

Chronicle the Revolution Assignment

For this assignment, you will weigh the arguments presented in the textbook, and in the video as to when the road to the revolution began.

Question: Did the problem begin with the passing of the revenue acts or with the treaty at the end of the French & Indian Wars?

In the **first paragraph**, provide your answer with evidence to back up your stance on the issue from an outside source (see below for acceptable source types). Then, in **one to two additional paragraphs**, chronicle the road to the revolution from that point highlighting the major events, culminating in Lexington and Concord. Please consult the rubric for instructions on the format and guidelines that need to be used to avoid losing unnecessary points. As a review, **paragraphs should either have an indented first line or have a space between to distinguish separation. They should also be 3-5 sentences, not 1-2.** Be sure to cite all sources used (at least 2 must be present, one of which cannot be a website and formatting of sources is outlined below), including those provided and any outside sources used.

If lecture is the source: cite the week and number of the lecture and the instructor.

If the textbook is the source: Brinkley et. al, *The Unfinished Nation* Vol. 1, 9th Edition, chapter and page number.

If a webpage is the source (only one allowed):, cite the URL, date accessed. (This is also used for internet videos)

If an online article is the source: Last name, First name "Article title," *Journal Title* #, no. # (edition): pg #s.

RUBRIC ON FOLLOWING PAGE

Grading Rubric	Novice	Competent	Proficient
Formatting	Points: 2 (4.00%) Response is one block of text that does not follow paragraph format. No sources are cited	Points: 6 (12.00%) Response is in paragraph format, but is not at least 2 paragraphs in length. Sources are cited, but only 1 source is present OR more than one source is a web site OR sources are not formatted correctly.	Points: 10 (20.00%) Response is in paragraph format and is at least 2-3 paragraphs in length. At least 2 sources (one of which is NOT a web site) are present and cited according to the guidelines.
Content	Points: 10 (20.00%) Response contains few of the key events, or is missing major details relating to the topic.	Points: 20 (40.00%) Response contains most of the events, but neglects to cover all of the major events called for in instructions.	Points: 30 (60.00%) Response contains all of the major events required by instructions, and reflects the key details that apply to the topic.
Grammar	Points: 2 (4.00%) Fails to follow standard rules of grammar and punctuation. Text speak is present.	Points: 6 (12.00%) Some grammatical issues like misspellings or typos are present, but does not make the response unreadable.	Points: 10 (20.00%) Few, if any, typos or major grammatical errors are present. Response is clear and organized.