

Scope & Sequence



United for Liberty: The Stamp Act Congress and the Seeds of Revolution

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| Topic | The Stamp Act and the Seeds of Revolution | Taxes, Tyranny, and the Fight for Freedom: Understanding the Stamp Act | No Taxation Without Representation: Colonial Frustrations | The Catalyst for Change: The Stamp Act and Colonial Resistance | Stamping Out Tyranny: How the Colonists Began Their Fight for Self-Governance | The Road to Revolution: The Stamp Act and the Seeds of Independence |
| Activity | <p>Activity: Building the Road to Independence</p> <p>Activity: Event Cards for "Building the Road to Independence"</p> <p>Activity: Singing the Road to Freedom</p> | <p>Activity: Create Our Own Classroom Rules!</p> <p>Activity: Find the Synonyms for Freedom!</p> <p>Answer Key: Find the Synonyms for Freedom!</p> <p>Activity: Sing About the Stamp Act!</p> | <p>Activity: Standing Up to Parliament: The Stamp Act and the Boston Tea Party Role Play</p> <p>Assessment: Synonyms and Antonyms: Stamp Act Edition!</p> <p>Answer Key: Thumbs Up for Synonyms and Antonyms: Stamp Act Edition!</p> <p>Activity: What Does "No Taxation Without Representation Mean?"</p> | <p>Activity: Exploring Yankee Doodle: A Song and It's History</p> <p>Assessment: Multiple Choice Quiz: Understanding Freedom, the Colonies, and the Fight for Independence</p> <p>Answer Key: Multiple Choice Quiz</p> <p>Activity: Rallying for Rights: Crafting Creative Colonial Cries</p> | <p>Activity: The Path to Freedom: A TV Broadcast</p> <p>Rubric: The Path to Freedom</p> <p>Activity: Unity for Freedom: The Road to Independence</p> <p>Assessment: The Road to Freedom: Fill in the Blanks</p> <p>Answer Key: The Road to Freedom</p> <p>Activity: Student Text</p> | <p>Activity: Personifying Patriots: Writing Feature Articles on Revolutionary Heroes</p> <p>Rubric: Personifying Patriots</p> <p>Assessment: Comprehension Worksheet: Literary Devices and the Fight for Freedom</p> <p>Answer Key: Comprehension Worksheet</p> <p>Activity: Student Text</p> |
| Video | SSA: Stamp Act Congress/Road to Revolution | SSA: Stamp Act Congress/Road to Revolution | SSA: Stamp Act Congress/Road to Revolution | SSA: Stamp Act Congress/Road to Revolution | <p>SSA: Stamp Act Congress/Road to Revolution</p> <p>LMWL: Patrick Henry and the Stamp Act: Standing Up for Freedom</p> | <p>SSA: Stamp Act Congress/Road to Revolution</p> <p>LMWL: From Taxation to Independence: The Stamp Act and the Fight for Freedom</p> |

