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250 Years since the Declaration of Independence

Theme: Histories of Independence

Links

- [The Declaration of Independence](#)
- [A Teacher's Guide to Revolutionary War Movies](#)
- [The Signers of the Declaration of Independence](#)
- [U.S. Code §106 – Constitution Day and Citizenship Day](#)
- [Constitution Day Classroom Activities – National Archives Education](#)

Book List

- [The Signers: The 56 Stories Behind the Declaration of Independence](#)

Additional Teaching Resources

Post Activity Questions for discussion or written reflection:

All options:

- How did this activity influence your perception of the Declaration of Independence and the American Revolution?

Option A: The Grievances of the Declaration Skits

- Which grievance feels most relevant today?

Option B: Signers Bingo Competition

- Which signer of the Declaration of Independence do you find most interesting and why?

Option C: American Revolution film or mini-series

- How does the portrayal of the American Revolution in media influence our ideas about history, freedom, and independence?