

The Colonists Revolt

Based on what you read in this Lesson, follow the instructions in every item to answer this worksheet.

I. True or False, write T or F for every proposal.

1. _____ European governments competed to build empires around the world.
2. _____ Britain and France did not want bigger empires.
3. _____ A tax is money that people must pay to support a government and everything it does.
4. _____ In 1754, Parliament passed the Stamp Act.

II. Fill in the blanks, complete the spaces with the correct word or phrase.

5. An _____ is a group of countries ruled by a single power.
6. Parliament was afraid that _____ was losing control of the colonies.
7. Many colonists thought Britain's taxes were _____.
8. Some colonists joined the _____, whose members took peaceful and violent action.
9. In order to raise money, the British Parliament passed the Townshend Acts in _____.
10. Some members of the _____ argued in favor of being lenient, or less strict, with the colonies.