

# Test



## MULTIPLE CHOICE

**DIRECTIONS** Select the letter of the best answer.

- 1 On which basis did Americans call themselves Patriots or Loyalists?
  - A the colonial region in which they lived
  - B whether they supported independence from Britain
  - C the country from which they or their ancestors came
  - D whether they paid British taxes
  
- 2 Which of the following caused shortages of goods in the colonies during the American Revolution?
  - A British boycotts of American goods
  - B profiteering
  - C American blockades of British ports
  - D British blockades of colonial ports
  
- 3 What was the main reason that African Americans fought in the Revolutionary War?
  - A They had signed treaties with the British.
  - B They were promised their freedom in return.
  - C They preferred being British citizens.
  - D They were promised western lands in return.

- 4 Which American Indian group allied with the Americans during the Revolutionary War?
  - A the Cherokee
  - B the Mohawk
  - C the Oneida
  - D the Seneca

Use the boxed information to answer question 5.

The American victory at the Battle of Saratoga was a turning point in the Revolutionary War.

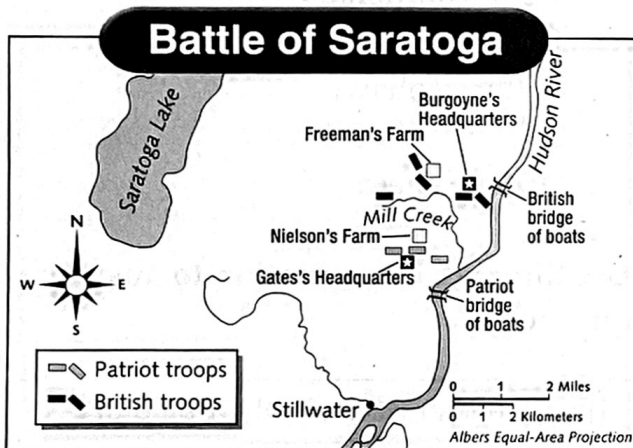
- 5 What does the term turning point mean in the sentence above?
  - A a time when people try to reach an agreement
  - B an event that causes important changes
  - C a place where people gather to fight
  - D an event in which people die
  
- 6 Which country agreed to send troops and ships in support of the Americans during the Revolutionary War?
  - A France
  - B the Netherlands
  - C Ireland
  - D Mexico

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- 7 Which of these people is considered a traitor in the Revolutionary War?
- A Benedict Arnold
  - B Nathanael Greene
  - C Nathan Hale
  - D John Paul Jones

- 9 In which year did the Treaty of Paris officially end the Revolutionary War?
- A 1776
  - B 1781
  - C 1783
  - D 1787

Use the map to answer question 8.



- 8 Which of the following questions can you answer from this map?
- A How far apart were the Patriots and British stationed on either side of Mill Creek?
  - B How long is the Hudson River?
  - C How many miles is it from Saratoga to Richmond?
  - D How many American soldiers fought in the Battle of Saratoga?

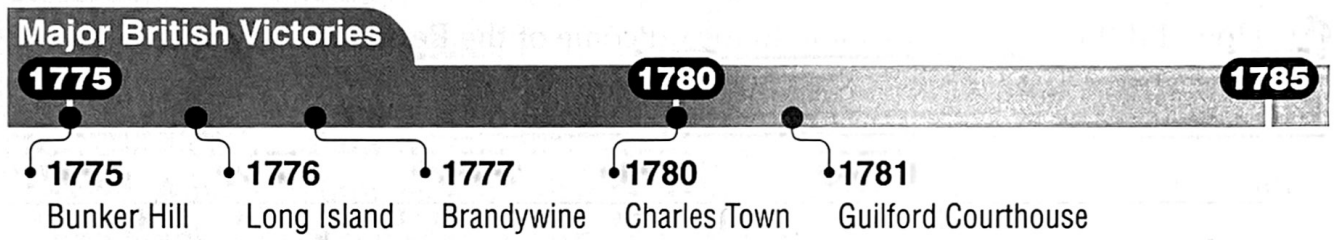
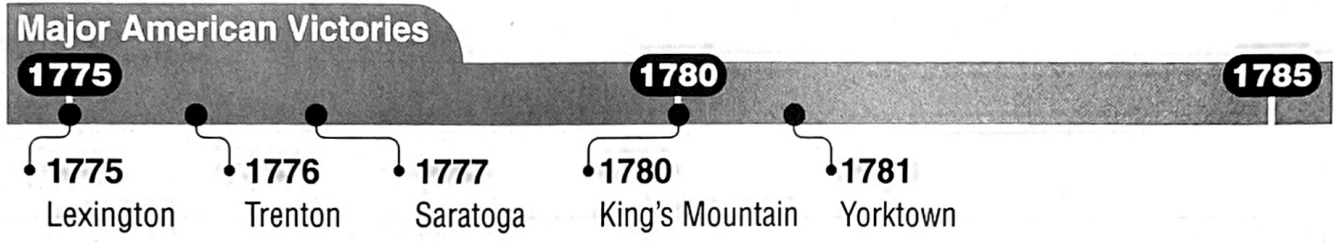
Use the boxed information to answer question 10.

The Northwest Ordinance set up a plan for governing the Northwest Territory and for forming new states in that region.

- 10 What does the word ordinance mean in the sentence above?
- A a land that belongs to a nation but is not a state
  - B a set of laws
  - C a method of measuring land
  - D an alliance between two countries

**MATCHING**

**DIRECTIONS** Use the parallel time lines to complete the chart that follows. Write the name of each battle in the correct place in the chart.



BATTLES OF THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR		
Year	American Victory	British Victory
11 1775	_____	_____
12 1781	_____	_____
13 1777	_____	_____
14 1780	_____	_____
15 1776	_____	_____

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**SHORT ANSWER**

**DIRECTIONS** Answer each question in the space provided.

**16** How did women contribute to the war effort during the American Revolution?

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**17** How did the French contribute to the outcome of the Revolutionary War?

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**18** Why was George Washington a hero of the Revolutionary War?

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**19** What effects did the land policies of Congress have on American Indians in the Northwest Territory?

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**20** What rights expressed in the Declaration of Independence most affected how people viewed slavery after the Revolutionary War?

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