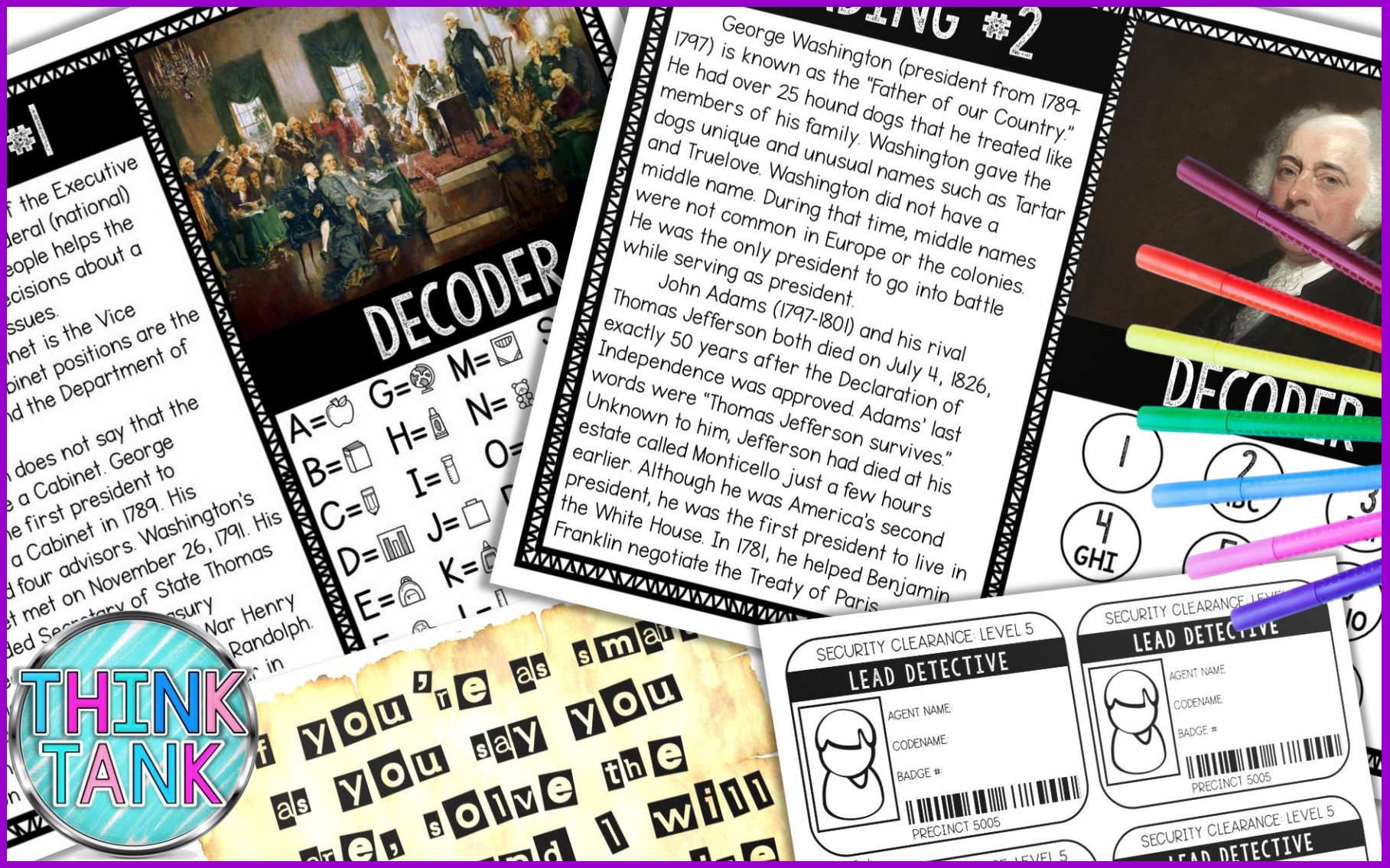
PRESIDENTS 1-10

READING ESCAPE



6 PASSAGES


READING #3
Thomas Jefferson (1801-1809), president #3, was the only two-term president who never vetoed (rejected) a bill. Thomas Jefferson has many accomplishments listed on his tombstone but there is no mention of his service as President of the United States. In his eight years as president, Jefferson only gave two speeches. Jefferson loved ice cream, but there was no refrigeration at that time. He had special molds and tools imported from France to help his staff prepare the ice cream that
DECODER
READING #6
William Henry Harrison (1841) gave the longest inaugural speech in history on a bitterly cold winter day. He was not dressed properly and caught pneumonia. He only served as president for
DEATH OF HARRISON.
READING #5
