American Revolution Webquest

*SS8H3: Analyze the role of Georgia in the American Revolution Era.
a. Explain the causes of the American Revolution as they impacted Georgia; the French and Indian War, Proclamation of 1763 & the Stamp Act.*

**Directions:** Click on the links below to access the videos, articles and pictures. Complete the questions based on your findings from the resources provided.

Step 1: Introduction to the American Revolution Video

Watch the video for background information on the American Revolution. Headphones are required to watch the video. Introduction video - <http://havefunwithhistory.com/movies/revWar.html>

Step 2: Causes of the American Revolutionary War

Visit: <https://www.landofthebrave.info/causes-of-the-american-revolutionary-war.htm>

Read the Article and answer the following questions:

1. Give an overview of the main causes of the American Revolution.
2. Explain the triangular trade routes and the effects it had on the colonists.
3. Explain the problems that the British were left with at the end of the French and Indian War, and how it was one of the reasons the colonists wanted to revolt?
4. List the Intolerable Acts.

**Step 3: Summary of the Stamp Act**

The **Stamp Act** was passed by the British Parliament on March 22, 1765. The new tax was imposed on all American colonists and required them to pay a tax on every piece of printed paper they used. Ship's papers, legal documents, licenses, newspapers, other publications, and even playing cards were taxed.

Visit: <https://www.history.org/history/teaching/tchcrsta.cfm>

Summarize the Stamp Act in your own words:

**Step 4:** **Georgia and The American Revolution**

Visit: <http://www.ourgeorgiahistory.com/wars/Revolution/>

1. Click on [**Georgia in 1763**](http://www.ourgeorgiahistory.com/wars/Revolution/revolution01.html)

Explain some of the issues Georgia had during this time period.

1. Click on [**Sugar Act; Stamp Act**](http://www.ourgeorgiahistory.com/wars/Revolution/revolution02.html)
2. What was the Sugar Act?
3. When and why was the Sugar Act it enacted?
4. Who called for resistance and why?
5. What happened in November of 1765?
6. What was the result of the Stamp Act?

**Step 5:** **Play the Games**

You must complete Steps 1 – 4 before you begin the game.

Visit the website: <http://www.neok12.com/American-Revolution.htm>

Step 1: Click on Quiz on Colonial America to play the matching game.

Step 2: Play any of the games you choose on the American Revolution