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TASK COMPLETION SHEET

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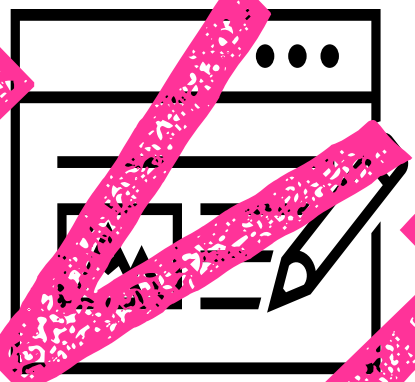
TASK 1

Fill in the Blank



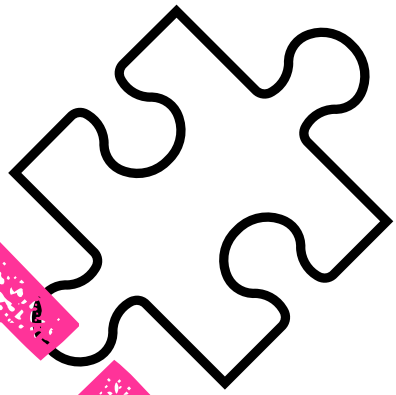
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Vocabulary



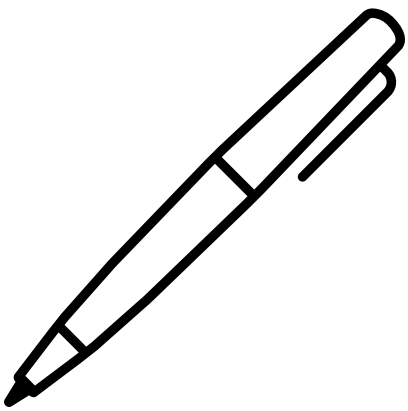
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Crossword



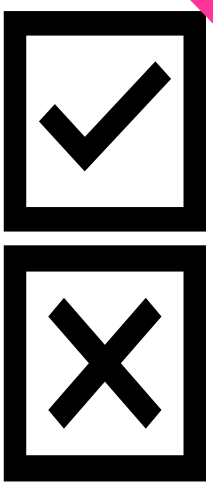
TASK 4

Text Marking



TASK 5

True - False



TASK 6

Summary



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TASK 1: FILL IN THE BLANK

Directions: Use the words below to fill in the reading.

[illegible]	Parliament	New France
Great Britain	debt	printed
[illegible]	protests	nation

The Revolutionary War began in 1775 and was fought for independence from _____. There were several factors that led the 13 colonies to fight for independence and become their own _____, starting with taxation.

One of the factors that led to the war was the debt (money owed) of the French and Indian War. The French and Indian War, 1754 to 1763, was fought by the colonists against _____. Each side had Native Americans as their allies and the colonists also had Britain's help. Britain sent _____ to the colonies to help them fight the French. Every war costs money, and Britain needed the money to help pay for the troops and supplies. British troops were also stationed in the colonies after the war for protection. The British Parliament (government) believed the colonists should pay for _____ since it was their war and for this reason, they taxed the colonists unfairly.

Before 1764, the British government allowed the 13 colonies to govern themselves. As time went on, Britain continued increasing taxes and _____ and laws on the colonists. There were many taxes collected through British laws such as the Sugar Act and Stamp Act. The Stamp Act placed a tax on all _____ goods, like newspapers and playing cards. The colonists did not believe any of these laws were fair and started the motto "no taxation without representation". This meant that the colonists did not believe they should be taxed because they did not have representatives in the British _____.

Tensions rose as the British government started to become more involved with the 13 colonies. _____ erupted as the colonists became more and more angry. A group of Patriots in Boston, who called themselves the

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TASK 2: VOCABULARY PRACTICE

Directions: Choose 5 words from the reading that are unfamiliar or new to you and fill in the diagram below.

