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## Answer Key: Liberty's Light: A First Grade Revolution Quiz

How did a tiny group of colonies become a new home for freedom? Match symbols and heroes to the birth of the United States in this interactive challenge.

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**1. Before the United States was a country, it was made up of 13 \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Answer:** B) Colonies

The 13 colonies were groups of people living in America who were ruled by the King of England.

**2. True or False: Paul Revere went on a famous ride to warn people that the British army was coming.**

**Answer:** A) True

Paul Revere is a hero known for his 'Midnight Ride' to alert the colonial militia.

**3. The people in the colonies wanted to be \_\_\_\_\_ and make their own rules.**

**Answer:** C) Free

Independence means being free to make your own choices and lead yourself.

**4. Who was a famous woman who helped the soldiers by bringing them water and helping with cannons?**

**Answer:** A) Molly Pitcher

Molly Pitcher is a nickname for Mary Ludwig Hays, who bravely helped soldiers during the war.

**5. True or False: The King of England lived in the colonies with the Americans.**

**Answer:** B) False

King George III lived far away in Great Britain, across the Atlantic Ocean.

**6. The American flag was created with \_\_\_\_\_ to show there were 13 colonies.**

**Answer:** D) Stars

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The first flag had 13 stars and 13 stripes to represent the original colonies.

**7. The Liberty Bell is a famous symbol of the Revolution. What happened to it when it rang?**

**Answer:** B) It got a big crack

The Liberty Bell in Philadelphia is famous for its large crack and for being a symbol of freedom.

**8. True or False: Benjamin Franklin was a famous inventor who helped the colonies.**

**Answer:** A) True

Benjamin Franklin was a smart leader who helped the colonies work together.

**9. American soldiers were often called \_\_\_\_\_ because they could be ready to fight very quickly.**

**Answer:** B) Minutemen

Minutemen were colonial soldiers who said they could be ready to fight in just one minute.

**10. Which of these is a way we celebrate the United States becoming a free country every year?**

**Answer:** A) The Fourth of July

Independence Day is July 4th, the day the colonies decided to become their own nation.