

Revolutionary War Vocabulary Review & Timeline

Directions: Use the word bank to fill in the blanks in the sentences below. Then, use the words that are left to complete the timeline.

Revolutionary War Word Bank

patriots	redcoats	loyalists	parliament	boycott
minutemen	Stamp Act	Revolutionary War	treason	

- 1 The British parliament passed many new laws that increased taxes for the colonists.
- 2 The British soldiers were called redcoats because their uniforms were red.
- 3 Benedict Arnold was an American general who was accused of treason when he agreed to hand over American territory to the British army.
- 4 The colonists who rejected British rule were called patriots because they wanted the United States to be an independent nation.
- 5 The minutemen were always ready to fight against the British.
- 6 Even though the loyalists lived in the colonies, they supported the British government.

Timeline of events leading to the Revolutionary War

