



Live the American Story Links

Week 1

Day 1

Day 2

Delve into Native American Culture

The original Scholastic link for this activity has since been removed. Use this site as a substitute!

https://www.ducksters.com/history/native_americans.php

Day 3

Go on a Viking Voyage

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kge0c2mNmRQ>

Day 4

The Nina & Santa Maria

<https://daytriptips.com/spend-day-touring-replicas-columbus-ships/>

Cries of the Deep

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Eg63_agojSQ&t=6s

Week 2

Day 1

The Spanish Armada

<https://www.history.com/topics/european-history/spanish-armada>

Discover the Conquistadors

<https://www.khanacademy.org/humanities/us-history/precontact-and-early-colonial-era/spanish-colonization/a/the-spanish-conquistadores-and-colonial-empire>

Day 2

Tour the Pueblo Ruins

<https://tourtheruins.weebly.com/tour-the-ruins.html>

Day 3

Captain John Smiths Colony

This game requires Flash to support the game.

<http://www.historyglobe.com/jamestown/>

Day 4

On the Trail of Captain John Smith

<https://web.archive.org/web/20181106234717/https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/games/adventure/on-the-trail-of-captain-john-smith-old/>

Visit Plymouth Plantation

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p5qi3Meqy24&t=3s>

Week 3

Day 1

Colonial Seafood

<https://www.mountvernon.org/inn/recipes/>

18th Century Seeds

<https://victoryseeds.com/>

Day 2

Life in New Castle

<https://americanhistory.si.edu/springer/>

Day 3

Coopers and Casks

The previous game is not longer available but this link will provide you information on cask making!

<http://www.witheridge-historical-archive.com/cooper.htm>

After the Mayflower

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xUMWJVgQkfs>

Day 4

Learn More!

https://www.ducksters.com/history/colonial_america/daily_life_on_the_farm.php

Slavery Begins in America

<https://www.history.com/topics/black-history/slavery#when-did-slavery-start>

Week 4

Day 1

Day 2

Benjamin Franklin

<https://www.history.com/news/benjamin-franklin-kite-experiment-electricity>

Day 3

Day 4

Colonial Undertaking

<https://phaneuf.net/blog/colonial-new-england-funeral-traditions#:~:text=Funeral%20traditions%20in%20Colonial%20New%20England%201%20In,slabs%20of%20stones%20with%20an%20inscription.%20More%20items>

Week 5

Day 1

Colonial Kids

<https://education.nationalgeographic.org/resource/women-and-children-colonial-america/>

Day 2

18th Century Seeds

<https://victoryseeds.com/>

Colonial Mariages

<https://www.pbs.org/opb/historydetectives/feature/marriage/#:~:text=In%20colonial%20times%2C%20marriage%20was%20largely%20a%20matter,Despite%20this%2C%20colonial%20marriages%20rarely%20happened%20in%20churches.>

Week 5 Cont.

Day 3

Christmas Stories

<https://www.history.com/news/christmas-13-colonies-puritans>

Day 4

Pardoned or Pillary

This game requires Adobe Flash Player

<https://www.slaveryandremembrance.org/kids/games/pardonOrPillory.cfm#:~:text=Guess%20the%20word%20that%20belongs%20in%20the%20blanks,in%20a%20row%20and%20the%20colonist%20is%20pardoned.>

Colonial Mariages

<https://www.pbs.org/opb/historydetectives/feature/marriage/#:~:text=In%20colonial%20times%2C%20marriage%20was%20largely%20a%20matter,Despite%20this%2C%20colonial%20marriages%20rarely%20happened%20in%20churches.>

Be a Detective

The previous game has since been discontinued. Instead read more on this website doing your own investigating on any questions you may have!

<https://www.theclassroom.com/about-colonial-family-life-12078343.html>

Week 6

Day 1

Gingerbread

<https://www.mountvernon.org/inn/recipes/article/lafayette-gingerbread/>

Day 2

Colonial American Tea

<https://oliverpluff.com/pages/tea-comes-to-america>

Day 3

Virginia Gazette

<https://research.colonialwilliamsburg.org/DigitalLibrary/va-gazettes/>

Day 4

Coins

<https://emuseum.history.org/groups/numismatics/results>

Chicken Pudding

<https://www.mountvernon.org/inn/recipes/>

Week 7

Day 1

Day 2

18th Century Seeds

<https://victoryseeds.com/>

Online Tour

<https://www.colonialwilliamsburg.org/learn/virtual-tours/>

Day 3

Day 4

Week 8

Day 1

Colonial Food

<https://www.youtube.com/@ColonialWilliamsburg/search?query=food>

Colonial Meal

<https://www.mountvernon.org/inn/recipes/>

Day 2

Fly a Kite

<https://gunstonhall.org/learn/learning-from-home/games-and-amusements/colonial-games-design-your-own-18th-century-kite/>

Day 3

Colonial Clothing

<https://www.colonialwilliamsburg.org/learn/living-history/wearing-18th-century-clothing-modern-uniform/>

Dressing the Part

The original game has been removed but you can play this game instead!

