

Name: _____ Date: _____

E. Use the words below to fill in the blanks.

Boston Tea Party

Washington DC

Redcoats

Queen Elizabeth

England

Switzerland

Lexington

George Washington

Concord

George III

Yorktown

Minutemen

1. The mother country of the colonies was _____.
2. The king of this country was _____.
3. Patriot farmers who could get ready to fight in a minute were called _____.
4. British soldiers with red uniforms were called _____.
5. The British surrendered at the city of _____.
6. The _____ showed anger against British taxes.
7. The location of the beginning of the American Revolution was _____ and _____ where a shot was fired that was “heard ‘round the world.”

F. Circle the letter of the correct answer.

1. What was the statement written to declare freedom and independence from England?
 - a. Constitution
 - b. Declaration of Independence
 - c. Bill of Rights
 - d. Statement of Freedom

2. What was Paul Revere's signal?
 - a. "Two if by land, one if by sea."
 - b. "Three if by land, four if by sea."
 - c. "The sea is covering the land."
 - d. "One if by land, two if by sea."

3. Those who wanted the British to keep ruling the colonies were called _____.
 - a. Loyalists
 - b. Patriots
 - c. Whigs
 - d. Kings

4. Those who wanted to form an independent country were called _____.
 - a. Loyalists
 - b. Redcoats
 - c. Patriots
 - d. Tories

G. Match the people and the facts.

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| 1. _____ Samuel Adams | a. America's first black scientist |
| 2. _____ Benjamin Banneker | b. Became first American president |
| 3. _____ John Hancock | c. Wrote the Declaration of Independence |
| 4. _____ Patrick Henry | d. Orator |
| 5. _____ Paul Revere | e. Became second American president |
| 6. _____ George Washington | f. Stirred up feelings against England |
| 7. _____ Phillis Wheatley | g. Rode to warn of approaching British troops |
| 8. _____ Thomas Jefferson | h. First to sign Declaration of Independence |
| | i. Slave poetess |



H. Answer the questions.

- 1. Write the date of the birthday of the United States—the day that the Declaration of Independence was first signed. _____
- 2. Choose two of the following people and write at least 4 facts or a true story about them.

Patrick Henry

Samuel Adams

Phillis Wheatley

Paul Revere

John Hancock

Benjamin Banneker

First Person: _____

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Second Person: _____

3. Write at least 4 facts or a true story about how Mennonites and Amish were treated during the Revolutionary War.