Andrew Jackson (1829-1837), America's 7th president, was a target of the first presidential assassination attempt but the pistol misfired. He was nicknamed Old Hickory because of his determination and toughness. Jackson was a notorious gambler and once lost all of his grandfather's inheritance on a trip to South Carolina. Jackson was the first president to ride on a train. He was the only president to serve in both the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812.
Van Buren's (1837-1841) nickname
Kinderhook. The nickname originates
the village of Kinderhook in New York,
where Van Buren was born. During his
campaign, his supporters
signs
became
that time and is still used today.
Van Buren was the first American born
president of the United States. The 6
presidents before him were all British born.
VAN BUREN
DECODER
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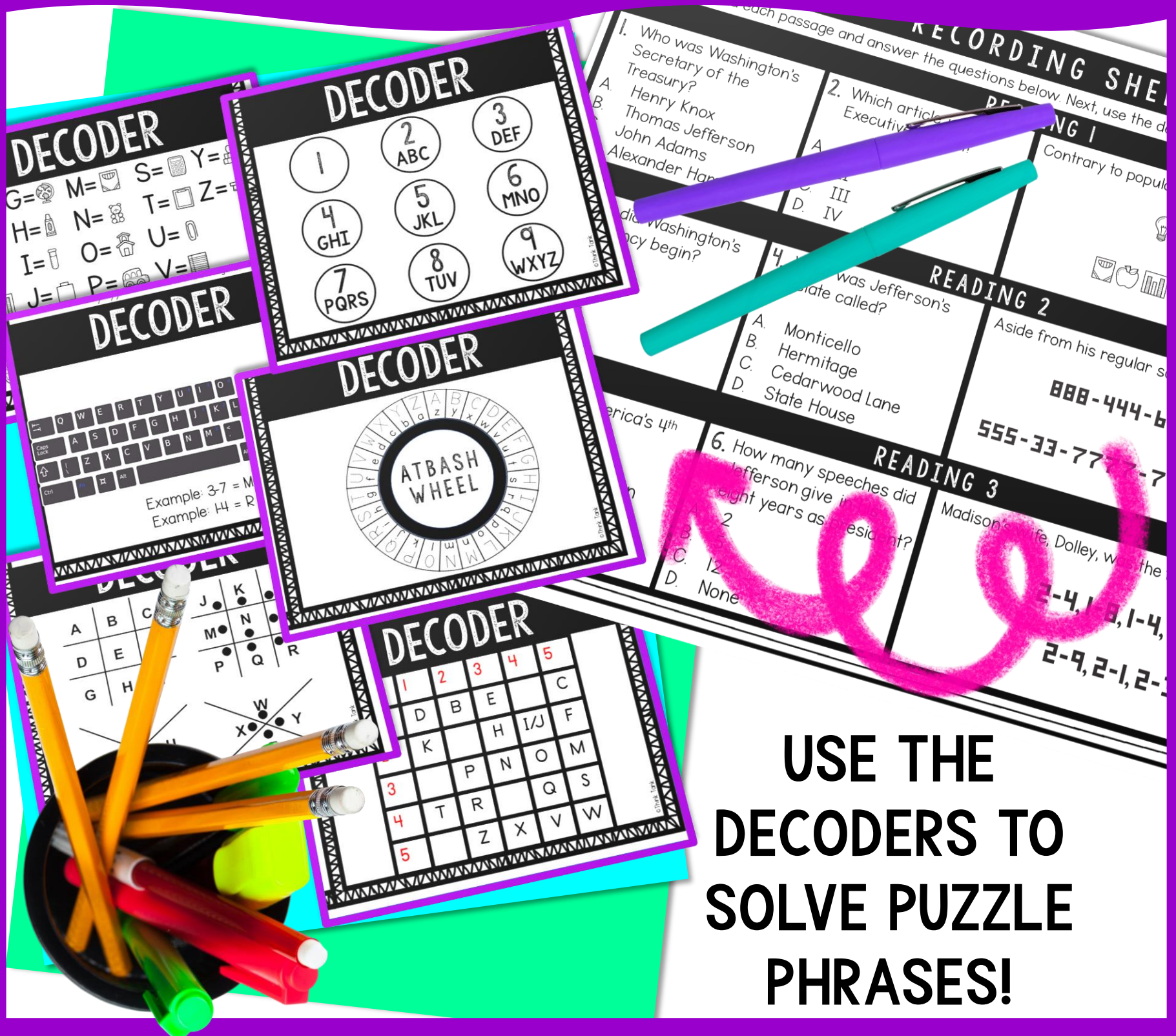
WHAT'S INCLUDED?