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| Objectives | <p>Identify the concept of freedom and relate it to their own lives. Understand what a colony is and why the colonies were controlled by Great Britain. Explain how disagreements between the colonies and Great Britain led to growing tensions. Recognize the key role of the French and Indian War in creating financial strain for Great Britain. Describe the Stamp Act and explain why it upset the colonists. Understand the significance of the colonists' slogan "No taxation without representation." Analyze how the colonies began to unite to fight for their rights and freedom.</p> | <p>Explain why the colonists wanted a say in decisions made by Great Britain's government. Identify key events, like the French and Indian War, and explain their impact on the colonies. Understand the Stamp Act and why it upset the colonists, leading them to work together for change. Explain the colonists' rallying cry of "No taxation without representation" and its significance. Recognize how unity, through efforts like the Stamp Act Congress, helped the colonies stand up to unfair treatment. Explain how the Declaration of Independence marked the beginning of a free and self-governed nation.</p> | <p>Understand the concepts of synonyms and antonyms by identifying and using them in the context of the Stamp Act and independence-related vocabulary (e.g., freedom, liberty, taxation). Define and explain the importance of freedom as the ability to make one's own choices, linking it to the colonists' desire for self-government. Recognize and describe why the colonists thought the Stamp Act was unfair, focusing on the lack of representation in Parliament. Analyze the phrase "No taxation without representation" and explain its meaning in the context of the colonists' struggle for fairness. Describe the role of the Stamp Act in uniting the colonies, including the creation of the Stamp Act Congress and the early steps toward independence. Identify actions taken by the colonists to resist the Stamp Act, including the ...</p> | <p>Recognize and create examples of alliteration, such as "freedom fuels fairness," to make connections between language and meaning. Explain the importance of freedom to the colonists and describe how it relates to their own lives today. Identify reasons why the colonists believed British laws, like the Stamp Act, were unfair and describe how this led to their desire for self-government. Understand how the French and Indian War and its resulting debt contributed to tension between Great Britain and the colonies. Analyze the term Yankee Doodle, how it was used mockingly by the British, and how the colonists transformed it into a symbol of pride. Describe the Stamp Act Congress and explain how the colonists working together helped strengthen their fight for freedom and fairness. Analyze why the colonies ...</p> | <p>Demonstrate an understanding of the significance of the Stamp Act and its impact on the colonies. Identify and explain how the concept of freedom was central to the colonists' desire for independence. Compare the colonists' fight for freedom with the importance of freedom in their own lives today. Analyze how the creation of the Continental Army and the Declaration of Independence contributed to the colonies' efforts to gain independence. Describe how Patrick Henry's speech and his call to action inspired the colonies to take a stand against Great Britain. Explain the importance of the "No taxation without representation" slogan and how it united the colonies in their fight for freedom. Examine the role of unity among the colonies and how cooperation through groups like the Sons of Liberty and the Stamp Act ...</p> | <p>Define and explain the significance of the Continental Army in the fight for American independence. Understand the purpose of the Declaration of Independence and describe its impact on the formation of the United States. Identify key phrases from the Declaration of Independence, including "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness." Explain the concept of self-government and why it was important to the colonists in their struggle for independence. Recognize the importance of unity among the colonies in their fight for freedom and how the Continental Army helped achieve this goal. Describe how the colonists' struggle for freedom from Great Britain is connected to the freedoms we enjoy today. Discuss how literary devices like alliteration, hyperbole, and personification can be used to emphasize the importance of ...</p> |

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| Objectives | | | ... creation of the Sons of Liberty and the refusal to use stamped paper. Explain the purpose and significance of the Declaration of Independence, as a document that formally announced the colonies' freedom and listed their rights. | ... prepared both a petition, like the Olive Branch Petition, and militias, such as the Minutemen, to balance peaceful efforts with readiness to defend their rights. Discuss the creation of the Continental Army and the writing of the Declaration of Independence as key actions taken during the Second Continental Congress to unite the colonies and achieve independence. | ... Congress led to collective action. Connect the events of the French and Indian War to the growing frustrations that led to the American Revolution. Evaluate the meaning and significance of the Declaration of Independence, understanding it as a declaration of freedom and a statement of self-government. | ... freedom. Explain how the colonists' actions, such as sending the Olive Branch Petition and creating militias, demonstrated their commitment to independence. Analyze how the creation of the Continental Army and the Declaration of Independence symbolized the colonies' desire for fairness and the right to govern themselves. Reflect on how the bravery and unity of the colonists in the fight for independence can inspire patriotism and the protection of freedoms today. |
| Faith Supplement (Optional) | <p style="text-align: center;">1 Corinthians 12:12-14 Ecclesiastes 4:9-12 Philippians 1:27 Romans 15:5-6</p> <p>By the end of the lesson, students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the historical significance of the Stamp Act and how it unified the colonies. • Recognize how the colonists worked together to address injustice and stand up for their rights. • Identify ways in which we, as Christians, are called to unite in difficult times to achieve God's purposes. • Reflect on the power of unity through a biblical perspective. • Apply the principle of unity in their own lives. | | | | | |