

Question 61 Vocabulary

Question #	Vocab Word	Definition
62	American Revolution	The conflict (1775-1783) when the British colonies (now the United States of America) rebelled against British rule and fought and won the right to self-governance.
62	colony	a territory under the rule of another country
62	consent	to agree to something
62	Constitution	the principles, rights, and/or precedents by which a country, state, or organization agrees to be ruled
62	Continental Congress	the delegates from the colonies that first met in 1774 in response to actions by the British government that the colonies found intolerable. They declared American independence from Britain in 1776 and ratified the Articles of Confederation.
62	Declaration of Independence	a document that said the Thirteen Colonies were at war with Great Britain and regarded themselves as thirteen independent sovereign states, no longer under British rule.
62	endowed	provided with something freely or naturally
62	generation	the average period, generally considered to be about thirty years, during which children are born and grow up, become adults, and begin to have children of their own
62	government	the system by which a nation, state, or community handles its affairs of state
62	grievances	a real or imagined wrong or other cause for protest
62	inalienable	incapable of being taken away or denied
62	instituted	set up or established
62	liberty	the power or right to do as one pleases, to be free
62	preamble	an introductory statement
62	prequel	a story or movie containing events that come before those of another work
62	pursuit	following or chasing