- [x] 6 Half page passages
- [x] 6 Puzzle decoders
- [x] 12 Multiple choice Q's
- [x] Teacher guide
- [x] Answer key
- [x] Student directions
- [x] Hint cards



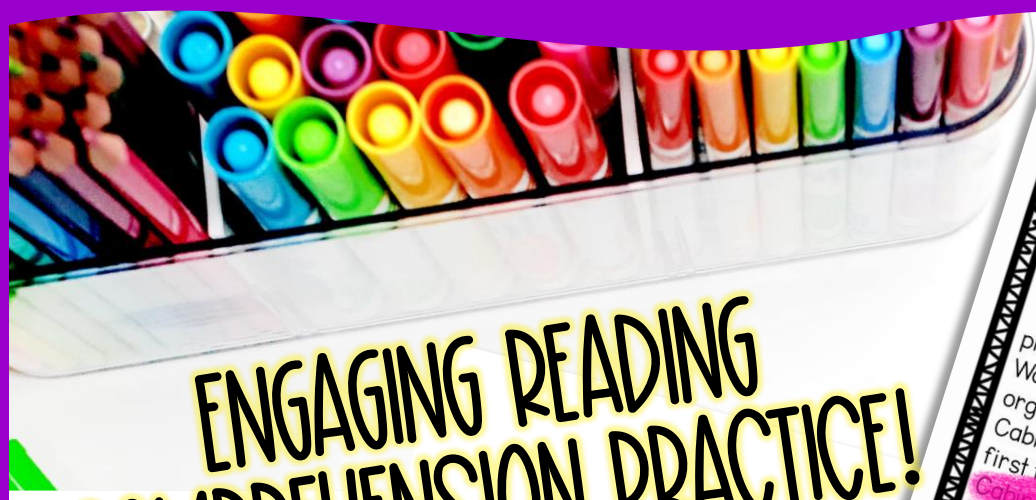
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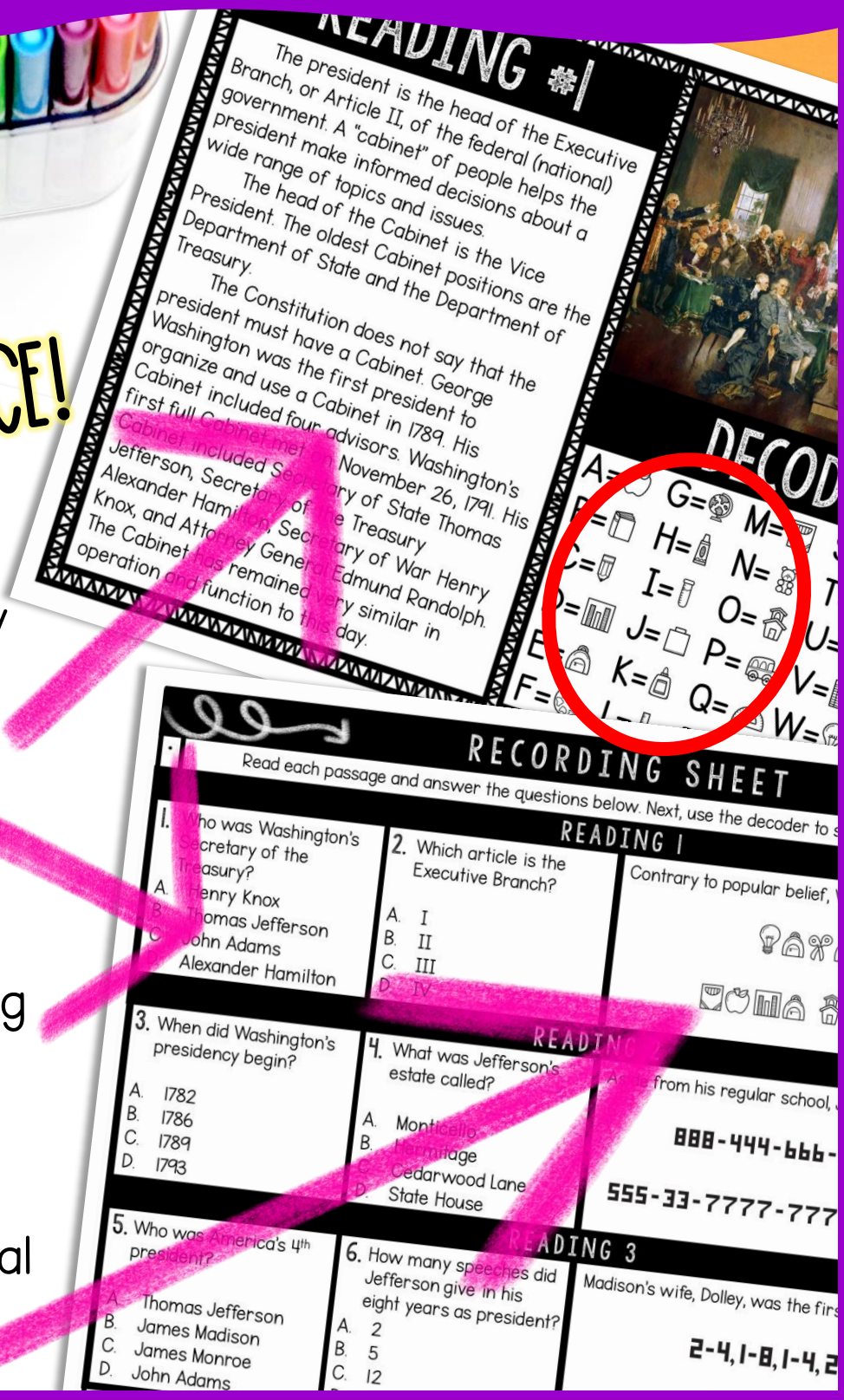
NO PREP!



HOW IT WORKS



ENGAGING READING COMPREHENSION PRACTICE!



1. Students work individually (or in pairs) and visit SIX reading stations.

2. Students will answer the questions related to that passage on their recording sheet.

3. Students will use that specific "decoder" to reveal a "clue" about the topic.

BENEFITS & USE



THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!

- ANTICIPATORY SETS
- UNIT REVIEW
- EARLY FINISHERS
- STATIONS
- SUB PLANS
- PARTNER WORK
- ENRICHMENT
- NO PREP
- PRINT AND GO
- CROSS-CURRICULAR
- HIGHLY ENGAGING