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**Revolutionary War Timeline Mini Project- Major Assessment**

The Revolutionary War was a pivotal time for our country. The colonies were forced to break from an oppressive government and create a new nation. It is important to understand the events that led up to the war and also how the war for American Independence was won.

**Your task is to create an annotated timeline of the major events of the Revolutionary War. Your final product may be a poster, PowerPoint, Prezzi, or word document.**

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| **Your timeline must include: (9 events total)**   * 3 events leading up to the Revolutionary War- Causes * 4 events during the Revolutionary War- Battles, Important Events for either Side, Turning Points, Important documents   + 2 of these must be events we did not discuss in class **(That means you will have to research them)** * 2 events about the outcome and end of the Revolutionary War- Peace Conference, Lasting Impacts, New Boundaries | **Each event must include:**   * Event Title or Name * Date * 4-5 Sentence Description * Image- can be hand drawn or computer generated * Citations for sources used |

Resources and helpful links: You can access this document on my teacher site to click the direct links to these sites if you want to avoid typing them all in

<http://www.ushistory.org/declaration/revwartimeline.htm>

<http://theamericanrevolution.org/TimelineDetail.aspx>

<http://www.historyplace.com/unitedstates/revolution/revwar-75.htm>

<http://www.ushistory.org/us/11.asp> (Use the drop down box at the top center of the page to select events

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| Presentation/Neatness | Final product is professional, creative, neat, and shows a high level of effort (10 pts) | Final product is neat and attractive (8 pts) | Final product looks rushed and is somewhat messy (7 pts) | The final product is not finished in a professional manner or shows a lack of effort by the student (5 pts) |
| Completion | Includes all necessary components and events (20 pts) | Missing 1 event  (17 pts) | Missing 2-3 events (14 pts) | Missing more than 4 events (10 pts) |
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