



DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE NUMBERS and NAMES QUIZ/WORKSHEET

To be used with lyrics to RRR song "Declaration of Independence"

1. How many people signed the Declaration of Independence? _____
2. What was the date on which the Declaration of Independence was adopted by Congress? _____
3. How many original colonies were there? _____
4. How many members were on the Committee that drafted the declaration of independence? _____
5. Name one of the people who died in the Boston Massacre _____

6. Whose large signature on the Declaration of Independence has become famous as a synonym for "signature" in America?

7. Who was the King of England during this time? _____

BONUS QUESTIONS (each question worth 2 points)

- i. How many members of the Committee went on to become President of the United States? _____
- ii. What were their names? _____

- iii. Who was the only scientist on the Committee?

- iv. Who was a great statesman, politician and influential writer and also considered a Founding Father who signed the Declaration of Independence?
(*hint: he was John Adams second cousin*) _____