

Revolution Study Guide

Section 1: Declaring Independence

1: Who led the Continental Army during the Revolution?

2: What was the purpose of the Olive Branch Petition?

3: Who wrote the Declaration of Independence?

4: What was the main purpose of the Declaration?

5: What is an unalienable right?

6: Define traitor.

Section 2: Patriots at War

1: What Fort was invaded by the Green Mountain Boys?

2: What items did the Green Mountain Boys take from the fort that would later help Washington?

3: Define Mercenaries.

4: How did George Washington win the Battle of Trenton?

5: Who were the Hessians?

6: What Battle was the turning point of the war?

7: Who was Peter Salem and what did he do during the war?

Section 3: The World Turned Upside Down

1: Who were Marquis de Lafayette and Friedrich von Steuben? Why were they important to the colonists?

2: Describe how the British lost the Battle of Yorktown.

3: What was the Treaty of Paris?