

# Course 24

## Scope & Sequence

### Benjamin Franklin

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Topic	Who is Benjamin Franklin?	Exploring the enduring legacy of Benjamin Franklin.	The life, legacy, and historical contributions of Benjamin Franklin.	Benjamin Franklin's impact on American politics and innovations.	Exploring Benjamin Franklin: Innovator, Diplomat, and Founding Father of America.	Benjamin Franklin: Legacy, Innovation, and Civic Duty.
Activity	Ben Franklin's Science Lab  Who is Ben Franklin?	Ben Franklin's Invention Bag  Invent Like Franklin: Create a Solution!	Ben Franklin Day  Discovering Benjamin Franklin	Benjamin Franklin Quiz  Ben Franklin's Role in American History	Exploring the Franklin Stove  Benjamin Franklin: A Man of Many Talents	The Wisdom of Poor Richard  A Founding Father's Journey
Videos	Learn More with Liberty: Benjamin Franklin's Inventions	Learn More with Liberty: Benjamin Franklin's Role in the Declaration of Independence	Learn More with Liberty: Benjamin Franklin's Role in the Constitutional Convention	Learn More with Liberty: Minister to France	N/A	N/A
Objectives	Identify Benjamin Franklin as a Founding Father and describe his inventions, scientific discoveries, and roles as a diplomat and writer.	Identify Benjamin Franklin as a Founding Father and describe his inventions, scientific discoveries, and roles as a diplomat and writer.	Identify Benjamin Franklin as a Founding Father and describe his inventions, scientific discoveries, and roles as a diplomat and writer. Discuss Benjamin	Identify Benjamin Franklin as a Founding Father and describe his inventions, scientific discoveries, and roles as a diplomat and writer. Discuss Benjamin	Identify Benjamin Franklin as a Founding Father and describe his inventions, scientific discoveries, and roles as a diplomat and writer. Discuss Benjamin	Identify Benjamin Franklin as a Founding Father and describe his inventions, scientific discoveries, and roles as a diplomat and writer. Discuss Benjamin Franklin's

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