<https://chooseyourstory.com/story/dressing-the-part>

Day 4

Hats for Colonials

This game requires FlashPlayer.

<https://www.slaveryandremembrance.org/kids/games/headsUp.cfm>

Week 10

Day 1

Help a Blacksmith

This game requires AdobeFlashPlayer

<https://www.slaveryandremembrance.org/kids/games/toolTrouble.cfm>

Day 2

Day 3

Midnight Messenger

This game requires AdobeFlashPlayer

<https://www.slaveryandremembrance.org/kids/games/midnightMessenger.cfm>

Brickmaking

The original game requires AdobeFlashPlayer but you can watch this video instead!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cuMBA0bBCLk>

Day 4

Week 11

Day 1

French Explorers

https://project.geo.msu.edu/geogmich/french_explorers.html

Week 11 Cont.

Day 2

Forrest Preservation

<https://eschooltoday.com/learn/introduction-to-forests/>

Be an Ecologist

<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/ecology/353082#:~:text=Ecology%20is%20the%20study%20of%20the%20relationships%20between,as%20air%2C%20soil%2C%20and%20water%20to%20stay%20alive.>

Day 3

Day 4

Johnny Appleseed

<https://harpers.org/archive/1871/11/johnny-appleseed-a-pioneer-hero/>

Lenape Way

<https://www.newyorknature.us/lenapes/>

Week 12

Day 1

Washingtons Journal

<https://www.mountvernon.org/library/digitalhistory/digital-encyclopedia/article/the-journal-of-major-george-washington/>

Day 2

Terms of Surrender

<https://www.nps.gov/fone/learn/historyculture/capitulation.htm>

Day 3

Day 4

Week 13

Day 1

Day 2

Day 3

John Dickinson

<https://www.biography.com/political-figures/john-dickinson>

Day 4

Week 14

Day 1

Day 2

Old State House

<https://www.thehistorylist.com/venues/the-bostonian-society-old-state-house-boston-massachusetts>

Day 3

Day 4

Week 16

Day 1

Revolutionary War Animation

These videos have been discontinued. Use the videos below as substitutes.

Lexington and Concord: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IDRSE2Euxs4>

1775 Canada: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IYJ41qECw5I>

Bunker Hill: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9UqJzKX03-0>

Ethan Allen Info

<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/Ethan-Allen/352735>

"Wheaties" Ethan Allen

https://vermonthistoryexplorer.org/client_media/files/worksheets/wheatiesethanallen.pdf

Day 2

Day 3

Virginia Statute

Read it here:

<https://virginiahistory.org/learn/thomas-jefferson-and-virginia-statute-religious-freedom>

Day 4

Listen to the Declaration

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HrAtMbeXFzM>

Week 17

Day 1

Day 2

Revolutionary War Animation

These videos have been discontinued. Use the videos below as substitutes.

Battle for New York: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7628DkrQGYs>

Day 3

Agent 711

This game has since been removed from apple and their website. Read what is shown on this website and watch the video at the bottom!

<https://www.mountvernon.org/george-washington/the-revolutionary-war/spying-and-espionage/>

Day 4

Week 18

Day 1

Washington's Crossing

The video mentioned is no longer available.

<https://www.mountvernon.org/library/digitalhistory/digital-encyclopedia/article/crossing-of-the-delaware/>

Revolutionary War Animation

These videos have been discontinued. Visit these sites instead.

Trenton and Princeton: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4xW72sMHrvE>

Battle of Saratoga: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cZNpbSP6Glo>

Brandywine and Germantown: <https://www.history.com/topics/american-revolution/battle-of-germantown>

Day 2

Day 3

Day 4

Week 19

Day 1

Day 2

Find your Family

<https://valleyforgemusterroll.org/find-your-ancestor/>

Day 3

Bugle and Drum

https://fifeanddrum.army.mil/kids_fife_drum.html

Day 4

Week 20

Day 1

Day 2

Revolutionary War Animation

These videos have been discontinued. Visit these sites instead.

