

# THE INDEPENDANCE OF THE USA



## THE THIRTEEN COLONIES(1607-1773)



### DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE : 3 MAJOR IDEAS

1. ALL MEN ARE CREATED EQUAL
2. PEOPLE HAVE CERTAIN INALIENABLE RIGHTS:
  - LIFE
  - LIBERTY
  - THE PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS.
3. GOVERNMENTS ARE CHOSEN FROM AMONG MEN TO GUARANTEE THESE RIGHTS, AND THEIR JUST POWER DERIVES FROM THE CONSENT OF THE PEOPLE

### REASONS FOR THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION:

1. LAWS TAX
2. THE BOSTON MASSACRE
3. THE BOSTON TEA PARTY
4. INTOLERABLE ACTS

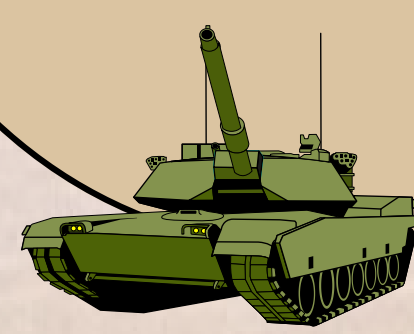
### HELP FROM FRANCE:

- MILITARY
- FINANCIAL

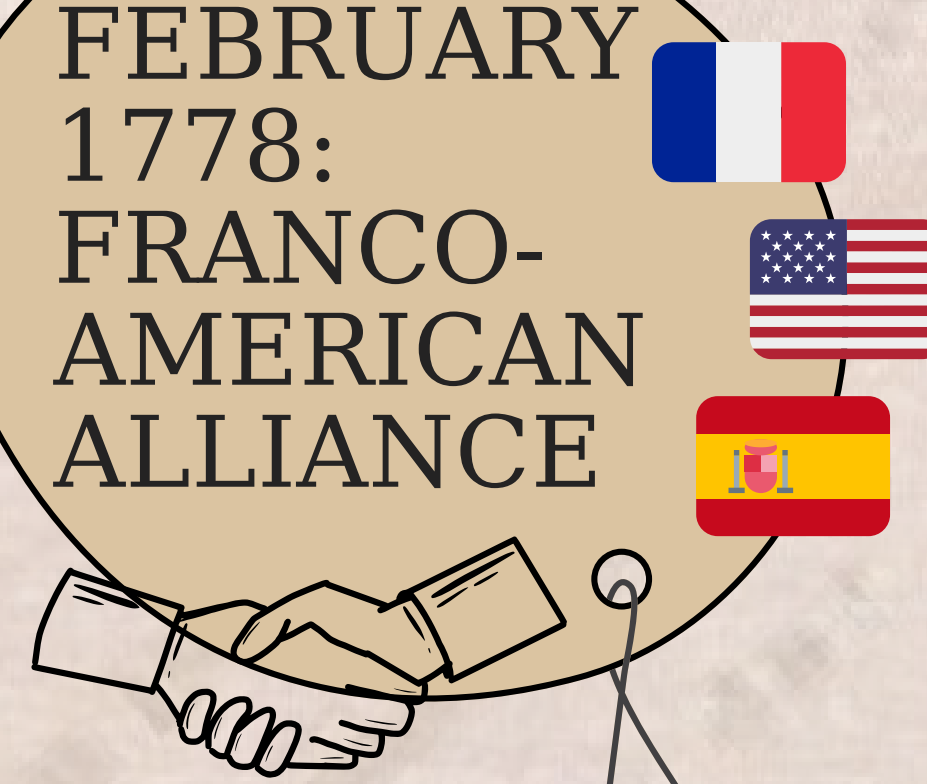
1770:  
BOSTON  
MASSACRE



APRIL 1775:  
START OF THE  
WAR,  
SKIRMISHES



FEBRUARY  
1778:  
FRANCO-  
AMERICAN  
ALLIANCE



1783:  
TREATY  
OF PARIS



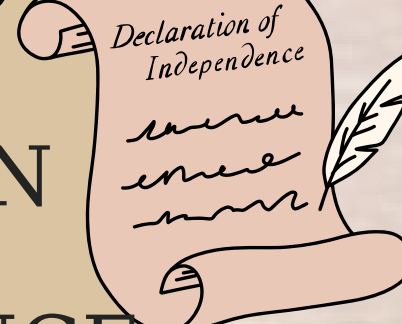
1765 :  
STAMP ACT  
CRISIS



1773 :  
BOSTON TEA  
PARTY



JULY 4, 1776:  
DECLARATION  
OF  
INDEPENDENCE  
EN  
PHILADELPHIA



OCTOBER 1781:  
BATTLE OF  
YORKTOWN

