

# Revolutionary War Matching Quiz

Write the word that best matches each definition or clue.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ A professional soldier hired to fight for a foreign country.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ An African American woman who sued for her freedom in a Massachusetts court and won.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ An African American preacher who helped start the Free African Society and the African Methodist Episcopal Church.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ An ideology embraced by those supportive of a government by and for the people in a republic with representative democracy.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ A country that agrees to help another country achieve a common goal.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ A 14-year-old African American sailor who later became famous for his efforts to end slavery.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ The last major battle of the war in which American and French troops bombarded Yorktown and forced Cornwallis to surrender his army.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ A meeting.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Privately owned ship that a wartime government gives permission to attack an enemy's merchant ships.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ To leave military duty without intending to return.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Small bands of fighters who weaken the enemy with surprise raids and hit and run attacks.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ The Commander of the Continental Army.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ A French nobleman who volunteered to serve in Washington's army.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ A long steel knife attached to the end of a gun.
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Peace treaty that ended the Revolutionary War.
16. \_\_\_\_\_ British General who led an army in Camden, South Carolina.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ An overall plan of action.
18. \_\_\_\_\_ The series of conflicts that led to the surrender of the British General Burgoyne and his troops.
19. \_\_\_\_\_ Opposed to war.
20. \_\_\_\_\_ Continental officer and commander of the Bonhomme Richard who won the most famous sea battle of the war.

John Paul Jones	guerrillas	Lord Cornwallis	Treaty of Paris of 1783	Battle of Saratoga
privateer	pacifist	desert	George Washington	Elizabeth Freeman
republicanism	James Forten	rendezvous	strategy	ally
bayonet	Battle of Yorktown	Marquis de Lafayette	mercenary	Richard Allen