

VOCABULARY

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1. Match these words from the text to their correct definition.

- 1 □ taxes
 - A search for
 - broke out B money you have to pay to the government
- 3. no longer
 - C go to the same place explained D gave the reasons
- 4. 5. rights
- E the love of your country
- pursuit of 6.
- F not any more G freedom to do something
- get together 7. 8.
 - patriotic H started

COMPREHENSION CHECK

2. Choose the correct option.

- 1. The colonies didn't want to pay taxes to Britain / have autonomy.
- 2. America became independent after the war / the Declaration.
- 3. The Declaration of Independence was a *battle / document*.
- George II believed all men were equal / did bad things to the colonies. 4.
- On 4th July Americans usually *sing patriotic songs* / *fly the British flag*. 5.

□ SPEAKING

3. What do you think?

- 1. What's the most important national holiday in your country?
- 2. How do people usually celebrate it?
- What's your favourite celebration and why? 3.



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