

# DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

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***Circle or tick the correct answers***

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B- Rights of American colonies  
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B- July 4, 1776  
C- July 4, 1779
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B- 3  
C- 2
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B- False
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6. Who prepared the initial draft of Declaration of Independence?  
A- James Madison  
B- Thomas Jefferson  
C- John Adams
7. A committee of -----worked on the declaration document.  
A- 10  
B- 5  
C- 7
8. The document included an expression of the colonists' grievances and their reasons for declaring freedom from Britain.  
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B- False
9. Declaration of Independence document is one of the great historical documents.  
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