Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ TEST: Monday, January 26th

**The American Revolution**

**Important People: (identify the person and their importance with the American Revolution)**

King George III-

George Washington-

Thomas Jefferson-

Charles Cornwallis-

Patrick Henry-

Benjamin Franklin-

Marquis de Lafayette-

Benedict Arnold-

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Battles of Lexington & Concord-

Battle of Saratoga-

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\*African American’s roles during the war:

\*Women’s roles during the war:

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King George III- The ruler of Great Britain during the American Revolution that later went crazy.

George Washington- Commander-in-chief of the Continental Army.

Thomas Jefferson- A founding father, who was the main author of the Declaration of Independence

Charles Cornwallis- This British general surrendered at the Battle of Yorktown

Patrick Henry- Known for his famous speech, “Give me liberty, or give me death!”

Benjamin Franklin- He was an American delegate in the Constitutional Convention, a scientist, and inventor

Marquis de Lafayette- Famous Frenchman that helped with supplies during the cold winter at Valley Forge

Benedict Arnold- Was a Continental Army officer that later became a traitor

**Events: (Be able to explain the event, and what happened as a result of the event)**

Battle of Trenton- Surprise attack on Christmas night, gave colonists renewed hope

Battle of Kettle Creek- Small battle fought in Georgia on Valentine’s Day

Battles of Lexington & Concord- These battles marked the beginning of the Revolutionary War

Battle of Saratoga- This was the turning point that caused an important change. Other countries started to help the Continental Army.

Battle at Yorktown-This marked the end of the Revolutionary War. (Last major battle.)

Winter @ Valley Forge- 2,500 men died because…of harsh conditions/weather, a lack of supplies/food, and inadequate clothing

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\*African American’s roles during the war:

-fought for both sides, and promised freedom in return

\*Women’s roles during the war:

-helped soldiers at Army Camps (water, food, washed clothes)

-took over husband’s jobs/roles at home

-took place of husbands or disguised themselves to fight in battles

-spies

\*How other countries helped the Continental Army:

-France: supplies, money, navy support, Lafayette

-Germany: Von Steuben