

Unit 2 American History Test Review

Chapter 4

Terms to Know:

Great Awakening
Jonathan Edwards
George Whitefield
French and Indian War

How did the Great Awakening prepare the way for American's political freedom?

What was George Washington's role in the French and Indian War?

What did Americans gain by winning the French and Indian War?

Chapter 5

Terms to Know:

laissez faire economy
mercantile economy
George Grenville
Samuel Adams
Stamp Act & Sugar Act
Townshend Acts
Boston Massacre
Boston Tea Party

"Intolerable Acts"
Continental Congress
Patrick Henry
Minutemen
Paul Revere
Lexington
Bunker Hill
Ethan Allen

Why was the mercantile system unfair to the colonists?

What did the first Continental Congress do?

What does "the shot heard 'round the world" mean?

What did the second Continental Congress do?

To what position was George Washington appointed by the 2nd Continental Congress?

Chapter 6

Terms to Know

Thomas Paine, "Common Sense"
Declaration of Independence
Patriot or Whig
Loyalist or Tory
John Paul Jones
Battle of Saratoga
Battle of Yorktown

Know the beginning of the Declaration of Independence.

Where did the Continental Congress get its ideas for laying out a new government?

Name some of the advantages that the Patriots had in the war.

Name two disadvantages that the Patriots had in the war.

Why did Britain employ Hessian soldiers to fight the war?

Why did Washington cross the freezing cold Delaware River?

What did America gain in the Treaty of Paris of 1783?

Chapter 7

Terms to Know:

- Bicameral
- James Madison
- The Great Compromise
- The 3/5 Compromise
- Bill of Rights
- The three branches of the US government

What things changed in the United States immediately after the war?

Name the 13 original states of the USA.

How did American independence lead to greater social equality in America?

Reasons why the Articles of Confederation ineffective

Why did the Founding Fathers include checks and balances in our system of government?

Chapter 8

Terms to Know:

- John Adams
- Thomas Jefferson
- Alexander Hamilton
- Federalists
- Democratic-Republicans
- 12th Amendment
- French Revolution
- Alien and Sedition Acts
- Pinckney Treaty

What was the most urgent problem facing George Washington when he became President?

Know the first three presidents of the United States and their vice presidents.

How was the French Revolution different from the American Revolution?

Honors:

1. What is the Enlightenment philosophy? What are three Enlightenment ideas used in the Declaration of Independence?
2. What was Alexander Hamilton's financial plan for dealing with the American war debt?