Revolutionary War Study Guide

Name:

French & Indian War Daughters of Liberty Stamp Act

Boston Massacre Townshend Acts Sons of Liberty

Use the words above to match with the correct statements below.

1. Because of the Townshend acts, we boycotted British goods and made cloth.

Daughters of liberty

2. Our group organized protests and boycotts.

Sons of Liberty

3. This was used by Britain to help pay for the French & Indian War

Stamp Act

4. This replaced the Stamp Act and was used to tax other goods.

Townshend Act

5. Five colonists were killed by Redcoats in this.

Boston Massacre

6. This is a war between Britain and France and ended in Britain gaining the Ohio

River Valley with the Proclamation of 1763. French & Indian War

True or False

7. The Sons of Liberty planned the Boston Tea Party by dumping tea into the

Boston Harbor. True

8. The First Continental Congress met in response to The Boston Tea Party.

False- Met in response to the Intolerable Acts

9. The start of the Revolutionary War began with Lexington and Concord

True

10. Samuel Adams rode through the towns to warn the Minutemen that the British

were coming.

False, it was Paul Revere, and William Dawes

11. British soldiers are called Redcoats.

True

12. Colonial soldiers were called the army.

False, the Minutemen

Put these events in order (1-7)

\_4\_\_ Paul Revere’s Ride

\_1\_\_French & Indian War

\_6\_\_Battle of Saratoga

\_5\_ Lexington & Concord

\_2\_\_Sugar Act

\_3\_\_Intolerable Acts

\_7\_\_Battle of Yorktown

Match the cause and the effect

Cause Effect

\_c\_13. Paul Revere’s Ride a. Boston Tea Party

\_a\_14. Tea Tax b. Sugar & Stamp Act

\_h\_15. Townshend Act c. Minutemen were warned

\_b\_16. Britain in debt from war d. 1st Continental Congress held

\_f\_17. Colonists storing ammo e. Boston Massacre

\_d\_18. Intolerable Acts f. Redcoats march on Concord

\_e\_19. Colonists throwing snowballs g. British got Ohio River Valley

\_g\_20. French & Indian War h. Daughters of Liberty made cloth

\_I\_21. Victory at Saratoga I. France sent money, soldiers, & their

Navy to help the Americans

22. What are the famous words of Patrick Henry? Give me liberty, or give me death!

23. Who wrote The Declaration of Independence and what year was it written? Thomas Jefferson and in 1776

24. Who was the continental officer who became a traitor and later fought for the

British? Benedict Arnold

25. Why was The Declaration of Independence Written? To break free from British control

26. Why did the colonists want to be independent from Britain? To govern themselves

True or False

27. The Americans used geography in Virginia to defeat Cornwallis at Yorktown by

surrounding them on land and the French Fleet surrounding them on the sea at

Chesapeake Bay. True

28. The Americans used geography to beat the British at Concord by escaping in

boats on the Delaware River. False, they fought behind trees and stone fences

29. The colonists refused to pay taxes, because they had no representation in

Parliament. This is called, “No taxation without representation!” True

30. The 1765 Stamp Act helped lead the movement toward revolution. True

31. The Coercive Acts, or also known as the Intolerable Acts, led to holding the

First Continental Congress. True

Short Answer Questions

32. What happened because of the victory for the Patriots at Saratoga?

It was the turning point of the war, because the French agreed to help us

33. What are the natural rights referred to in The Declaration of Independence?

Life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness

34. What battle ended the Revolutionary War? Yorktown

35. Who was the first person killed in the Boston Massacre? Crispus Attucks

36. Who was the British king during the American Revolution? King George

37. Who was the first person to sign the Declaration of Independence? John Hancock

38. Why did the American colonists not want to be ruled by Great Britain anymore? They wanted to have the power to run and govern themselves

39. What land did France give to Spain? Louisiana & New Orleans