

THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION UNIT STUDY GUIDE

1. **Be able to explain the meaning of the political cartoon on page 89 and know who drew it.**
2. **Know what each Act entailed and know the British's reason for imposing the Acts and the Colonist reaction.**
3. **The Boston Massacre: Know why the colonists were provoking the soldiers, the outcome of the Massacre.**
4. **Know the four parts of the Declaration of Independence, and why each part is necessary. Know the exact date the Declaration was signed.**
5. **Know the opposing views between the Colonist and the Loyalist.**
6. **Know the battles and their importance to winning the war.**
7. **Know the steps to winning the war: European Shift, Early British success, and the final victory in Yorktown.**
8. **Know what was meant or didn't mean when Jefferson said "all men are created equal."**
9. **Do you think the colonist could have won independence without aid from foreigners? Explain.**

Vocab and Terms:

Stamp Act

Samuel Adams

Townshend Act

Boston Massacre

Boston Tea Party

martial law

minutemen

King George III

Committee of Correspondence

Second Continental Congress

Olive Branch Petition

Common Sense

Thomas Jefferson

Declaration of Independence

Patriots

Loyalist

Valley Forge

Saratoga

Trenton

Lafayette

Treaty of Paris

Yorktown

Fredrich Von Streuben

