

### Quiz for M.5 (The 4th of July)

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1. What is another name for the 4th of July?  
A) Thanksgiving Day    B) Independence Day  
C) Veterans Day        D) Memorial Day
2. On what exact date was the Declaration of Independence adopted?  
A) July 4, 1776        B) July 4, 1786  
C) June 4, 1776        D) July 14, 1789
3. What did the Declaration of Independence announce?  
A) The start of a new tax system                      B) The election of the first president  
C) The severing of political ties to Great Britain    D) The alliance with Great Britain
4. How many American colonies were involved in severing ties to Great Britain?  
A) 10                      B) 12                      C) 13                      D) 50
5. What did the historic document officially establish the United States as?  
A) A colony of Great Britain    B) An independent and self-governing nation  
C) A temporary alliance        D) A military territory
6. The 4th of July occasion is commonly considered as what?  
A) America's birthday        B) The end of winter  
C) A religious festival        D) New Year's Eve
7. Which of the following is mentioned as a vibrant nighttime activity during the celebration?  
A) Shopping sprees            B) Fireworks displays  
C) Bonfires                    D) Laser tag games
8. According to the text, what do community parades often include?  
A) Marching bands            B) Sports cars  
C) Circus animals            D) Halloween costumes
9. Where do families and friends traditionally go for trips to mark the mid-summer holiday?  
A) The mountains            B) Amusement parks  
C) The beach                 D) Museums
10. What are Americans encouraged to reflect on during this historical reflection time?  
A) Technology and modern science  
B) Liberty, the founding ideals of democracy, and the nation's history  
C) Economic wealth and trade agreements  
D) Future space exploration