

Course 4

Scope & Sequence

The Declaration of Independence

| Grade | Kindergarten | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 5th |
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| Activity | Write Your Own Declaration | Declaration of Candy Freedom | Our Classroom Declaration | Founders Matching Game | Thomas Jefferson's Contributions | Literary Comparative Analysis Activity Faith and the Declaration of Independence |
| Video | Star Spangled Adventures Episode 4: The Declaration of Independence | | | | | |
| Objectives | <p>Explain the significance of the Declaration of Independence.</p> <p>List two reasons why the colonies were unhappy with Great Britain.</p> | <p>Define independence. Explain the significance of the Declaration of Independence.</p> <p>List two reasons why the colonies were unhappy with Great Britain.</p> | <p>Recognize similarities between a colony and a community.</p> <p>List characteristics of a self-governing community.</p> <p>Explain the significance of the Declaration of Independence.</p> | <p>List three principles promoted in the Declaration of Independence.</p> <p>Explain one way to use the word life.</p> <p>Identify one prominent Founder.</p> <p>Define the American Revolution.</p> | <p>Identify the Committee of Five.</p> <p>List three facts about Thomas Jefferson.</p> <p>Summarize the events leading up to the American Revolution.</p> <p>Explain the meaning and origin of "all men are created equal."</p> | <p>Define Great Awakening.</p> <p>Explain the contributions of the Founding Fathers to American history.</p> <p>Explain the relationship between faith and the Declaration of Independence.</p> <p>Explain the meaning and origin of "all men are created equal."</p> |
| Optional Faith Supplement | <p>Memory Verse:</p> <p>"It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery." - Galatians 5:1</p> | | | | | |