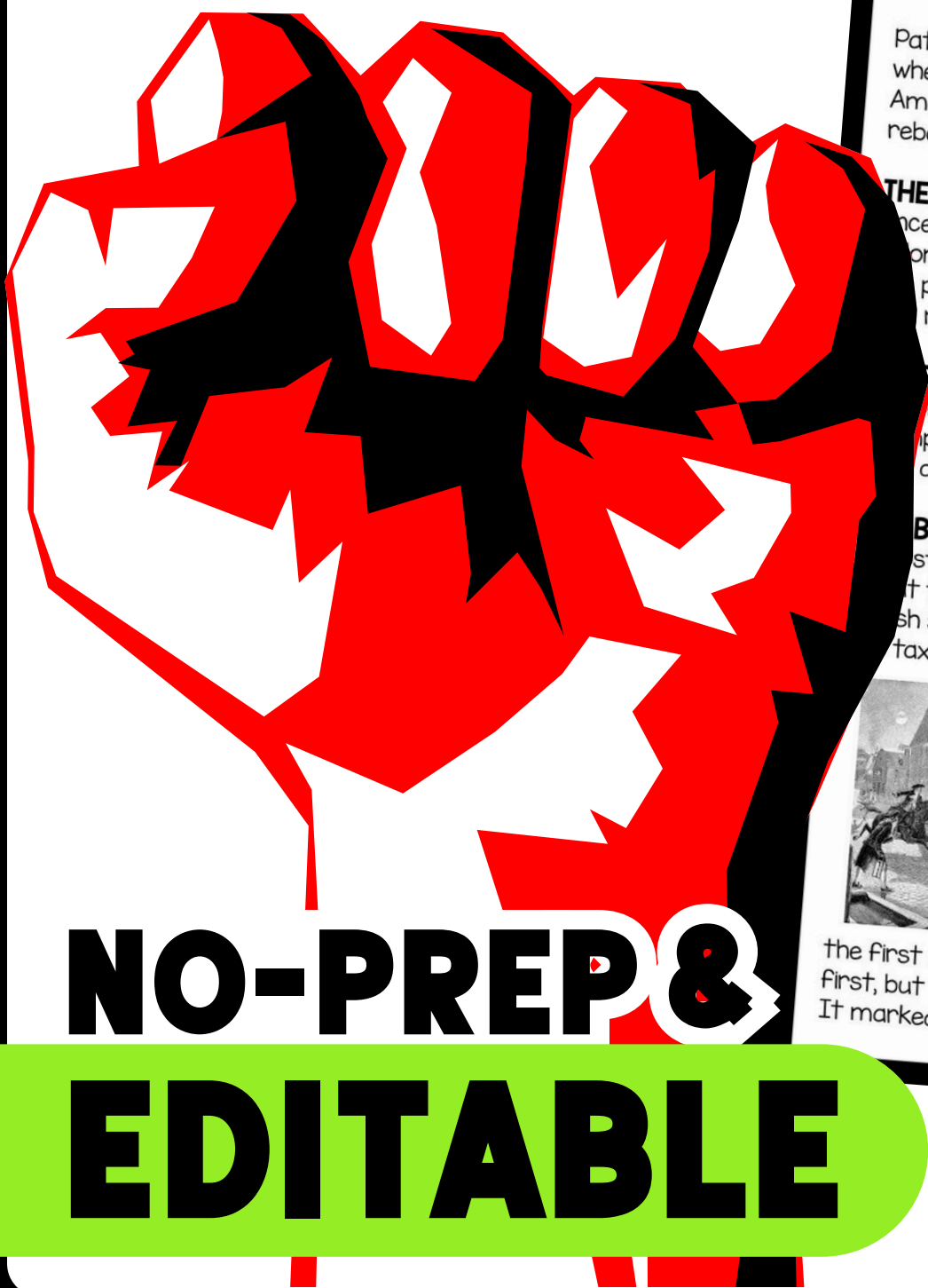


Patriot's Day


REBELLION

READING COMPREHENSION




BATTLES AND HEROES

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HISTORICAL REBELLION

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THE 13 COLONIES


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RESSENTMENT AND UNREST

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BOSTON TEA PARTY

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PAUL REVERE'S RIDE

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THE SHOT HEARD 'ROUND THE WORLD

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BATTLES AND HEROES

The American Revolution was not easy. There were many battles fought between the colonists and the British soldiers. Many brave men and women fought for what they believed in. Some famous heroes emerged from this time, like George Washington and Thomas Jefferson.



PATRIOT'S DAY

Patriot's Day is a time to remember the brave people who fought for our freedom. It's a day to honor their courage and sacrifice. On Patriot's Day, we celebrate the start of the American Revolution and the birth of our nation.

CONCLUSION

The American Revolution was a historical rebellion that changed the course of history. It began with protests against unfair taxes and grew into a fight for independence. Patriot's Day reminds us of the brave men and women who stood up for what they believed in. Let's never forget their bravery as we celebrate this important day each year.

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HISTORICAL REBELLION

DIRECTIONS CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

1. What is Patriot's Day?

- a) A day to celebrate British rule
- b) A day to remember the start of the American Revolution
- c) A day to honor British soldiers
- d) A day to commemorate the Boston Tea Party

2. What did the Sons of Liberty do during the Boston Tea Party?

- a) Threw crates of tea into the water
- b) Negotiated with the British government
- c) Bought tea from British merchants
- d) Ignored the tea tax

3. Who warned the colonists about the approaching British soldiers?

- a) George Washington
- b) Thomas Jefferson
- c) Paul Revere
- d) Benjamin Franklin

4. What event marked the beginning of the American Revolution?

- a) The signing of the Declaration of Independence
- b) The Boston Tea Party
- c) The battles of Lexington and Concord
- d) Paul Revere's ride

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

1. What is Patriot's Day?
2. What did the Sons of Liberty do during the Boston Tea Party?
3. Who warned the colonists about the approaching British soldiers?
4. Where did the first shots of the American Revolution take place?
5. Why is the American Revolution considered a historical rebellion?

5. Where did the first shots of the American Revolution take place?

- a) Boston
- b) New York
- c) Philadelphia
- d) Lexington

6. Who emerged as famous heroes of the American Revolution?

- a) The British soldiers
- b) George Washington and Thomas Jefferson
- c) The Sons of Liberty
- d) Paul Revere and Benjamin Franklin

7. What was the main reason for the American Revolution against the British government?

- a) Unfair taxes
- b) Lack of tea
- c) Lack of representation
- d) Too much freedom

8. What did Paul Revere shout during his ride?

- a) "The British are coming!"
- b) "The Americans are coming!"
- c) "The French are coming!"
- d) "The Indians are coming!"

9. What is commemorated on Patriot's Day?

- a) The signing of the Declaration of Independence
- b) The Boston Tea Party
- c) The battles of Lexington and Concord
- d) The arrival of Christopher Columbus

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1. b) A day to remember the start of the American Revolution
2. a) Threw crates of tea into the water
3. c) Paul Revere
4. c) The battles of Lexington and Concord
5. d) Lexington
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10. c) Because the colonists fought for independence from Great Britain

SHORT-ANSWER QUESTION

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