

# MAPPING THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Students will map the 50 US states and label them with their current state names. Students will create a map key to show the regions of the 13 colonies (the New England colonies, the middle colonies, and the southern colonies). Students will highlight one state or territory within the 13 colonies and explain their involvement in the American Revolutionary War.

## Project Objectives:

- Draw US borders/state borders
- Label all 50 US states
- Label and Make a key for the 3 regions of the 13 Colonies (The New England Colonies, Middle Colonies, and Southern Colonies)
- Highlight and label ONE colony/territory and explain their involvement in the American Revolutionary War: Explanation can be on the back of the map or on another paper



**American Revolution Map Rubric**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Learning Group: \_\_\_\_\_

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Students create a map of the USA that meets ALL objectives with zero errors. Student uses creativity and adds information to highlighted state/colony.	Students create a map of the USA that meets ALL objectives with minimal errors. Student uses creativity and adds information to highlight the state/colony.	Student created a map of the USA that meets most objectives with several errors. Student uses minimal creativity and shows little to no effort.	Student did not show any effort in creating a map of the USA/13 Colonies.

Standards:

Geography 1: 6-8

History 1: 6-8

Notes:
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## **Resources:**

### **American Revolution in Maine:**

<https://www.maine.gov/sos/cec/elec/voter-info/veteran/revolutionary.html#:~:text=June%201775%20%E2%80%93%20A%20Machias%20seaman,the%20autumn%20of%20that%20year.>

### **American Revolution Timeline:**

<https://maineencyclopedia.com/timeline-of-maine-history-04-the-american-revolution/>

### **US Map:**

<https://www.mapchart.net/usa.html>

### **American Revolution Information:**

<https://www.britannica.com/event/American-Revolution>

### **Maine Map:**

<https://www.worldatlas.com/maps/united-states/maine>