

What were the goals of the Second Continental Congress? <u>Congress Drafts George Washington</u> What were the weaknesses of Washington? A. B. What were the strengths of Washington? A. Patience B. C. D. Great moral force rather than a military mind Why was Washington a good choice to help unite the colonist? <u>Bunker Hill and Hessian Hirelings</u> Explain what happened at Bunker Hill: Olive Branch Petition: (July 1775) A document by the Continental Congress stating loyalty to Britain and asking for no more hostile actions	Who are the Hessians? How hired them? Why? <u>The Abortive Conquest of Canada</u> Why was the assault on Canada ineffective? A. Went against the idea that America were only fighting for grievances against the crown and wanted more land. B. What were most colonist still stating was the goal of the rebellion at this point? <u>Thomas Paine Preaches Common Sense</u> Why did the colonist deny the idea of rebellion? A. B. C. What was Common Sense? What ideas did it spread through the colonies?	<u>Paine and the idea of “Republicanism”</u> Where did Paine think the new government should get is power? Why was the idea of Republicanism so well accepted in the colonies, especially in New England? What was the fear by the more conservative republicans with the ideas of republicanism? <u>Jefferson’s “Explanation” of Independence</u> What was the purpose of the Declaration of Independence? What evidence did Jefferson use to explain why the Colonists were breaking away from the crown?
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<u>Patriots or Loyalists</u> Label which side each of the following colonist pledged their loyalty: Loyalist/Tories : Patriot/ Whigs: What do the terms Tories and Whigs refer to? What type of people tended to believe in each side? Tories: Whigs: <u>The Loyalist Exodus</u> After the signing of the D of I how were strong loyalist treated? How did Loyalist try and help the crown? <u>General Washington at Bay</u> Describe the Battle of Long Island:	Why did General Howe not finish off General Washington and his men after the Battle for New York? What was the surprise at Trenton? <u>Burgoyne's Blundering Invasion</u> What was General Burgoyne plan of attack to sever New England from the rest of the colonies? What did Benedict Arnold do to stop this plan? What rebel action did British General Howe participate in that slowed the British army?	How did the Battle of Saratoga change the revolutionary war for the colonist? <u>Revolution in Diplomacy</u> Why were the French willing to help the revolutionaries? What was the Model Treaty? 1. 2. 3. What was the new school of thought on how foreign relationship should be based? Why did Ben Franklin take on this "Homespun" American role while he was in France as a diplomat?
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What pushed France over the edge to sign a treaty with America? What was the significance of this treaty? <u>The Colonial War Becomes a Wider War</u> Who entered the war against Britain? Why? Armed Neutrality: Expand on France's role in the American Revolution: <u>Blow and Counterblow</u> How did Benedict Arnold turn traitor? Why?	Why was the capturing of Charleston South Carolina by the British such a huge loss? What was the role of Nathanael Greene in winning the south? <u>The Land Frontier and Sea Frontier</u> What is there meaning of torch and tomahawk? Treaty of Fort Stanwix : What was the real benefit of the colonist small navy? Privateers:	<u>Yorktown and the Final Curtain</u> Describe the military strategy used at Yorktown by Washington and Admiral De Grasse: How did George III respond to the loss at Yorktown? <u>Peace at Paris</u> Which Americans went to Paris to work out a treaty? Describe the hard position the French now found themselves in with Spain: What did John Jay think the French were up to?
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In the Treaty of Paris what did the Americans gain? What concessions did the Americans have to make to Britain? <u>A New Nation Legitimized</u> Why was Britain so generous to the Americans in the Treaty of Paris? <u>Additional Notes from Whose Revolution:</u>		
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