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Social Studies
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The American Revolution
Test Review

- 1) Where was the first shot of the American Revolutionary War fired?
- 2) Where was the Declaration of Independence signed?
- 3) Where was the final Patriot victory?
- 4) Where was the turning point of the war?
- 5) Name four of the taxes or laws that the colonists thought were unfair.
- 6) How did the colonists protest the tea tax?
- 7) What is the difference between the Tories and the Sons of Liberty?
- 8) Why were the colonists so angry about the taxes?
- 9) What is the difference between the militia and the minutemen?
- 10) How did the Patriots force the British to leave Boston?

- 11) Who tried to warn John Hancock and Sam Adams about a British attack? How did he warn them?
- 12) Why was the Hudson River so important?
- 13) Who was the commander of the Patriot army?
- 14) Who were the Hessians?
- 15) Who wrote the Declaration of Independence?
- 16) Thomas Paine wrote a pamphlet called _____. In it he explained that the war should not be about taxes, it should be about freedom.
- 17) What could have happened to the people who signed the Declaration of Independence if the Patriots lost the war?
- 18) What country did Ben Franklin try to get to help the Patriots fight the British? Why didn't they want to help in the first place?
- 19) Explain Benedict Arnold's treason.
- 20) What word means, "to refuse to do business or have contact with another person, group or country"?
- 21) What is the name of the war between the British and the colonies?
- 22) What word means to refuse to obey?
- 23) Who is Charles Cornwallis?
- 24) Who refused to let the soldiers go home after the war because he feared another attack by the British?