jones**-Navel hero from Scotland.
22. **George Rogers Clark**-Won victories for the Americans in the west (Ohio Valley).
23. **Francis Marion**-The Swamp Fox used guerilla warfare tactics to beat the British in the South.
24. **Comte de Rochambeau**-French commander that helped Washington win at Yorktown.
25. **Battle of Yorktown (General Cornwallis)**-The last battle of the War (Virginia) in which Cornwallis surrenders.
26. **Treaty of Paris**-Treaty that ended the War-British recognized the independence of the United States and set America's borders. The British also allowed for trade west of the Appalachian Mountains.

Answer the following questions (there are five):

-Who won the early battles of the War and why? (4.1)-Colonists-evidence Lexington and Concord, Bunker Hill, Dorchester Heights.

-What ideas inspired colonists to fight? Who thought of these ideas? Did these ideas help all colonists? (4.2) The Declaration (Inalienable Rights-Jefferson; Natural Rights of Man-Locke).

-What events or individuals most lead to victory of the colonists? Why? (4.3)- The French joining the Americans and supplying a navy after the Battle of Saratoga.

-How did the War end? What was the most important part of the final battle at Yorktown, and Treaty of Paris? (4.4)-The Battle of Yorktown-the French fleet and troops helped to surround the British. Treaty of Paris recognizes America's independence, boundaries and right to trade.

-What did you think to be the most interesting aspect of the American Revolution? Why? (4.1-4.4)-Personal opinion.