

# MAKING OF AMERICA JEOPARDY

## THE PEOPLE

### 1 Point

**ANSWER:**

This man became the first President of the United States after helping lead America to victory in the Revolutionary War.

**QUESTION:**

Who is George Washington?

### 2 Points

**ANSWER:**

This woman is traditionally credited with sewing one of America's earliest flags.

**QUESTION:**

Who is Betsy Ross?

### 3 Points

**ANSWER:**

This famous rider warned colonists that British troops were coming.

**QUESTION:**

Who is Paul Revere?

### 4 Points

**ANSWER:**

This man wrote most of the Declaration of Independence and included the words "Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness."

**QUESTION:**

Who is Thomas Jefferson?

### 5 Points

**ANSWER:**

This inventor and diplomat helped convince France to support America during the Revolutionary War.

**QUESTION:**

Who is Benjamin Franklin?

**6 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This king's leadership style was considered tyrannical by many colonists, leading them to seek independence.

**QUESTION:**

Who is King George III?

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**THE WORDS**

**1 Point**

**ANSWER:**

This word means the state of being alive.

**QUESTION:**

What is Life?

**2 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This word means being responsible for the consequences of your choices and actions.

**QUESTION:**

What is Accountability?

**3 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This principle teaches that laws apply equally to everyone, including leaders.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Rule of Law?

**4 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This term means the power to choose and act for yourself.

**QUESTION:**

What is Agency?

**5 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This term describes the ability to choose between right and wrong.

**QUESTION:**

What is Moral Agency?

**6 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This principle means understanding cause and effect and governing your own behavior.

**QUESTION:**

What is Self-Government?

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**EVENTS**

**1 Point**

**ANSWER:**

This event happened on July 4, 1776, when America announced it was independent from Great Britain.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Declaration of Independence?

**2 Points**

**ANSWER:**

In this protest, colonists dumped tea into Boston Harbor.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Boston Tea Party?

**3 Points**

**ANSWER:**

These two towns were the site of the first battles of the Revolutionary War.

**QUESTION:**

What are Lexington and Concord?

**4 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This famous crossing of an icy river led to an important American victory at Trenton.

**QUESTION:**

What is Washington Crossing the Delaware?

**5 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This battle helped convince France to support America.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Battle of Saratoga?

**6 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This final major battle of the Revolutionary War ended with a British surrender.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Battle of Yorktown?

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**DOCUMENTS**

## **1 Point**

**ANSWER:**

This document begins with the words "We the People."

**QUESTION:**

What is the Constitution?

## **2 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This pamphlet by Thomas Paine encouraged Americans to support independence.

**QUESTION:**

What is *Common Sense*?

## **3 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This document announced that the colonies were free and independent states.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Declaration of Independence?

## **4 Points**

**ANSWER:**

These are the first ten amendments to the Constitution.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Bill of Rights?

## **5 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This document created the framework for America's national government.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Constitution?

## **6 Points**

### **ANSWER:**

George Washington believed this document would preserve liberty by limiting government and protecting the rights of the people.

### **QUESTION:**

What is the Constitution of the United States?

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## **SPIRITUAL**

### **1 Point**

#### **ANSWER:**

Before declaring independence, the Continental Congress called for a day of this and prayer.

#### **QUESTION:**

What is fasting?

### **2 Points**

#### **ANSWER:**

This word means a sacred promise or commitment with God.

#### **QUESTION:**

What is a covenant?

### **3 Points**

#### **ANSWER:**

After becoming the first President of the United States, George Washington went to this New York City church to thank God and seek His guidance for the new nation.

#### **QUESTION:**

What is St. Paul's Chapel?

### **4 Points**

#### **ANSWER:**

The Declaration of Independence teaches that people receive their rights from this source.

**QUESTION:**

Who is their Creator?  
(or "Who is God?")

**5 Points**

**ANSWER:**

George Washington prayed that God would place the United States under this.

**QUESTION:**

What is His holy protection?

**6 Points**

**ANSWER:**

Throughout the Revolutionary War, the Continental Congress repeatedly called on Americans to seek these seven blessings from God: wisdom, mercy, humility, justice, protection, peace, and this final blessing that helped hold the colonies together.

**QUESTION:**

What is unity?

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**BONUS**

**1 Point**

**ANSWER:**

This quality was chosen to represent George Washington.

**QUESTION:**

What is Integrity?

**2 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This quality was chosen to represent Betsy Ross.

**QUESTION:**

What is Service?

### **3 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This quality was chosen to represent Molly Pitcher.

**QUESTION:**

What is Perseverance?

### **4 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This famous phrase from the Declaration of Independence lists three God-given rights.

**QUESTION:**

What are Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness?

### **5 Points**

**ANSWER:**

According to the Constitution, the government is divided into these three branches.

**QUESTION:**

What are the Legislative, Executive, and Judicial branches?

### **6 Points**

**ANSWER:**

This principle teaches that everyone—including leaders and government officials—must obey the law.

**QUESTION:**

What is the Rule of Law?