Monmouth: <https://www.mountvernon.org/library/digitalhistory/digital-encyclopedia/article/battle-of-monmouth/>

Southern Campaign: <https://www.battlefields.org/learn/maps/southern-campaign-1776-1781>

Yorktown: <https://www.mountvernon.org/library/digitalhistory/digital-encyclopedia/article/yorktown-campaign/>

Day 3

Benedict Arnold

<https://www.mountvernon.org/library/digitalhistory/digital-encyclopedia/article/benedict-arnold/>

Day 4

Siege of Yorktown Videos

Now or Never: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7tXmplp6_7c

The Tide Turns: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rHGkYnMayYU>

The French: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fYcTI8rmpHw>

Roads: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kfCeFxtUPZA>

Virginia Capes: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v_tMJQH-6Ww

The March South: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a-IGoNKi2wU>

Siege Begins: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qOIGyJpN7Hc>

First Parallel: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=56miOET7hls>

Second Parallel: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T8mrNEWjA7k>

The Surrender: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=22Ro0XxpH7U>

Week 21

Day 1

Philadelphia Map

This map has been removed. Visit this link instead.

<https://www.ushistory.org/philadelphia/philadelphia.html>

Day 2

Day 3

Day 4

Bill of Rights Game

<https://constitutioncenter.org/education/classroom-resource-library/classroom/bill-of-rights-bingo>

Interactive Constitution:

<https://www.law.georgetown.edu/constitution-center/constitution/>

Week 21 Cont.

Day 4

Writings

<https://constitutioncenter.org/rights/writing.php>

Week 22

Day 1

Building the White House

<https://www.whitehousehistory.org/teacher-resources/designing-the-white-house-1792-1830>

Touring the Whitehouse

Please ignore the top section of text relating to this activity. This activity has been changed and moved into the journal activities and reading.

Day 2

View the Washington Monument

<https://www.nps.gov/wamo/index.htm>

Day 3

Day 4

Week 23

Day 1

Day 2

Lewis and Clark Expedition

<https://www.history.com/topics/19th-century/lewis-and-clark>

Day 3

Day 4

Week 24

Day 1

Day 2

Fur Trade

<https://www.mnhs.org/fortsnelling/learn/fur-trade>

Day 3

Little House

<https://littlehouseontheprairie.com/history-timeline-of-laura-ingalls-wilder/>

Day 4

Week 30

Day 1

Day 2

Journey Log

This journey log has been removed. Please use this interactive map instead!

<https://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-resources/online-exhibitions/lewis-and-clark-expedition-interactive-map>

Week 31

Day 1

Center of the West

<https://centerofthewest.org/explore/buffalo-bill/exhibits/>

Trap History

<http://www.traphistorymuseum.com/>

Day 2

Day 3

Day 4

Build a Sod House

<https://amhistory.si.edu/ourstory/activities/sodhouse/more.html>

Conestoga Wagon

<https://www.history.com/topics/19th-century/conestoga-wagon>

Week 32

Day 1

Day 2

Center of the West

<https://centerofthewest.org/explore/buffalo-bill/exhibits/>

Day 3

Day 4

Memorial

<https://illinois.pbslearningmedia.org/resource/2bcbf575-4ae7-4a0e-be9b-cc7538f043cd/designing-a-memorial-for-mexican-american-medal-of-honor-recipients/>

Week 33

Day 1

Steamboat Times

<https://www.thoughtco.com/history-of-steamboats-4057901>

Day 2

Erie Canal

<https://www.history.com/news/erie-canal-construction-engineering-labor>

Day 3

Dig for Diamonds

https://www.arkansasstateparks.com/events?f%5B0%5D=grid_events_park%3A1736

Wildlife

<https://www.rivermuseum.com/webcams>

People of the Gold Rush

<https://www.pbs.org/wgbh/americanexperience/features/goldrush-california/#:~:text=California%27s%20population%20consisted%20of%20about%206%2C500%20Californios%20%28people,that%20had%20been%20granted%20by%20the%20Mexican%20government.>

Fun Facts

<https://www.history.com/news/8-things-you-may-not-know-about-the-california-gold-rush>

Strike Rich!

<https://www.usmint.gov/learn/kids/games/gold-rush>

Week 34

Day 1

Day 2

Day 3

Day 4

Trail of Tears

<https://www.zinnedproject.org/materials/we-shall-remain/>

Week 35

Day 1

Day 2

Day 3

Day 4

Track my T

<https://www.trackmyt.com/>

Clean Cotton

<https://organiccottonplus.com/products/organic-raw-cotton-fiber>

Fun Facts and Dates

<http://www.cottonsjourney.com/story-of-cotton/>

<http://www.cottonsjourney.com/watch-cotton-grow/>

Convention

<https://www.history.com/topics/womens-history/seneca-falls-convention>

Week 36

Day 1

Slavery Timeline

<https://jimcrowmuseum.ferris.edu/timeline/slavery.htm>

Day 2

Digging Deeper

<https://www.history.com/news/slavery-profitable-southern-economy>

<https://education.nationalgeographic.org/resource/underground-railroad/>

Day 3

Day 4