WORD	PICTURE	DEFINITION

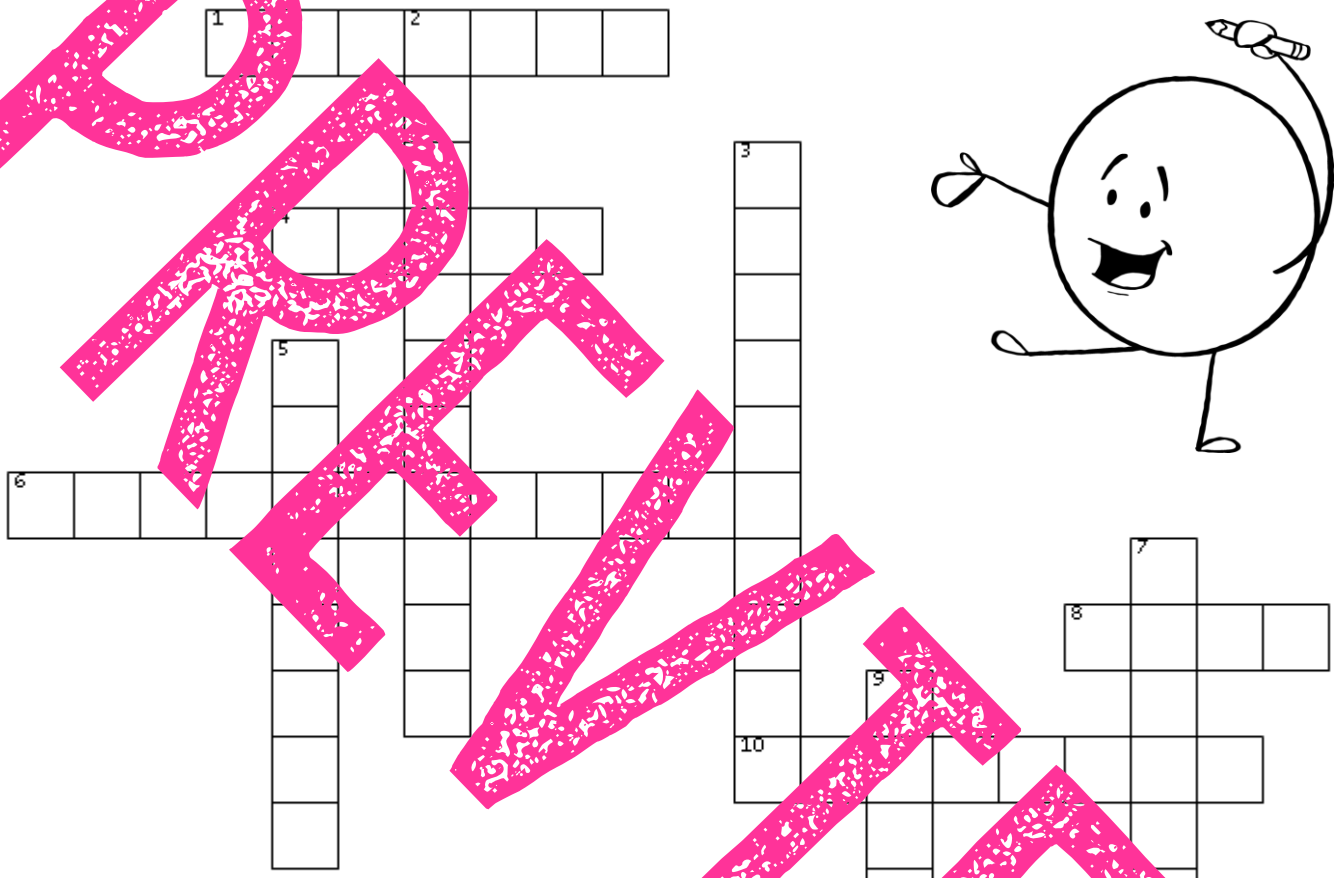
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TASK 3: CROSSWORD

Directions: Complete the crossword puzzle by reading the clues below and entering the correct response.



PREVIEW

ACROSS

1. Refuse to buy
4. Month the Revolutionary War started
6. Location of 1st Continental Congress
8. Money owed
10. Number of colonies at that time

DOWN

2. Another name for the Intolerable Acts
3. British government
5. Tax on printed goods
7. To cancel
9. Sons of _____



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TASK 6: SUMMARIZE

TOPIC SENTENCE

SUPPORTING DETAIL

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